

Patient Discharge Summary

Patient Name: John Doe

Date of Birth: January 1, 1980

Admission Date: October 1, 2023

Discharge Date: October 10, 2023

Diagnosis: Acute appendicitis

Summary of Care

The patient was admitted for acute appendicitis and successfully underwent an appendectomy. The surgery was performed on October 2, 2023, with no complications.

Medications at Discharge

- Ibuprofen 600 mg - Take every 8 hours as needed for pain.
- Antibiotic (e.g., Amoxicillin) - Take as directed.

Follow-up Instructions

The patient is advised to follow up with their primary care physician in one week. The patient should monitor the surgical site for any signs of infection such as redness or discharge.

Important Signs and Symptoms

The patient should seek immediate medical attention if they experience:

- Severe abdominal pain
- Fever above 101degF
- Persistent vomiting

Contact Information

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (555) 123-4567.

Physician's Signature: Dr. Jane Smith

Date: October 10, 2023