



Condition	Management	Disposal
Pelvic Illiac Wing	- ATLS if significant mechanism - Analgesia	- Referral to Orthopaedics (TTL if significant mechanism) - Consider CT imaging
Isolated pubic rami fracture	- Analgesia	 If FWB/PWB consider discharge with analgesia +/- Rapid Response Referral NWB or medical/social concerns - refer to medical team No orthopaedic follow up required
Dislocated prosthetic/native hip	ATLS if significant mechanismAnalgesiaConsider periprosthetic fracture	- Refer to Orthpaedics
Periprosthetic Fracture	AnalgesiaIV fluidsBloods/ECGConsider FIB/ femoral nerve block	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Fractured neck of femur	AnalgesiaIV fluidsO2 if neededECG/bloodsConsider FIB	Refer to Orthpaedics
Traumatic hip pain, NWB or concerning features	- Analgesia - CT scan	 If # identified - Orthopaedic referral If no # & still NWB - medical referral If no # & now FWB/PWB- discharge +\- rapid response referral
Femoral shaft fracture	 ATLS approach 2 large bore cannulae IV fluids Analgesia Femoral Nerve Block 	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Supracondylar fracture	 ATLS approach 2 large bore cannulae IV fluids Analgesia Femoral Nerve Block Cylindrical cast 	Refer to Orthopaedics



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Dislocated patella	 Entonox/ Analgesia Straighten leg into full extension Reduce patella Check SLR X-ray if first time Cricket Pad Splint VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- Virtual Fracture Clinic follow up
Fractured patella	AnalgesiaCylinder POP/ Cricket pad splintVTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	- Undisplaced - VFC follow up - Displaced/horizontal - refer to Orthopaedics
Intercondylar tibial avulsion	- Cricket pad splint	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Significant ligamentous knee injury	X-rayCricket Pad SplintCrutchesPWB	-Refer to Orthopaedics
Isolated ?Single ligamentous injury	 X-ray Cricket Pad Splint Crutches PWB VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- VFC follow up
Significant knee STI without clear ligament problem	 Analgesia Crutches Cricket Pad Splint/Wool & Crepe if needed VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- Physiotherapy follow up
Tense haemarthrosis/ lipohaemarthrosis (post-trauma)	- Analgesia	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Tibial plateau fracture	AnalgesiaFull length cylindrical cast/ backslabNEB	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Fibula head fracture	 Analgesia Consider ankle x-ray Check for foot drop Cricket Pad splint Crutches PWB VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- VFC follow up
Quadriceps/ Patella tendon rupture	- Cricket Pad Splint	- Refer to Orthopaedics



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Fibula shaft fracture	 Analgesia Splint if needed Crutches PWB VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- VFC follow up
Tibial shaft fracture	IV AnalgesiaFull leg backslabStraighten if angulated/displaced	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Fracture Dislocation of ankle	 IV Opioid/Entonox +/- sedation Reduction prior to x-ray Backslab with stirrups X-ray once recovered 	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Weber A ankle fracture	 Analgesia Consider splint/air cast boot Crutches Weight bearing as pain allows VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- Discharge with advice leaflet
Weber B ankle fracture	 Analgesia Below knee backslab Crutches Lower Leg NWB VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	 VFC follow up Refer to Orthopaedics if talus shift or medial tenderness
Weber C ankle fracture	- Analgesia - Below knee backslab	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Isolated medial malleolus fracture	 Assess for proximal fibula fracture Backslab/ Aircast boot Crutches VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- VFC follow up
Ankle Sprain	If weight bearing - Analgesia If not weight bearing - Analgesia - Crutches - Splint/ Aircast boot if severe - VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	- Discharge with advice - Physiotherapy follow up
Talus fracture	- Below knee backslab	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Intra-articulate distal tibia fracture (pilon#)	- Above knee backslab - Analgesia	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Calcaneal fracture	- Analgesia - Below knee backslab	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Achilles' tendon rupture	Consider urgent ultrasoundEquinus BK backslab/ wedged bootVTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	Refer to Orthopaedics for trauma meeting
Avulsion injuries to foot/ ankle	- Treat as STI	Treat as STI





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Lisfranc fracture	- Analgesia - Wool & Crepe	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Base of 5th metatarsal fractures	Equalizer bootCrutches if severeAnalgesiaVTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	- Advice leaflet
5th metatarsal beck/ shaft fractures	Equalizer bootCrutches if severeAnalgesiaVTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	- VFC follow up
Other isolated undisplaced metatarsal fractures	Equalizer bootCrutches if severeAnalgesiaVTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis	- VFC follow up
Multiple metatarsal fractures/ crushed foot/ high energy injury	- Padded wool & crepe - Analgesia	- Refer to Orthopaedics
Big toe fractures/ dislocations	 Reduce if dislocated Toe Spica +\- Crutches Analgesia VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- VFC follow up
Other toe fractures/ dislocations	 No X-ray unless deformed MUA if needed Neighbour strap VTE risk assessment +/- prophylaxis 	- Discharge with advice leaflet