

## PHYSICIAN'S PROCEDURE NOTE



**CULLMAN**  
REGIONAL

NAME:  
ROOM NO:  
(ADDRESS)  
HOSP. NO.  
PHYSICIAN

Another brand of drug identical in form and content may be dispensed unless checked. ☐

### LOWER EXTREMITY NERVE BLOCK OPERATIVE PROCEDURE NOTE

( ☐ Femoral    ☐ Popliteal    ☐ Saphenous)

LEFT      RIGHT

☐ SINGLE INJECTION    ☐ CONTINUOUS CATHETER

PHYSICIAN: ☐ Robin Hall, M.D.    ☐ Peter Crisologo    ☐ Eric Bray, M.D.    ☐ G. Keith Morton, M.D.

☐ (other) \_\_\_\_\_ M.D.

**DISCUSSION:** The risks, benefits, and alternatives of postop analgesia were discussed with the patient/caregiver. It was agreed to proceed with a regional nerve block for postop pain management.

**LOCATION:** ☐ Pre-Op Holding    ☐ PACU    ☐ OR# \_\_\_\_\_

**PROCEDURE:** A peripheral nerve block was done under usual, sterile conditions with ultrasound guidance. The patient was placed in the proper position. The patient was then sedated with Midazolam \_\_\_\_ mg.

☐ After a duraprep skin prep and lidocaine 1% skin infiltration, a Pajunk 80mm/Tuohy 22G was inserted with in plane ultrasound guidance. No paresthesias were noted upon locating the nerve. At this point, Bupivacaine 0.5% with epinephrine \_\_\_\_ ml was injected under direct visualization with ultrasound. There was a negative aspiration every 2 ml/5ml. Neither pain nor pressure was noted during injection. The procedure was tolerated well.

☐ After sterile prepping, draping, and lidocaine 1% infiltration, a B-Braun Contiplex Tuohy needle was inserted in plane with ultrasound guidance. No paresthesias were noted upon locating the nerve. At this point, Bupivacaine 0.5% with epinephrine \_\_\_\_ ml was injected under direct visualization with ultrasound. There was a negative aspiration every 5 ml. Neither pain nor pressure was noted during injection. A B-Braun epidural catheter was inserted through the Contiplex Tuohy needle 2 cm beyond the needle tip. This was then secured with Mastisol and Tegaderm. The procedure was tolerated well. The patient will be discharged home with an On-Q Select-A-Flow pump filled with Bupivacaine 0.125% for a total of 400 ml. The patient and caregiver will be instructed on how and when to start the pump at 4 ml/2ml per hour. Prior to leaving the facility, they will also be given complete instructions on maintaining the pump and discontinuing the catheter. In addition, they will have my cell phone number for any questions with the pump.

☐ Patella/foot twitch was obtained with the nerve stimulator at 0.7 milliAmps.

☐ Catheter was tunneled for 3 cm and properly secured

**MD Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date & Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Physician's Orders**

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