Patient Name: PARKES, JOHN

Patient Address: 54 PERSEVERANCE STREET, WEST WYALONG NSW

D.O.B: 7/11/1940 Gender: 1 Medicare No.: 21715909691 IHI No.:

Lab. Reference: 13596073 Provider: Regional Imaging
Addressee: DR WILLIAM OGUNDARE Referred by: DR KERIN FIELDING

Date Requested: 27/04/2021 Date Performed: 20/05/2021
Date Collected: 20/05/2021 Complete: Final

Specimen:

Subject(Test Name): CT WITH SURGICAL PROCEDURE

Clinical Information:

This report is for: Dr W. Ogundare Referred By: Dr K. Fielding

Copies: Dr W. Ogundare

CT FJI BILAT L 2/3 20/05/2021 Reference: 13596073

CT GUIDED RIGHT AND LEFT L2/3 FACET JOINT INJECTIONS

I note that A/Prof. Pielding has written out two requests: one for right L2/3, L3/4 and L4/5 facet joint injections; one for left L2/3, L3/4 and L4/5 facet joint injections. This was discussed with the patient, including discussion of separating out the steroid injections in time to reduce steroid load as well as to allow the patient to determine which level of injection gives the best relief. Thus it was agreed that today, bilateral L2/3 facet joint injections would be performed, with the patient then returning for bilateral L3/4 injections and subsequently bilateral L4/5 injections. Patient agreed for me to proceed.

With the patient prone, planning images were acquired.

I initially placed the tip of a 22G spinal needle into the posterior aspect of the right L2/3 facet joint and then gently injected a mixture of 1ml (4mg) Dexamethasone and 0.5ml 0.5% Bupivacaine. Then using a new needle set, I did the same on the left.

No complication occurred. Patient given a symptom sheet to fill out.

Radiologist: Dr N. Stephenson N/A

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