DATE ORDERED	TIME ORDERED	PHYSICIAN'S ORDER
		DVT Prophylaxis Protocol
		No Risk Assessed Patient on Anticoagulants
		Low Risk:
		Early ambulation ad lib
		TEDS, knee high
		TEDS, thigh high
		Moderate Risk:
		Venodynes until patient ambulates without assistance
		Heparin 5000 units sq q 12h x days
		Lovenox 30 mg sc q 12h, first dose to begin hours post op
		(Non-Frail Arthroplasty patients only – Hold if active surgical site bleeding, call MD)
		Lovenox 40 mg qd, first dose to begin hours post op (Non-Frail
		Arthroplasty patients only – Hold if active surgical site bleeding, call MD)
		Other
		High Risk:
		Venodynes until patient ambulates without assistance
		One of the following if anticoagulation not otherwise contraindicated.
		Coumadin protocol for prophylaxis (refer to coumadin protocol order sheet protocol)
		Non-thrombolytic Heparin Protocol order sheet.
		Lovenox 30 mg sc q 12h, first dose to begin hours post op
		(Non-Frail Arthroplasty patients only – Hold if active surgical site bleeding, call MD)
		Lovenox 40 mg sc qd, first dose to begin hours post op (Non-Frail
		Arthroplasty patients only – Hold if active surgical site bleeding, call MD)
		Radiology consult for Inferior vena caval filter (Multi-trauma and high risk
		Patient with recent DVT/PE only – and if anticoagulation contraindicated).
		Heparin 5000 units sq q 12h x days (elderly frail hip fracture patients)
		Other
		MD Signature Date
		*Must complete Risk Assessment on back* over
		MPRINT PATIENT'S PLATE IN DESIGNATED AREA BEFORE PLACING IN CHART

## **DVT Assessment**

High	<u>n Risk</u>
	Prior DVT in surgical patient
	Abdominal surgery for malignant disease
	Hip facture (ORIF or external fixation)
	Total knee or hip replacement
	Pelvic fractures
	Ischemic stroke
	Spinal cord injury
	Multi-trauma
	Radical prostatectomy
	ICU/CCU Patient on continuous
	sedation and/or paralysis
Mod	lerate Risk
	Prior DVT
	Age > 40 yrs old and
	surgery > 60 minutes
	Surgical patient with any one of the following
	risk factors: (Circle those that apply)
	Obesity
	Varicose veins
	Cancer
	Pelvic surgery
	High dose estrogen
	(excluding CVP or HRT)
	CHF
	Paralysis
	Hx of MI
	Sickle cell anemia
	Hypercoagulations discorders
	Medical patient on bedrest > 72 hr. prior to
	admission with any one of the above risk factors
Low	Risk
 $\square$	Bedrest
	Abdominal or thoracic surgery
	Age < 40 years and surgery < 60 minutes
	Elective spinal surgery