Resources and References for the DCoE May 2014
Traumatic Brain Injury Webinar

Diagnosis and Management of Post-traumatic Headache

Resources
The American Academy of Neurology provides headache practice guidelines and physician and patient tools and materials.

The Defense and Veterans Brain Injury Center (DVBIC) offers a symptom management fact sheet, “Concussion/Mild TBI Rehabilitation: Headache and Neck Pain” to educate those with mild TBI on how to manage headache and neck pain following head injury.

Order and display DVBIC’s “HEADS” concussion card and poster to encourage individuals to seek medical attention if they experience Headaches and/or vomiting, Ears ringing, Amnesia or altered/loss of consciousness, Double vision and/or dizziness or Something feels wrong following a head injury.

The DCoE “mTBI Pocket Guide (CONUS),” also available as a mobile application, addresses headache assessment, referral and treatment in the “Headache Management” chapter.

The DCoE “Neuroimaging following mTBI in the Non-Deployed Setting Clinical Recommendation” offers Military Health System providers an evidence-based standard approach to imaging in the acute, sub-acute and chronic stages following TBI. The “Clinical Support Tool” and “Provider Education Slide Deck” are companion resources.

The International Headache Society provides a web-based edition of its “International Classification of Headache Disorders.”

The National Headache Foundation provides information on post-traumatic headache.

The TBI Model Systems in collaboration with the University of Washington Model Systems Knowledge Translation Center published a fact sheet, “Headaches after Traumatic Brain Injury.”


References


