

Aut Even Hospital

ORTHOPAEDIC DEPARTMENT

**Care Pathway  
for  
Total Hip Replacement.**

Name	
Hospital Number	
Consultant/Surgeon	
Side	

### User Identification

Full Name (Print)	Title & Grade	Signature	Initials

### Patient Property Disclaimer

I.....being a patient of the Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital Foundation Trust, do not wish the hospital to take into Safe custody the money and valuables in my possession.

I understand this means that neither the North Hampshire Hospital NHS trust nor its staff can be held responsible for any loss or damage which may be incurred

Cash/Cheque Book/Credit Cards,etc.....  
.....

Other items (eg TV).....

Ward/Department.....Date of Admission.....

Name of Patient.....  
(block capitals)  
Signature of patient.....

Name and signature of witness.....  
(member of staff)

## **Guidelines For Completion of Care Pathway.**

Anyone making an entry into the care plan must register in the front of the document  
Sign in the appropriate space to confirm the prescribed care has been delivered and  
only document a problem/variation.

It is the responsibility of the team leader to co-ordinate the care, ensuring that the  
appropriate members of the team have delivered the prescribed care and completes  
the document and/or variations.

Variances should be recorded on the communication / variance boxes

If an accident/incident occurs to the patient, the relevant documentation  
should be completed and it should be record in communication/variance box on each page.

All questions should be completed; if they are not relevant for the patient then this should be  
stated.

Item marked with an asterisk (\*), must have irrelevant information crossed out (i.e. Yes/No)

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## ACTS OF DAILY LIVING

# ADDRESSOGRAPH

<b>MOBILITY</b>	Yes	No	
Can you move and walk independently?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you use any mobility aids?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sticks, Crutches, Walking frame, Wheel-chair
<b>HYGIENE</b>	Yes	No	
Are you independent with washing and dressing?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you use any aids?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bath chair, bath board, sock aid, shoe-horn, perching stool, raised toilet seat
Comments			
<b>ELIMINATION</b>	Yes	No	
Do you have any problems with your bowels?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
When did you last have your bowels open?			
Do you take any medication for your bowels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
Do you have any problems passing urine?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you get up at night to pass urine?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	How many times?.....
Comments			

<b>NUTRITION</b>	Yes	No	
Do you have a good appetite?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Are you on any special diet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Diabetic, gluten free, low fat, low salt, Other.....
If you are a diabetic what type?	Diet, Tablet, Insulin controlled?		
Do you need any help eating or drinking?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
Do you wear dentures?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Upper <input type="checkbox"/> Lower <input type="checkbox"/>
Have you got them with you	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>COMMUNICATION</b>	Yes	No	
Do you have any problems with your eyesight?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
Do you have any problems with your hearing?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
Do you have any problems with your speech?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes what?
Any other problems with communication	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Language, Reading etc
Any other information you would like to tell us?			

ADMISSION DAY

Patients Name	Date	
<i>Nursing</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Assess Patient and complete assessment form		
Check Patch test result		
Introduce care team and discuss named nurse concept		
Check x-rays, notes, blood results, blood transfusion or G&S for theatre are present on ward		
AV impulse system explained		
Measure and fit anti-embolitic stockings ( NPT patients)		
Adequate regular medication available for discharge Yes / No*		
Discuss initial post op care		
Diets until ..... Clear fluids until.....		
Complete Braden* M&H * Must * and thrombosis assessment *		
Seen by anaesthetist Yes / No*		
Pre-medication prescribed Yes / No*		
Confirm planned discharge date .....		
Own transport available Yes / No*		
Shopping, washing, cleaning help available.		
Temporary GP arranged if required		
Ideal Chair height & Chair position..... Ideal bed height.....		
Rapid Response or Home from Hospital arranged Yes /No*		
<i>Physiotherapy</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Check chest      Gait analysis      Assess ROM		
Check use of walking aids		
<i>Occupational Therapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Discharge equipment issued Yes / No*		

Record TPR & BP		
Record pain score		

Communication / Variance
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THEATRE DAY PRE OPERATIVE

