

Appendix 9

MR. Fee.

Enclosed is my account of what
happened on the night of the 12th April
I hope it is of some help to
you

S/P B Swift
Children's Hand.

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Wednesday 12/4/00
Night Duty.

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7.45 - Report.

Told by S/N M^cDonnell of Lucy Crawford
admission.

8.20 Approx: - Went to Treatment Room Inside was
S/N M Burns Dr Malik Mr. + Mrs
Crawford Lucy I introduced myself
to the parents and S/N Burns left.
Dr Malik found a small vein in
Lucy's (L) foot and inserted a venflon
He obtained a blood sample and flushed
the venflon with Hysol at this time the vein
collapsed it was then removed as it was
not acceptable for I.V. fluids access.

I remained in the Treatment Room with Mrs Crawford
and Lucy as Dr Malik went to phone Dr O'Donnell
and asked him to come to the ward.
Lucy was given orange juice in a cup Approx 80ml
Lucy passed urine into a specimen bag and a
sample was tested by myself which had protein
and ketones. The rest of the urine was placed
into a white top container and was left ready
to be sent to the Lab. I done Lucy Temp.
and it was still high so I gave her P.R
Paracetamol 120mg in the presence of her Mother.
Dr O'Donnell came to the ward - He requested
Elma cream he applied to both Lucy hands which
I did. While we waited for the cream to
work I made up a drink of Dextalyte and gave
Lucy 100mls which she drank. She asked for her
during which her Mother gave her.

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Dr O'Donoghue then inserted a syringe into Lucy's hand
and flushed it with Heparin. I connected the I.V. line
and I was instructed by Dr O'Donoghue to run the
fluids at 100 ml per hr. until Lucy has passed urine.
In the presence of Dr O'Donoghue Dr Malik myself
Mrs Crawford and Lucy I connected the line to
the drip chamber and took Lucy and Mrs Crawford
to Cubicle 6 Medical side. Lucy voided + + + bile
coloured fluid, she remained sleepy but her temp
settled. Mr Crawford and Lucy's sister then came into
the cubicle. This was approx 10.45 PM and after
this point I had no direct contact with Lucy.

After this I attended to the other
patients on the ward.

At approx 2.45 AM I was attending another patient
with S/N Mr Mann. SA Edmondson came into the ward
and came to speak to us in the side-room.
E/N Mr Caffrey came and told us Lucy had a
large bowel motion. S/N Mr Mann SA Edmondson
and E/N Mr Caffrey went to assist Lucy and her
mother. Lucy was then moved into a side-room.
Approx 2.50 AM I was still in the side-room
when E/N Mr Caffrey called for help. S/N Mr Mann,
SA Jones went to their assistance.

The patient I was with had settled so I came
out to attend to the other patients.

I seen the emergency trolley been pushed down
the ward so I followed. As I reached the
door of the side-room Mrs Crawford asked me
to join her husband which I did.
I let Mr Crawford and his daughter into the
ward. SA Edmondson also entered the ward and
attended the Crawford family.

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Lucy's sister phoned and later her grand parents
came to the ward.

In the meantime I continued to attend the other
patients.

Lucy's sister felt faint I took her to the day
room I gave her a glass of water and
sat her down by the window.

Her grand parents were in attendance

At this point I continued to attend the rest
of the ward.

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