# **Barts and The London NHS Trust**

### MIGRAINE

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

ED admitting consultant

Inclusion Criteria1• Headache typical of patient's usual migraine1• Failed oral therapy12 hrs• Likely to be discharged within 12 hrs• CDU transfer form filled out	<u> </u>
<ul> <li>Exclusion Criteria</li> <li>Unstable vital signs</li> <li>GCS ≤ 14</li> <li>Diagnosis unclear</li> <li>New / focal neurological deficits not present with previous migrain</li> <li>Major co-morbidity requiring in-patient admission</li> </ul>	nes
<ul> <li>Investigations only if clinically indicated</li> <li>Management <ul> <li>Antiemetic as required</li> <li>Oral analgesia as required</li> <li>Chlorpromazine 12.5-25mg IV in N/Saline 500mls over 30 min</li> <li>If considering triptan / ergotamine, seek advice from consultant</li> <li>IV fluids only if failed oral rehydration / clinically dehydrated</li> <li>To be reviewed by Dr at hrs</li> </ul> </li> <li>Notify Medical Staff if: <ul> <li>Temp &gt; 38C</li> <li>HR &lt; 60 or &gt; 120</li> <li>RR &lt; 8 or &gt; 20</li> <li>Systolic BP &lt; 100 or &gt; 180</li> <li>Oxygen saturation &lt; 92% on air</li> <li>GCS drop by 1 point or more</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<ul> <li><u>Refer if</u>:</li> <li>Symptoms uncontrolled with oral medication</li> <li>Neurological deficit not resolving</li> <li>Development of new neurological deficit or impaired conscious stated</li> </ul>	ate

# **Discharge only if:**

• Symptoms resolving

•	Normal vital signs	
•	Can eat / drink normally	
•	Normal mobility	
•	Adequate home supports	
•	Discharge medications arranged	
•	Discharge letter completed	

#### **Referral / Consultation**

In-patient team:

Team	Bleep
Time referred	Time seen

Fast Response Team:

Social Work
Physiotherapy
Occupational Therapy

Time referred \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for referral:

Time seen \_\_\_\_\_

## ROYAL LONDON HOSPITAL CLINICAL DECISION UNIT

### **MIGRAINE DISCHARGE SUMMARY**

Pt Sticker

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Dr \_\_\_\_\_

Your patient was admitted into the Clinical Decision Unit following a presentation to the Emergency Department with a migraine.

Tick as appropriate:

Your patient had the following investigations:

Your patient had the following management:

- □ Oral analgesia
- □ IV antiemetic /Oral
- □ rpromazineIV chlo
- $\Box$  :Other medications

Your patient was observed in the CDU and discharged with the following:

- $\Box$  TTA medications:
- Out-patient referral to the \_\_\_\_\_ team (Your patient will be contacted by the Out-Patient Department)
- Advice to contact yourself or the Emergency Department should there be any further problems

Thank you

Signed	Name	Grade
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