Patients Name	Date	
	Initials	Time
<i>Nursing</i>		
Administer routine drugs as directed by anaesthetist		
Check TPR and BP.		
Check Glucose levels and record if required.		
Bath / Shower.		
Anti-embolitic stockings fitted (NPT only) Yes / No*		
Prepare clean theatre bed.		
Limb marked Yes / No*		
Wedge available Yes / No*		
A.V. Boots available Yes / No*		
Bed Labelled		
Theatre Check List complete		
LMP form signed		

Communication / Variance





POST OPERATIVE DAY -ONE

<b>Patients Name</b>	<b>Date</b>	
	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
<i>Medical/ House Officer</i>		
Assess patient and review analgesia		
Assess fluid balance and need for IVI/Blood transfusion		
Order check X-ray TTO's Prescribed if required		
<i>Nursing</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Complete Braden and Moving & Handling Assessments		
Assist with hygiene/.Foot care		
Dress in Day clothes		
Normal diet and fluids		
Remove Redivac drain if insitu		
Discontinue PCA		
<i>Physiotherapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Check chest / Check circulatory exercises      Quads control Yes /No*		
Commence flexion/abduction exercise              Assisted /Active.....		
Mobilised with.....                                              Distance.....		
<i>Occupational Therapy</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Dressing Aid Review Yes /No* Flat assessment Yes /No* Equipment Yes /No		

<i>Time</i>									
Record TPR & BP									
NV state of affected limb									
Wound clean & dry									
AV impulse system									
Check venflon / IVI									
Wedge when in bed									
Record pain score									
Analgesia required									
Anti-emetic required									
Pressure area care									
Reinforce hip precautions									
Board Exercises									

Communication / Variance

POST OPERATIVE DAY TWO

<b>Patients Name</b>	<b>Date</b>	
<i>Medical House Officer</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Assess patient and review analgesia		
Complete district spell and Sick Certificate		
Check FBC's and U & E's X-Ray checked		
<i>Nursing</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
TTO's obtained if required Yes /No*		
Complete Braden and Moving & Handling Assessment		
Assist with hygiene/dressing needs /Foot care		
Normal diet and fluids		
Monkey pole removed		
Venflon removed if no start care plan		
Assess elimination problems and action		
<i>Physiotherapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Check Quads Control..... Flexion/Abduction exercise		
Mobilised with..... Distance.....		
Stairs Yes / No* Home exercise program yes / No*		
<i>Occupational Therapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Car Transfer Complete Yes /No* Flat assessment Yes /No* Equipment Yes / No*		

<i>Time</i>									
Record TPR & BP									
NV state of affected limb									
Wound clean & dry									
AV impulse system									
Record pain score									
Analgesia required									
Pressure area care									
Reinforce hip precautions									
Walking practice									
Board Exercises									

**Communication / Variance**

POST OPERATIVE DAY THREE

Patients Name	Date	
	Initials	Time
<i>Medical House Officer</i>		
Assess patient		
Assess patient and review analgesia		
Complete district spell and Sick Certificate		
<i>Nursing</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Complete Braden score and moving and handling assessment		
Encourage independence with hygiene/dressing needs/Foot Care		
Normal diet and fluids		
Assess elimination problems		
<i>Physiotherapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
Flexion/abduction exercises.....		
Mobilising with..... Distance.....		
Stairs Yes/No* Home exercise program taught Yes / No*		
<i>Occupational Therapist</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Time</i>
All assessments complete		

<i>Time</i>									
Record TPR & BP									
NV state of affected limb									
Wound clean and dry									
Abduction wedge in situ									
AV impulse system									
Record pain score									
Analgesia required									
Anti-emetic required									
Reinforce hip precautions									
Pressure area care									
Board Exercises									

