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Subject Matter. DVTs in Fracture Patients Presenting in the A&E Dept.

Dear Chris,

Following your letter on this topic dated 16.6.04. the matter has been discussed with our Junior Staff. It has been decided that any patient who presents in your department who is undergoing active treatment and presents with symptoms and signs of DVT that the responsibility for treatment of these patients remains with the Orthopaedic Department. The Orthopaedic Department in turn can refer to the on call Medical Team if they feel this is necessary.

I hope this clears up this problem. Thank you for bringing it to our attention.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Mullan'.

G.B. Mullan, F.R.C.S.
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