PURPOSE:
Trauma facilities that are denied verification and subsequent designation after their inaugural site visit only, will have the opportunity to correct the cited deficiency(ies) and re-apply for verification/designation.

PROCESS:
1) The facility will be notified in writing of the department’s verification/designation denial.
2) The facility will have 12 months from receipt of notification of designation determination to correct the cited critical deficiency(ies).
3) Once the facility has corrected the cited deficiency(ies), a Request for In-State Verification Site Review must be submitted to the State Trauma Verification/Designation Coordinator.
4) The State Trauma Verification/Designation Coordinator will schedule a site visit.
5) Similar to the inaugural site visit, the facility will submit a Pre-Review Questionnaire (PRQ) and Designation Application 45 days prior to the scheduled site visit.
6) Once the site visit is conducted and the report has been reviewed by the Designation Subcommittee, the facility will be notified in writing of the department’s verification/designation determination.

PROCEDURE:
• Within a reasonable amount of time, MDHHS will notify the facility in writing of the final designation determination. Destination decisions will be made based on the designation determination.
  o Outcome
    a. The facility successfully receives verification and subsequent designation.
    OR
    b. The facility is denied designation and a letter will be sent to the pertinent Medical Control Authority(ies) notifying them of the designation denial.