Communication/Variance

AV	Arterio Venous
BP	Blood Pressure
CNS	Central Nervous System
COPD	Congestive Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
CRP	C-Reactive Protein
CVA	Cerebro Vascular Accident
CVS	Cardio Vascular System
D	Discontinued
DFIR	D Floor information room
DVT	Deep Vein Thrombosis
ECG	Electrocardiogram
ESR	Erythrocyte Sedimentation Rate
FBC	Full Blood Count
G&S	Group and Save
GP	General Practitioner
Hb	Haemoglobin Blood
INR	International Normalised Ratio
IVI	Intravenous infusion
JVP	Jugular Venous pressure
LFT	Liver Function Test
LMP	Last Menstrual period
Mi	Myocardial Infarction
MUST	Malnutrition Universal Screening Tool
MSU	Mid Stream Urine
N/A	Not Applicable
N/R	Not Required
NV	Neurovascular
OT	Occupational Therapist
PCA	Patient controlled analgesia
PE	Pulmonary Embolism
PT	Physiotherapist
RhF	Rheumatic Fever
RR	Rapid Response
SOB	Shortness of breath
TB	Tuberculosis
TCI	To Come in
THR	Total Hip Replacement
TPR	Temperature, Pulse and Respirations
TSH	Thyroid Stimulating Hormone
TTO's	To take out drugs
U's & E's	Urea & electrolyte Blood test
V	Variance

# ASSESSMENTS

# FALLS RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL (ADULT)

Likelihood Score: During admission how likely is it that one of the below will increase the risk of your patient falling ?			Assessment 1		Assessment 2		Assessment 3		Assessment 1	
a. Unlikely then score = 1 b. May fall then score = 2 c. Very likely then score = 3			Score	Score	Likelihood	Score	Likelihood	Score	Likelihood	Risk score
										<input type="text"/>
1. History of falls ( In past 12 months)	None	0		x			x			Low <input type="text"/>
	One	1		x			x			Med <input type="text"/>
	More than One	2		x			x			High <input type="text"/>
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
2. Medical Predisposition ( see opposite)	None	0		x			x			
	One	1		x			x			
	More than One	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
3. Medication ( see opposite)	None	0		x			x			
	One to Three	1		x			x			
	Four Plus	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
4. Symptoms ( see opposite )	None	0		x			x			
	One to Three	1		x			x			
	Four plus	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
5. Mobility	Walks Independently	0		x			x			
	Does not attempt to walk	0		x			x			
	Walks assisted / with aid	1		x			x			
	Holds onto furniture	1		x			x			
	Forgets, declines or uses aid badly	2		x			x			
	Unsafe transferring	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
6. Activity	House / bed / chair bound	0		x			x			
	Walks occasionally	1		x			x			
	Walks frequently	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
7. Continance	Independent / wearing appliance	0		x			x			
	Nocturia	1		x			x			
	Urgency	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
8. Mental state / Co-operation level	Good	0		x			x			
	Fair	1		x			x			
	Poor	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
9. Diabetic	No	0		x			x			
	Yes	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
10. Diet & Hydration	Normal	0		x			x			
	Poor Intake	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
11. Sensory Impairment	No	0		x			x			
	Yes	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
12. Fear of falling	No	0		x			x			
	Yes	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
13. Osteoarthritis	No	0		x			x			
	Yes	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>
14. Number of fractures	None	0		x			x			
	One	1		x			x			
	More than One	2		x			x			
(please ✓ one)										
										Sign <input type="text"/>
										Print <input type="text"/>
										Date <input type="text"/>

Assessment 1

Risk score

Low

Med

High

(please ✓ one)

Sign

Print

Date

Assessment 2

Risk score

Low

Med

High

(please ✓ one)

Sign

Print

Date

Assessment 3

Risk score

Low

Med

High

(please ✓ one)

Sign

Print

Date

Update weekly until stable.

