

It gives me great pleasure to write a letter of support for the Genion Carrier Model, that I have reviewed in detail including publication, photos, videos, and discussion with one of its inventors, Jason Watt.

Having worked in the field of Trauma Surgery for over 20 years now, it has become increasingly evident that the key spoke in the Trauma wheel is the EMS. If it were not for safe and efficient transport of the critically ill trauma patient to the Trauma Center, then I, and my colleague traumatologists, would not be able to have the good outcomes that we try and achieve.

Paramount to this is the EMS staff and the equipment that they use. The stretcher often gets a second thought, when compared to the rest of the equipment that the EMS use. However, when facing challenging terrain, this itself may become one of the most significant parts of the EMS team.

Having worked in Canada, and dealing with traumas occurring in snowstorms, and now working in Qatar, and dealing with ATV rollovers in sand dunes, it was fascinating to learn about the Genion Carrier Model. It is an ingenious design (including the track driver and self-propelled mechanism) and seems like a game changer for the EMS and especially for the patient.

I have no doubt that the Genion Carrier Model will revolutionize how EMS transport patients in challenging environments and so am happy to give my fullest support for this state-of-the-art stretcher.

Sincerely 

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