

**DIALYSIS CLINIC**

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DATE OF CLINIC

10th November 1994

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11th November 1994

Dr. Scott  
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Dear Dr. Scott

RE: ADAM STRAIN

DOB 04.08.91

Adam was up at the Dialysis Clinic today. Everything seems to be going smoothly with his five days a week home dialysis. He is on a Pac X automatic cyclor. He has eight cycles at night, 300ml volume and we are happy with the control of his renal disease.

His mum drew attention to the fact that he does tend to have a bit of genu valgum this morning and I have x-rayed his hips and knees to see if there is any evidence of renal osteodystrophy. His serum calcium has been on the low side and we recently increased his dose of One-Alpha. If there is any evidence of changes in his bones I will increase this further but there is always the danger of overshooting and causing hypercalcaemia. I will let you know in due course.

The only other changes to his treatment we have made is to increase his tube feeds so that he is getting more Nutrizon and therefore more protein. There does to be some protein loss from peritoneal dialysis and this should counteract the effect.

Yours sincerely,

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Consultant Paediatric Nephrologist

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