Review immediately if patient falls or becomes confused

Risk Scores

0 - 28 LOW

29 - 56 MEDIUM

57 - 84 HIGH

# FALLS RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Step 1– Complete for all patients at risk

Box 1– Low risk criteria Score 0-28				
	Needed	Achieved	Signed	Date
Education for prevention of falls				
Leaflets				
Educate Patients: Family Friends/ Carer				
Assess patient footwear				
Assess patient environment				
Exercise Class : Balance Training Functional Movement				

## Medical Predisposition examples

Postural Hypotension  
Arrhythmia  
TIA / Stroke  
Epilepsy  
Vertigo  
Neurological Disease  
Dementia - Lewy Body  
Anxious  
Agitated  
Acute confusion  
Alcohol misuse / withdrawal  
High / low BMI score

## Other

## STEP 2 Discuss with patient and consider the following referrals:

Assessment 1 Referred		Assessment 2 Referred		Assessment 3 Referred	
Podiatry		Podiatry		Podiatry	
Occupational Therapy		Occupational Therapy		Occupational Therapy	
Dietetics		Dietetics		Dietetics	
Physiotherapy		Physiotherapy		Physiotherapy	
Audiology		Audiology		Audiology	
Ophthalmology		Ophthalmology		Ophthalmology	
Orthotics		Orthotics		Orthotics	
GP / Consultant		GP / Consultant		GP / Consultant	
Pharmacy		Pharmacy		Pharmacy	

## Medical examples

Hypnotics  
Sedatives  
Diuretics  
Anti-Hypertensives  
Some anti - depressants  
Psychotropic  
More than four medications

## Other

## STEP 3 Complete for all patients with medium to high risk score

Box 2 Medium to High risk criteria Score 29–84				
	Needed	Achieved	Signed	Date
Increased Observation				
Require 1:1 Nursing				
Special Footwear				
Low Bed				
Medication review				

## Symptom examples

Pain  
Limited joint mobility  
Muscle weakness  
Poor balance  
Giddiness  
Dyskinesia  
Impaired eyesight  
Abnormal gait  
Other

### Assessment 1

#### Refer to Social Services

Sign  
Print  
Date

### Assessment 2

#### Refer to Social Services

Sign  
Print  
Date

### Assessment 3

#### Refer to Social Services

Sign  
Print  
Date

## BRADEN SCALE ASSESSMENT

Patients Name

Braden scale risk assessment	Date	REASSESSMENTS			RATIONALE for score
<b>Sensory Perception</b> - Ability to respond meaningfully					
Completely Limited	1				
Very Limited	2				
Slightly Limited	3				
No Impairment	4				
<b>Moisture</b> - degree to which skin is exposed to moisture					
Constantly moist	1				
Very moist	2				
Occasionally moist	3				
Rarely moist	4				
<b>Activity</b> - degree of physical activity					
Bed bound	1				
Chair bound	2				
Walks occasionally	3				
Walks frequently	4				
<b>Mobility</b> - ability to change and control body position					
Completely immobile	1				
Very limited	2				
Slightly limited	3				
No limitations	4				
<b>Nutrition</b> - Usual food intake pattern					
Very poor	1				
Probably inadequate	2				
Adequate	3				
Excellent	4				
<b>Friction and Shear</b>					
Problem	1				
Potential problem	2				
No apparent problem	3				
Excellent	4				
<b>Total</b>					
Signature / Designation					

Initials	Date

**Risk Score      Mild 15-18      Moderate 12 - 14      Severe < 11**

**Braden Scale Notes on Completion**

The assessment form should be completed by a trained member or staff

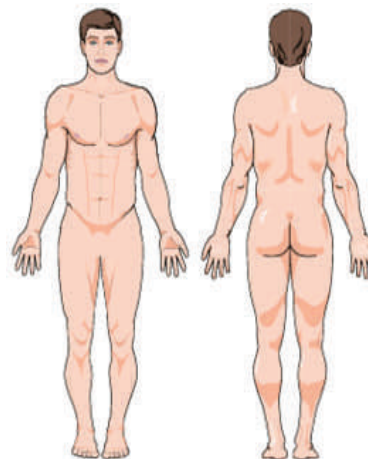
**Reassessment**

- The date should be entered at the top of the reassessment column.
- Allocate one score to each section then total at the bottom
- Carry out reassessment at least daily for first 5 days then alternate for at least the following 15 days
- Change frequency according to professional judgement
- Reassess post - operatively
- Reassess if any changes in patient condition

**Rationale**

- Enter brief account to support score.

