

Acute Services Division**V Emergency Department**

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Dear Doctor

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The above patient attended the V Emergency Department on 17/11/2025 at 09:45. I outline below some information regarding this attendance.

Present Complaint: R HAND INJ- R HIP INJ- FALL

Diagnosis:			
Description	Body Site	Laterality	Comments
ED injury - Bone and joint - Closed fracture	Wrist	Right	Clinical right scaphoid

Investigation(s)/Treatment(s):

Medication(s):

Additional Notes (for GP):
D Whitehall ST6 (EM)

PC:

Fall from roof

HPC: fell yesterday from roof which gave way, around 20-25ft. Was wearing a safety harness but buckle gave way, estimated to have fallen around 15ft. Landed on concrete on right side. Reports right arm/hand broke fall but landed on R hip. Was not wearing helmet but denies hitting head, denies any subsequent head or neck pain.

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Able to recall sequence of events, no LOC.

A - Penicillin, ibuprofen (asthma)
 M - As per ECS. Not anticoagulated.
 P - Asthma/emphysema (cannabis smoker)
 L - Unknown
 E - As per HPC

Primary survey:

<c> - no head or neck tenderness

A - patent

B - no visible chest deformity, contusions, flail segment or penetrating injury. Air entry equal. RR 18

C - warm, well perfused, central and capillary refill >2s, HR 62 regular, BP 149/85, HS I+II+0

D - GCS 15, weakness in right hand, tingling in right wrist/hand

E -
 no obvious deformity in the right wrist, tender to palpate medial and lateral aspects of wrist, tender to palpate over middle finger, forearm tenderness.

Reduced ROM in R hand and wrist, unable to flex/extend fingers, pain in supination/pronation

Pain on thumb telescoping, anatomical snuffbox and over scaphoid.

tingling/parasthesias over C8/T1, over right middle finger and ulnar aspect of anterior forearm.

No vascular compromise.

Normal ROM in the elbow

Normal ROM in shoulder.

Imp: ?scaphoid fracture, ?fracture in forearm

Plan: imaging of R radius, ulnar, wrist, hand and scaphoid views.

XR pelvis + forearm rt + hand rt - No fractures seen

XR scaphoid rt - No scaphoid fracture seen.

Imp:

Clinical scaphoid fracture

Else no acute significant traumatic injury

Plan:

1) Wrist splint with thumb extension

2) Home

-scaphoid clinic follow up (given info sheet)

-regular simple analgesia

-worsening advice

Senior Review:

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Senior Review Comments:

Yours sincerely
Dr Daryl Whitehall ST6