

Critical Care 2019: Urinary catheterization in trauma and orthopedic patients- Sarah Shammout- University of Birmingham**Sarah Shammout***University of Birmingham***Abstract:**

The use of urinary catheterization in neck of femur fracture patients is often debated as common best practice to manage and appropriate fluid assessment. Routine catheterization increases the risk bacteraemia, genitourinary injury, worsening mobility, risk of pressure sores and predisposition to delirium and falls. There is a need for increased awareness of urinary catheterization management in conjunction with healthcare-associated infections. NHS improvement has issued a letter aiming to half healthcare-associated Gram-negative bacteraemia, the majority of which is catheter-related. This project aims to identify barriers to safe catheter care in the orthopaedic population by determining if management of urinary catheters is compliant with NICE quality standards (QS61). Introduction: Appropriate perioperative care can help manage the associated risk of neck of femur fractures. The British Hip Society and British Orthopaedic Association have provided little guidance on postoperative care and risk management. Appropriate catheter care will improve overall patient care but reducing mortality and associated morbidity by shortening stay by early mobilization and management of complications. Method: All catheterized trauma and orthopaedic patients in a district general hospital over one month (February) were included 67% of which had sustained neck of femur fractures. Data from nursing and doctors' records on the following parameters were collected: Demographics, the reason of admission, indication/location for catheterization and responsible clinician; the number of days

catheterized, the reason for the retention of catheterization and management of suspected/confirmed catheter-related infection. Data were collected in April following the implementation. Intervention: A urinary care pathway was launched based on the Houdini algorithm and educational seminars for medical and nursing staff were conducted. Results: Mean age of patients was 78. Initial data was suggestive of poor documentation and prolonged, inappropriate retention of urinary catheterization and not in accordance with current guidance. Data was recollected in April after the launch of the pathway; data was indicative of marginal improvement of catheter care management, reduced time of catheter retention, improved documentation likelihood of review. Conclusion: Incorporating a catheter care pathway in managing orthopaedic patients has shown improvement in the overall documentation and management of urinary catheterization. Despite this improvement demonstrated, implementation of the pathway is still substandard. This pathway will be incorporated into an innovative integrated neck of femur pathway in June.

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Intense consideration medical procedure is a strength resulting from the interest for specialists with expansive skill in overseeing injury, crisis general medical procedure and careful basic care.¹ The assorted preparing and experience of the intense consideration specialist are viewed as principal for essential administration of harmed patients. In spite of the fact that in numerous European nations' injury specialists are capable in both general and orthopaedic traumatology, in the USA intense consideration specialists and

orthopaedic specialist's commonage injury patients with fractures. Local practice examples and capacity may take into consideration intense consideration specialists to perform primer administration of cracks including wastes of time, bracing, decreases and outside obsessions, yet this isn't required to be the standard. American orthopaedic specialists have logical and experiential information on crack consideration that is just aged following quite a while of concentrated preparing and experience. Regardless, so as to encourage the board of various framework harmed patients, intense consideration specialists need recognition with the rules that control ideal crack administration and lead to break recuperating with negligible entanglements. Likewise, intense consideration specialists are all the more every now and again overseeing complex rib and sternal cracks with open decrease and inward obsession. Ideal break the executives' standards apply to chest divider wounds also.

Extremity compartment syndrome condition happens when raised weight inside a muscle compartment causes diminished hair like perfusion and pressure of the venules. This at last prompts abatement in blood vessel stream and whenever left untreated will bring about muscle rot and nerve degeneration, with the chance of rhabdomyolysis. Furthest point compartment disorder is frequently identified with injury. Compartment condition may happen with or without a going with break in a wide assortment of clinical situations in any furthest point. The term and measure of weight straightforwardly correspond with the degree of irreversible tissue misfortune and in this way a low limit for doubt and early usable mediation is principal.

Trauma and orthopaedic specialists analyse and treat a wide scope of states of the musculoskeletal framework. This incorporates bones and joints and

their related structures that empower development
- tendons, ligaments, muscles and nerves. Injury
and orthopaedic medical procedure is regularly
curtailed to T&O medical procedure.