

L7 DAY CASE Tonsillectomy & Adenoidectomy Discharge

Pro-forma (MGG approved April 2019)

Patient attends pre-op assessment clinic

Nurse completes admission and patient details overleaf and places in the pharmacy tray in the work room on level 7 day case. **If surgery date is within 2 working days please BLEEP pharmacy team !**



Pharmacist collect pro-forma and complete suggested doses . This is then checked by a second pharmacist. It is then scanned and saved on pharmacy drive.

The original is then place in the drug chart that is inside the patients notes. (work room level 7)



When the surgeons attend to obtain consent for the patient on the day of operation they will review the doses pharmacy have recommended. The Surgeon will then sign the form and hand to the nurse looking after the patient.

If tonsillectomy is to be by coblation method, the Surgeon is to cross off morphine from order (Nurse to check this has occurred). If any other amendments (apart from morphine) the nurse will contact a pharmacist to re-screen.

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If there are no amendments then the signed pro-forma will be photocopied by the nurse .

- Original sent to pharmacy level 3 (pod 4033) to process
- Photocopy put in notes for surgeon to use when writing the discharge summary



Main pharmacy: log onto PTS tracker as "TTO order sheet ". Process sheet and send medication to the ward. Keeping the signed original in pharmacy. There is a photo copy on ward and TTO will be written.



Discharge from ward

Ideally pharmacy should be paged to screen completed TTO in normal working hours.

Nurse can use signed copy of TTO to perform a nurse led discharge.

If there is a discrepancy between the TTO and labelled drugs this should be discussed with the prescriber and a pharmacist.

Drug to be supplied as discharge:

Tonsillectomy done by coblation

Paracetamol, Ibuprofen and Benzylamine spray.

NOT for routine morphine supply.

Tonsillectomy & Adenoidectomy by other method

Paracetamol, Ibuprofen, Morphine and Benzylamine spray.

Adenoidectomy (without tonsillectomy)

No analgesic medication to be supplied by the trust

Carers/parents to use over the counter Paracetamol and Ibuprofen.

Antibiotics

An antibiotic will be provided for patient if indicated (but not routinely) .

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**TTO MUST BE WRITTEN
ON MEDWAY SYSTEM**

Patient details / affix sticker USE sticker with address please due to Oramorph being treated as CD drug within trust	WEIGHT (KG) HEIGHT (CM)	Admission details Pre-clerking Nurse: Date of pre-clerking assessment: Planned date of procedure: Consultant Surgeon Planned procedure: <input type="checkbox"/> Tonsillectomy <input type="checkbox"/> Adenoidectomy <input type="checkbox"/> Procedure to be done by coblation
Allergies:		

RACH Level 7 day case surgical
Pharmacy cost code: Paediatric ENT

Oral medication	Formulation	Dose (in mg & mls)	Frequency	Duration	QTY	Dispense status	Disp / Checked	Cal checks
Paracetamol 15mg/kg			4-6hr MAX- FOUR times a day as required for pain	Regularly for first 10/7 then review		To disp	/	1. 2. 3.
Ibuprofen 7.5mg/kg			FOUR time a day as required for pain	Regularly for first week then review		To disp	/	1. 2. 3.
Morphine Sulphate 150 micrograms/kg	10mg/5mL oral solu- tion Oramorph		Maximum of 4 hourly as required (4 doses Max per 24hr)	Up to 5 days	WORDS AND FIGURES	To disp	/	1. 2. 3.
Benzydamine One spray per 4 kg MAX 4 every 1.5 to 3 hours	0.15% w/v spray		Every 1.5 to 3 hours as required for pain	Best used 5 mins before eating (Be careful with hot food)	1op	TTO PACK (FROM WARD)	/	
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	Signature / Print name	2nd check Sig / Print name	Date	Bleep no. /Ext.
Pharmacist Screen				8694 / 8026 / 8259 / 8955
Prescriber		Print Name (prescriber)		

All medication prescribed must be reviewed and signed by a doctor before sending to pharmacy.

Alterations by prescriber to be rescreened by pharmacist before sending to pharmacy

Morphine dose may need to be reduced in complex patients.

Affix Pharmacy Tracking label here