

Endoscopy SOS service

If your symptoms persist or re-occur following your visit to the Endoscopy Unit you have been advised to contact us to discuss it with a nurse at Watford General Hospital.

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GASTROSCOPY REPORT - 13/11/2014

Mr Ivor Catt	Hospital Case Note:	W672610
121 Westfields	Sex:	Male
St. Albans	Date of Birth:	19/12/1935
Herts	NHS No:	462 910 2124
	Endoscopist:	Dr Mark Fullard
AL3 4JR	Supervising Endoscopist:	
	ASA Status:	2

IV Medication
IV Midazolam 003.0 mg
IV Buscopan

Other Medication
Fentanyl 100 mcg
Oxygen: 002 Litres

Co Morbidities: Other

INDICATIONS	
Repeat Procedure:	Other

EXAMINATION	
Normal Examination	

PROCEDURE PERFORMED

Procedure: OGD diagnostic only Examination To: Stomach

OUTCOME

Return for further procedures Patient informed of the result?: Yes

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