

Deep Venous Thrombosis Not Diagnosed

Sticky Label

Patient Information

Date:

Doctor:

You have been given this information letter because your doctor in the Accident and Emergency Department (A&E) has decided that you do not have a deep venous thrombosis (blood clot) in your leg

You may have had an ultrasound of your leg, or the condition may have been excluded on the basis of a blood test and examination

If you develop any of the following symptoms then you should see a doctor again immediately

- Your leg becomes more swollen, red or painful
- Shortness of breath
- Chest pain
- Cough, especially with blood in the sputum

You should come directly to the Emergency Department if you have any of these symptoms. Bring this information sheet with you, along with a list of any medications you are currently taking

Follow-up

Regardless of the above symptoms, you will need to be seen by a doctor for a follow-up assessment in about one week's time

If you have not had an appointment made to see us in our A&E review clinic, then you will need to make an appointment to see your GP

Your doctor may have decided to perform a repeat ultrasound in about one week's time. If so, you should have an appointment for the procedure, and to see a doctor in A&E afterwards

Doctor's Signature