

Supplementary Online Content

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Patient admitted to SICU if one of the following was present:
Abnormal neurologic exam (focal neurologic exam, abnormal, pupillary exam, GCS \leq 12)
Takes Coumadin, Aspirin, or Plavix, or has an underlying coagulopathy
Displaced skull fracture
Subdural hematoma \geq 8 mm
Epidural hematoma \geq 8 mm
Intraparenchymal hematoma \geq 8 mm, multiple locations (3 or more)
Scattered subarachnoid hemorrhage
Intraventricular hemorrhage
Attending physician discretion
Patient admitted to a monitored floor bed if all of the following were present:
Normal neurologic exam
Does not take Coumadin, Aspirin, or Plavix and has no underlying coagulopathy
Does not have a skull fracture or has a non-displaced skull fracture
Any one of the following: Subdural hematoma 5-7 mm Epidural hematoma 5-7 mm Intraparenchymal hematoma 5-7 mm Intraparenchymal hematoma in 2 locations Localized subarachnoid hemorrhage
No intraventricular hemorrhage
Attending physician discretion
Patient admitted to a floor bed for observation if all of the following are present:
Normal neurologic exam
Not intoxicated
Does not take Coumadin, Aspirin, or Plavix and has no underlying coagulopathy
Does not have a skull fracture
No subdural hematoma or subdural hematoma \leq 4 mm
Epidural hematoma or epidural hematoma \leq 4 mm
No intraparenchymal hemorrhage or intraparenchymal hemorrhage \leq 4 mm or in 1 location
No subarachnoid hemorrhage or trace subarachnoid hemorrhage
No intraventricular hemorrhage
Attending physician discretion

Adapted from the Brain Injury Guidelines