

Limping Child Discharge Plan

Paediatric A&E Department



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Your child has been seen today with a limp. No serious cause has been detected today, so your child has been discharged.

We advise that your child should be allowed to continue their normal activities, and that they should be given pain relief such as paracetamol or ibuprofen as required.

Usually, we would expect the pain and limp to settle down within a week or so.

If any of the following occur, you should bring your child back to Paediatric A&E:

- Ongoing or worsening pain
- Pain waking the child at night
- Increased swelling, redness or temperature of a limb or joint
- High temperature
- Inability of the child to put any weight on the limb
- Unexplained rashes or bruising

Further Information

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Further Information

We endeavour to provide an excellent service at all times, but should you have any concerns please, in the first instance, raise these with the Matron, Senior Nurse or Manager on duty.

If they cannot resolve your concern, please contact our Patient Experience Team on 01932 723553 or email asp-tr.patient.advice@nhs.net. If you remain concerned, the team can also advise upon how to make a formal complaint.

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