Dr Shetty Ward Round (Cardiology Consultant)

**Dx**
- Decompensated heart failure
- New AF
- Coliform UTI on ward

**Mx**
On day 2 furosemide infusion (10mg/h)
On day 3 trimethoprim

**Ix**
Echo 06/02/16 – poor biventricular function, moderate MR, left atrial dilatation
ECG 07/02/16 – AF @ 102bpm
Bloods 06/02/16 – Hb 102 (stable), WCC 12, CRP 22 (improved), U&Es normal

Pt. feels better today, SOB reduced.
Weight stable at 64kg for last 2 days. 500ml negative fluid balance over last 24 hours.

**O/E**
SpO₂ 94% RA, RR 22/min, HR 97bpm, BP 140/85mmHg, apyrexial. No temp spikes.
Chest clear
JVP 6cm
HS I + II + PSM (irreg)
Pitting oedema up to ankles

**P**
1. Continue furosemide infusion x 3/7
2. Add bendroflumethiazide 2.5mg OD
3. Fluid restriction 1L/24h
4. Daily U&Es
5. Daily weights and accurate fluid balance chart

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Common medical abbreviations

**Symptoms**
- SOB: shortness of breath
- BO: bowels open
- BNO: bowels not open

**Examination**
- OBS: observations
- BP: blood pressure
- HR: heart rate
- RR: respiratory rate
- JVP: jugular venous pressure
- HS I+II+0: heart sounds one and two with no added sounds
- PSM: pan-systolic murmur
- ESM: ejection-systolic murmur
- AE: air entry
- SNT: soft non-tender
- BS: bowel sounds
- CN: cranial nerves

**Times**
- \( \times \frac{7}{7} \): x days
- \( \times \frac{1}{2} \): x weeks
- \( \times \frac{1}{12} \): x months

**Sex**
- Male
- Female

**Investigations**
- CXR: chest X-ray
- MSU: mid-stream urine

**Others**
- \( \Delta \): diagnosis
- \( \circ \): normal
- \( \bigcirc \): plan
- \( \bigodot \): right
- \( \bigtriangleup \): left
- \( \leftarrow \rightarrow \): in range
- \( \uparrow \): increased
- \( \downarrow \): decreased
- mané: in morning
- CA: cancer
- NAD: nothing abnormal detected
- NMB: nil by mouth
- TTO: to take out (medications)
- ADL: activities of daily living
- WB: weight bearing
- 1\(^\text{st} \): primary
- 2\(^\text{nd} \): secondary
- +ve: positive
- -ve: negative
- \( \acute{c} \): with
- UTI: urinary tract infection

Diagrams

- **Chest**
- **Clear**
- **Creps**
- **Wheeze**
- **Reduced air entry**
- **Dull to percussion**
- **Abdomen**
- **Hepatomegaly, scar**
- **Lower limb reflexes**
- **Erythema**