- A = Abrasion
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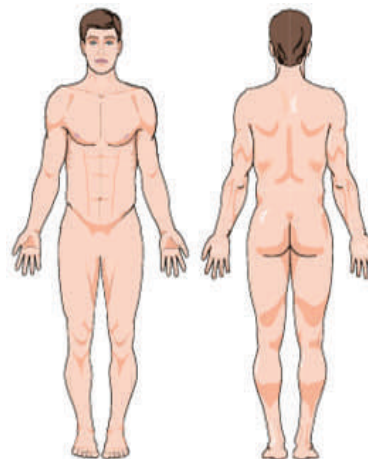
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## MALNUTRITION ASSESSMENT (ADULT)

### MALNUTRITION UNIVERSAL SCREENING TOOL

Complete for all patients (tick one of the following)

Pre-assessment clinic

Within 24 hours of admission

Initials

Date

#### Step 1

##### Calculate BMI Score

Using BMI score chart

BMI	Score
> 20	0
> 30 ( Obese )	0
18.5 - 19.9	1
< 18.5	2

#### Step 2

##### Weight Loss Score

Calculate unplanned weight loss during last 6 months

%	Score
5 %	0
5 - 10%	1
> 10%	2

#### Step 3

##### Acute Disease Score

If patient is acutely ill **AND** they have had or are likely to have no nutritional intake for more than 5days:

Yes	Score
Yes	2
No	0

#### Step 4

##### Overall Risk of Malnutrition

Add Scores

BMI Score	<input type="text"/>
Weight Loss Score	<input type="text"/>
Acute Disease Score	<input type="text"/>
Total Score	<input type="text"/>

#### Step 5

##### Score 0 = Low Risk

###### Routine Clinical Care

- Repeat screen on weekly basis during hospital admission

##### Score 1 = Medium Risk

###### Observe

- Document 3 day dietary intake
- If intake improves - no further action
- If intake remains poor - encourage regular meals& nourishing snacks / drinks between meals
- Repeat screen on weekly basis during hospital admission

##### Score 2 or more = High Risk

###### Treat and Refer\*

- Refer all patients to dietitian for assessment and advice
- Repeat screen on weekly basis during hospital admission
- Unless detrimental or no benefit expected from nutritional support (eg. imminent death)

##### All risk categories:

- Treat underlying condition and provide help and advice on food choice, eating and drinking.
- Record screen outcome on table below

##### Obesity

- For patients who are obese, the underlying condition is generally controlled before treating obesity.
- Obese patients are at risk of malnutrition and still require MUST to be completed.

#### Malnutrition Universal Screening Tool Record Chart

Complete the malnutrition screening tool once a week and document the information below:

Date	Weight or MUAC	BMI*	Step 1 Score	Step 2 Score	Step 3 Score	Step 4 Total Score	Dietitian / Nutrition support team referral	Special dietary needs	Next screen date
Example 02/02/04	45 kg	18	2	1	0	3	(Tick if referred) ✓	Diabetic	09/02/04

Document calculations for weight adjustment before BMI is calculated, e..g Oedema, Ascites, Plaster Cast, amputation

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## THROMBOSIS RISK ASSESSMENT

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Thrombosis Risk Factor Assessment :</b>	Body Weight <input style="width: 50px;" type="text"/>	AV Boots Required	YES	NO
<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	Applied	YES	NO
<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	If No - Reason: _____		
<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	_____		

