



UCP Service

Please call the UCP service to arrange a visit for your patient with minor injuries or related concerns. You might like to consider calling the UCP desk as an alternative to calling 999 in some circumstances where your patient has minor injuries but is not an emergency. Urgent Care Practitioners (UCPs) can assess your patient as below.



Musculoskeletal assessments of joints.



Witnessed and unwitnessed falls without obvious fractures or obvious and severe hip pain. Conscious and alert as normal.



Muscular back pain.



Will treat underlying minor illness' that have caused the injury such as UTI causing a fall.



Head injuries with or without wounds, not on anti coagu-



Glue, steristrips and suturing for skin tears and wounds.

UCPs can provide a range of drugs to include antibiotics and analgesia, and are able to arrange a direct admission to a ward where appropriate.

Please ensure that your patient does not require an emergency ambulance through 999 for life threatening injuries, and please call the UCP desk for advice if unsure otherwise.

UCP Desk 0300 330 0275 between 07.00 and 02.00.

For any issues in referring please email ucpreferralfeedback@yas.nhs.uk