For Patients

Get the facts about Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Report to Congress on TBI

Traumatic Brain Injury in the United States Epidemiology and Rehabilitation.pdf [1]

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Traumatic brain injury (TBI) is a serious public health problem in the United States. Each year, traumatic brain injuries contribute to a substantial number of deaths and cases of permanent disability. In 2010 2.5 million TBIs occurred either as an isolated injury or along with other injuries. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has a wealth of information on the facts and human cost of TBI. Visit the CDC website [2] for more information.

Defense and Veterans Brain Injury Center (DVBIC)

Traumatic brain injury (TBI) is a significant health issue which affects service members and veterans during times of both peace and war. The high rate of TBI and blast-related concussion events resulting from current combat operations directly impacts the health and safety of individual service members and subsequently the level of unit readiness and troop retention. The impacts of TBI are felt within each branch of the service and throughout both the Department of Defense (DoD) and the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) health care systems. To get more information about TBI and the military, click here [3].

The National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)

In addition to background information [4] about TBI, the NINDS also has a comprehensive list of ongoing TBI clinical trials. Visit the Clinical Trials.gov [5] website for a full list of upcoming, ongoing, and completed TBI clinical trials.
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ClinicalTrials.gov is a registry and results database of publicly and privately supported clinical studies of human participants conducted around the world. Learn more about the TRACK-TBI clinical trial here [7].

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