

Entry 8. Sondra Griffith's Medical Record-1 of 2

DESCRIBE INJURY (WHEN, WHERE, & HOW) OR ILLNESS:

Throat hurts and slight erythema

ALLERGIES:

N/A

PREV. TETANUS DATE N/A			GIVEN THIS VISIT? No			HEIGHT 5' 7"	WEIGHT 107	LMP _____
TIME 10:35P.M.	TEMP. 98	PULSE 89	RESP.	BLOOD PRESSURE 110/73	I.V.S.			
MEDICATIONS TAKEN: None								
MEDICATIONS GIVEN: Recommend ibuprofen or aspirin for pain to be taken as directed on bottle.								
HISTORY & PHYSICAL FINDINGS: Saw Patient on 7/23/XX at 2235 hr. Patient upset and had been crying. Pt. states that her husband, Samuel Griffith, attacked her. Pt. states, "He grabbed me with both hands on my neck and squeezed hard." Pt says that she begged him to stop and he kept yelling at her that she should stop "bitching about how he spent." She reports "felt dizzy and thought I was going to pass out." She said that "once before he slapped me in the face when we argued about money." Pt states that husband finally stopped strangling her. Husband told her: "I'll kill you if she ever tell anyone I abused you in any way." Husband left and Pt went to neighbor Levi's house. Pt's complaint is that her "throat really hurts." Examined neck and slight erythema (too minor to photograph). But no lesions and palpation yields no sign of serious injury. Pt's voice is hoarse and she states, "It's difficult to swallow." Sent Pt for X-ray.								
TREATMENT & ORDERS: Further spoke with Pt. Asked her to contact Ruston PD and report the domestic violence. Pt. refuses. She states that her husband will calm down. X-ray returned and no sign of injury. Advised Pt again to call police. Told her that she would likely show bruising and to call if pain persists after 3 or 4 days.								
BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL BY: Car - Friend Varda Levi accompanied her.			ACCOUNT NO. 343336		ADMIT DATE N/A		ADMIT TIME N/A	
DISPOSITION & CONDITION ON DISCHARGE: Satisfactory			ADMIT DIAGNOSIS				RM - BED	
PATIENT NAME (LAST, FIRST, MI) Sondra Griffith								

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DIAGNOSTIC IMPRESSION: Slight injury to larynx cartilage from reported strangulation by husband	STREET ADDRESS 4187 Alter Street				
	CITY, STATE Ruston, Major	ZIP 98102	PHONE 206-328-5110		
NURSE (SIGNATURE) Anne Baldwing	RELIGION	PHYSICIAN Dr. Clancy Lark			
	DIET 4	COND. 1	AGE 51	SEX F	BIRTH DATE 5/23/20XX-51
PHYSICIAN (SIGNATURE) <i>Karen Welby</i>	NEAREST RELATIVE Kathleen Brenneman				
	STREET ADDRESS 1200 E. Allison				
EMERGENCY ROOM REPORT RUSTON MEDICAL CENTER	CITY, STATE, ZIP Ruston, Major 98112			PHONE 206-555-3245	
	GUARANTOR NAME			PHONE	
	EMPLOYER & CITY Shepard Pharmaceuticals Inc.				