<b>Initial</b>	<b>Date</b>

**Please tick (ü) all relevant boxes ( Each risk factor has a value of one ( 1 ) unless otherwise stated )**

Age 41 to 60	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leg oedema / Ulcers / Stasis	<input type="checkbox"/>
Age 61 to 70 (Score 2 )	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hormone therapy HRT / Cons. Pill (Score 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Age 70 or over (Score 3)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hypercoagulable states (SLE)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Varicose veins	<input type="checkbox"/>	Severe COAD	<input type="checkbox"/>
Obesity	<input type="checkbox"/>	Anticipated bed confinement > 72 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>
MI / CHF / AF / CVA	<input type="checkbox"/>	Previous immobilisation > 72 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>
Malignancy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Inflammatory bowel disease	<input type="checkbox"/>
History of DVT / PE (Score 3)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Previous major surgery < 3 months	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planned surgery > 2 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	Confining travel air / rail / road > 4 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recent orthopaedic surgery > 2 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pregnancy / Post partum < 1 month	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leg oedema / Ulcers / Stasis	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recent pelvic / long bone fractures	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>&lt; 1 factor = Low Risk</b>	<b>1 Factor = Medium Risk</b>	<b>&gt; 2 factors = High Risk</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No preventative measures needed</li> <li>Early ambulation required</li> <li>Re-assess if condition alters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anti - embolic stockings</li> <li>Early ambulation required</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anti - embolic stockings</li> <li>Early ambulation required</li> <li>Enoxaparin /Discuss with Med .Team</li> </ul>

**Contra - Indications**  
**Anti - Embolic Stockings**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Severe Arteriosclerosis or other ischaemic vascular disease (unless advised by a Consultant Doctor )
<input type="checkbox"/>	Patients with local leg conditions e.g. dermatitis, gangrene, recent skin graft
<input type="checkbox"/>	Excessive leg oedema or pulmonary oedema (from congestive heart failure)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extreme deformity of the legs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Thigh leg stockings should not be used if thigh circumference is greater than listed fitting instructions

**Heparin**

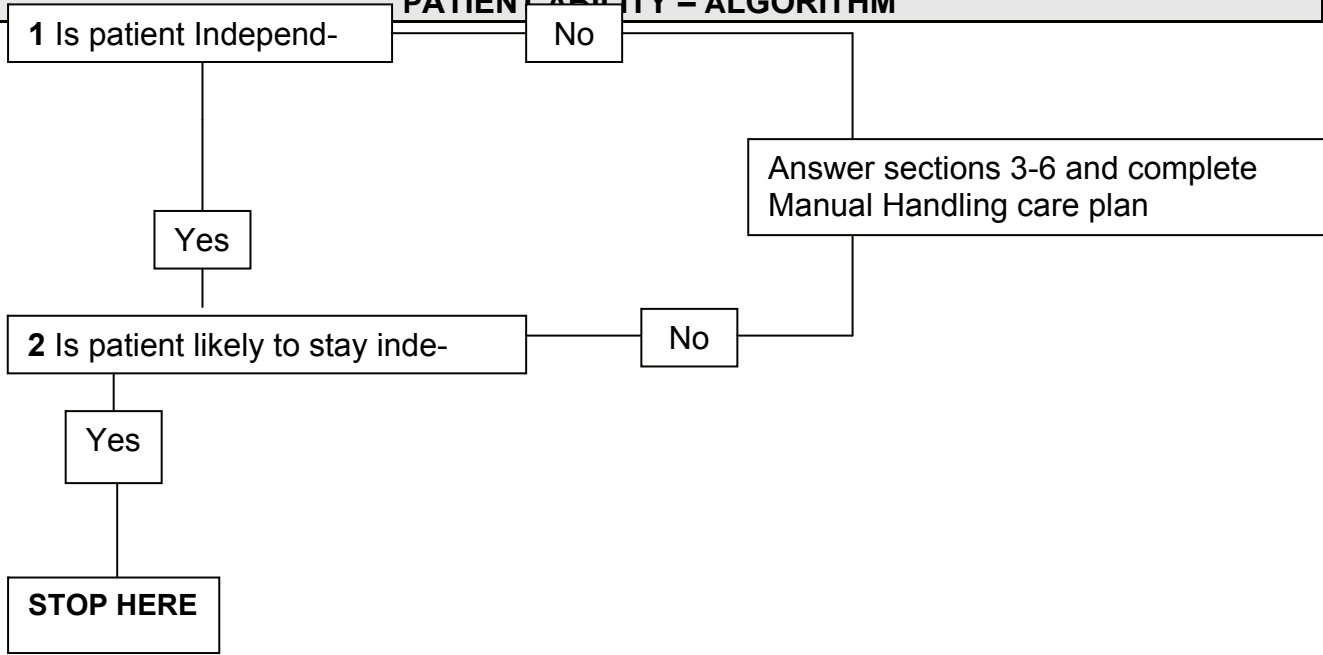
<input type="checkbox"/>	IV Heparin therapy in progress
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bleeding disorders, platelet imbalance
<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient with active GI bleed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient with history of haemorrhagic stroke
<input type="checkbox"/>	All ENT / Ophthalmology patients ( unless advised by a Consultant Doctor)

