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Dear Dr GRO-B

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CLINIC DATE: 6 August 1997

DIAGNOSES: Home haemodialysis
Recent parathyroidectomy

This gentleman states that he has started to feel better, for the first few months following the parathyroidectomy he did not feel very well at all. He states that his bone aches have improved and he now has less pruritus. His blood pressure, however, is rather low, often running around 80/60 mmHg when he comes off dialysis. On examination no dependent oedema.

BLOOD PRESSURE: 120/80 mmHg

INVESTIGATIONS: Potassium 4.1 mmol/L
Urea 13.8 mmol/L
Creatinine 728 µmol/L
Corrected calcium 3.01 mmol/L
Phosphate 0.77 mmol/L
Haemoglobin 13.3 g/dL

TREATMENT: Atenolol 25 mg four times weekly
1 Alfacalcidol 1 µg daily
Calcichew 1.25 gms tds
Aspirin 75 mg od
Ferrous Sulphate 200 mg tds
Emla cream 1 drop 3 times weekly

Mr H's calcium is running rather high. I will ask him to cut his 1 Alfacalcidol to 1 µg daily and his Calcichew to 1.25 gms three times daily. I have also arranged for him to have his calcium rechecked next week. I will also refer him to Dr Gleeson at Royal Hallamshire Hospital regarding his Hepatitis C status.

NEXT APPOINTMENT: Three months

Yours sincerely

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