

RETU Renal Colic Pathway

Required testing prior to
RETU admission

- Urinalysis
- Creatinine
- CT or US diagnosing renal stone
- pregnancy test in women of childbearing age

ED
Evaluation

Not appropriate for RETU

- Hemodynamic instability
- Acute renal failure
- Bilateral obstruction
- Single kidney with obstruction
- Transplanted kidney with obstruction
- Urinary tract infection
- Fever or sepsis

RETU Intake Evaluation

(do not repeat testing if already done in ED)

Exam Focus

- Abdominal
- Genitourinary

Initial Testing

- Labs: Urinalysis, CBC, Chem 7 (others as clinically indicated)
- Imaging: CT or US

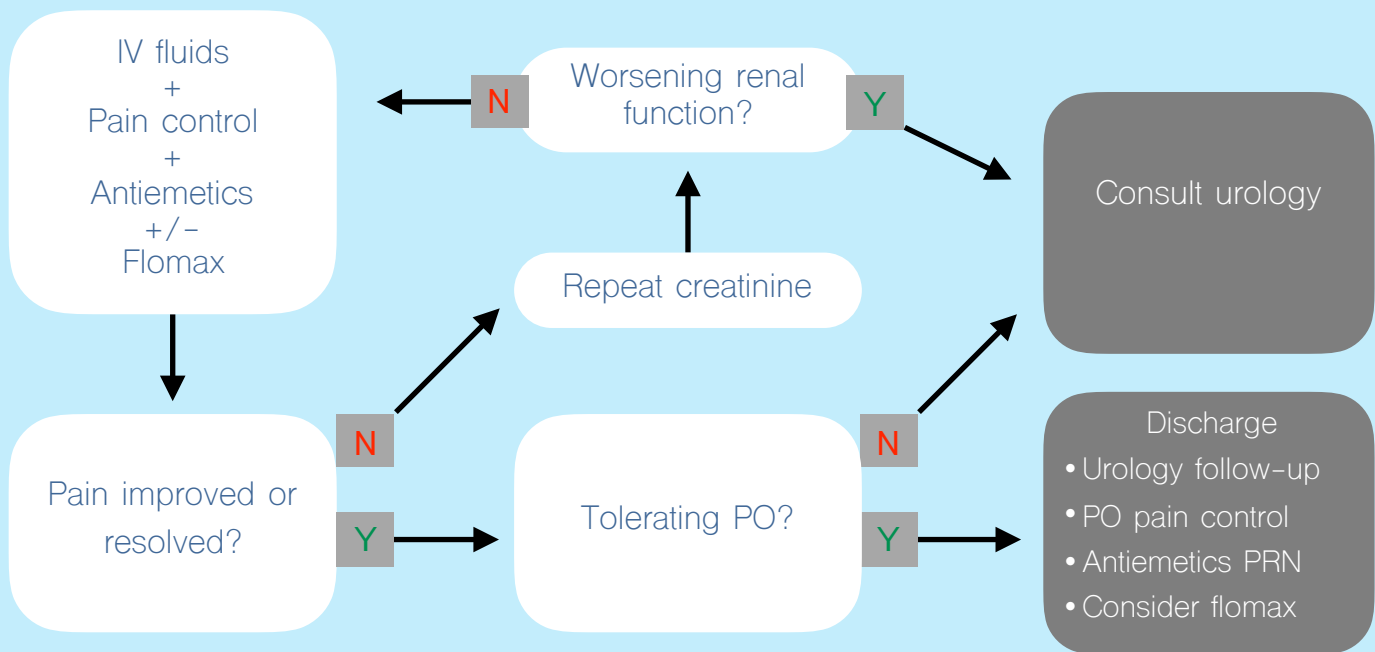
Monitoring

- Monitor pain level
- Monitor hydration status

Consults

- Urology consult as clinically indicated

RETU Treatment / Evaluation



Disposition Guidelines

Discharge from RETU

- Acceptable vital signs
- Pain controlled or resolved
- Tolerating PO

Admission to Hospital

- Diagnosis of coexistent infection or UTI
- Persistent pain
- Inability to tolerate PO
- Worsening renal function