**Patient Measurements**

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Pre op / Admitting Nurse ( please circle as appropriate)  
 Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date & Time \_\_\_\_\_

<b>PATIENT DETAILS</b>			
Patient Label:	Age:	History of Falls?	Yes / No
	Weight: Kg	Mobility Aid Used? If Yes What type?	Yes/No
	BMI	Braden Score	
Diagnosis (Where Known)			
<b>PATIENT ABILITY – ALGORITHM</b>			



		Initial Assessment		Revised Assessment (1)		Revised Assessment (2)	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>3</b>	Patient aware of surrounds: may have ability to assist to some degree						
<b>4</b>	Patient able to assist in a limited way: but may be uncooperative or likely to behave unpredictably						
<b>5</b>	Patient is unable to assist in any way: may be unconscious: should be considered as a "dead weight"						
<b>6</b>	Patient is unable to assist in any way and is likely to behave unpredictably						
	Assessor's signature						
	Date and time						

		<b>Date:</b>			<b>Date:</b>		
	<b>No of Staff Re-quired</b>	<b>Equipment Required</b>	<b>Specific Manoeuvre</b>	<b>No of Staff Re-quired</b>	<b>Equipment Required</b>	<b>Specific Manoeuvre</b>	
Turning in bed							
Moving up/down bed							
Sit to Stand / Vice - versa							
Walking							
Toileting							
Bathing							
	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>	
	<b>Date:</b>			<b>Date:</b>			
	<b>No of Staff Re-quired</b>	<b>Equipment Required</b>	<b>Specific Manoeuvre</b>	<b>No of Staff Re-quired</b>	<b>Equipment Required</b>	<b>Specific Manoeuvre</b>	
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Walking							
Toileting							
Bathing							
	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>	

Date:		Date:				
	No of Staff Required	Equipment Required	Specific Manoeuvre	No of Staff Required	Equipment Required	Specific Manoeuvre
Turning in bed						
Moving up/down bed						
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Walking						
Toileting						
Bathing						
	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Signature:</b>

Sling Inspection *	Attachment	Size * (S) (M) (L) (XL)	Arjo/Liko*	Disposable/non Disposable*
Points intact	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N
Sling Free from Damage	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N
All stitching intact	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N
W/C / /	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
W/C / /	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
W/C / /	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
W/C / /	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
<b>Please initial relevant day following completion of sling inspection</b>				
(*) Delete as appropriate				

## DISCHARGE CHECK LIST

Patients Name

For Patients/ Carers	Information	Signature	Date
Written advice give to patient			
Patient care discussed with family /carer			
Family carer advised of discharge date			
Property retuned from safe	Yes / No Type:		
Patient has outdoor clothing for travelling home e.g. footwear			
House keys			
Heating turned on			
Food available			
Equipment installed in patient home			
TTO's	Information	Signature	Date
Prescription ordered /dispensed			
Patient able to administer medication			
Medication instruction discussed and understood by patient / carer			
Medication devise e g NOMAD or Dossette box NOMAD ordered..... Dossette filled by.....			
Transport			
Own transport			
Hospital transport booked	Date      Time      Type		
Transport notified patient taking equipment with them	Yes / No		
Community Services	Information	Signature	Date
District Nurse CPN referral completed Given to patient/faxed/sent/telephoned			
Dressing catheter pack and equipment provided (7 days provision)			
GP letter given / faxed/ sent / telephoned			
Care package in place or restarted			
Appointments			
Physiotherapy appointment Yes / No			
Given to patient / sent			
Community Physiotherapy required Yes /No			
Safe for discharge			
Venflon removed			
Patient / Carer Signature	Date		Time
Nurse discharging Signature	Date		Time