

Pediatric Testicular Pain Protocol

1. If a pediatric patient with testicular pain cannot be placed in the Pediatric Emergency Department immediately, contact the Pediatric Emergency Department Physician to rapidly evaluate the patient and initiate the protocol.
2. Obtain orders for pain medications from the Pediatric Emergency Physician
3. Have the unit support order a STAT testicular ultrasound, ensuring that the “on-call” ultrasound technologist is contacted, if necessary.
4. Obtain a “clean catch” urine specimen from the patient, remembering to have the patient use the towlettes for cleaning prior to voiding.
5. If the ultrasound is performed prior to the patient being placed in a room in the Pediatric Emergency Department, notify the Pediatric Emergency Physician when the patient has returned from ultrasound to ensure a prompt review of the ultrasound results.

Physician Signature

Date & Time

() Verbal order obtained and RBO. _____
RN Signature *Date & Time*