### **Burn Center Transfer/Referral Algorithm**

All Burn Center transfers/referrals are up to the discretion of the treating physician/provider

#### **Transfer**



- Any burn with >20% TBSA that will require fluid resuscitation per the ABA Guidelines
- High risk mechanism of injury: electrical, chemical, radiation, or inhalation burns
- · Full thickness burn of any TBSA
- Circumferential burn of any extremity

#### <20% Transfer



- 2nd degree burn <20% TBSA to any surface
- 2nd degree burn <20% TBSA to the face, hands, feet, genitalia, perineum, or major joint
- 2nd degree burn that requires re-evaluation or ongoing wound management

## Referral to UofL Hospital – Burn Center

Provide patient with Burn Center referral and number to schedule. May fax referral with facesheet to 502-562-4030

# **Treat locally with/out Burn Center follow-up**



- Superficial 1st degree burns that DO NOT involve the face, hands, feet, genitalia, perineum, or major joint
- 1st degree burns that DO NOT require pain control or rehydration
- 2nd degree burns <1% TBSA that DO NOT require re-evaluation
- Burns that DO NOT require ongoing wound management

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