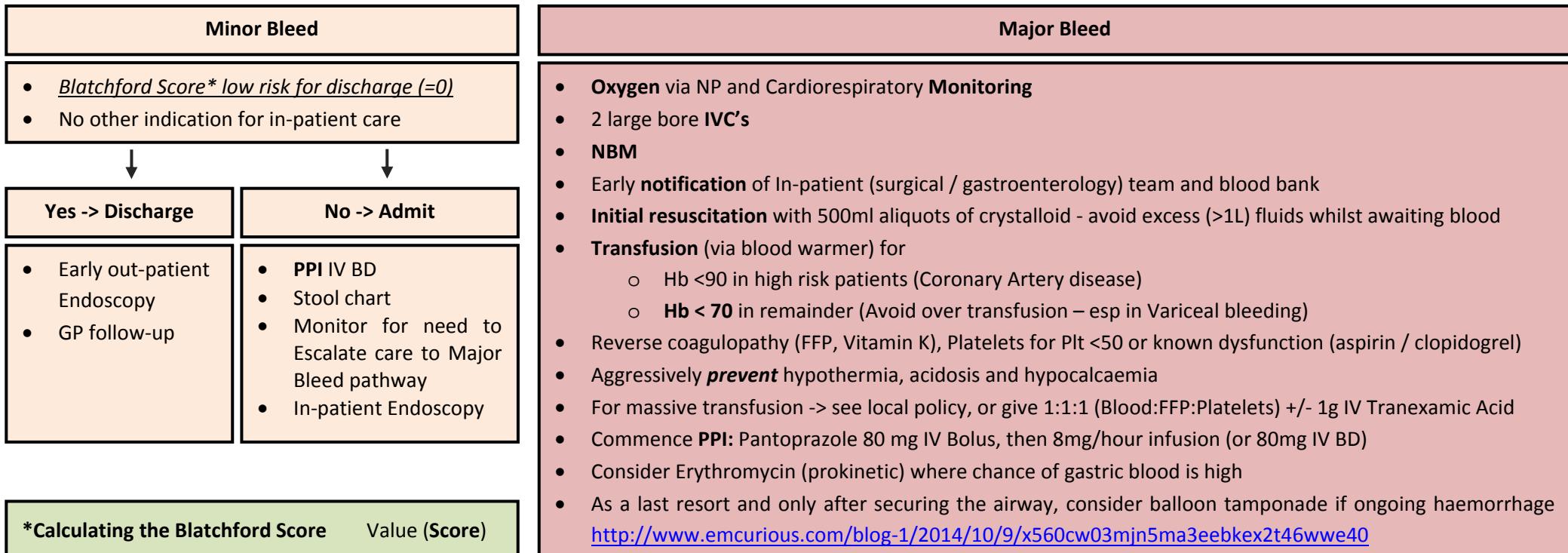
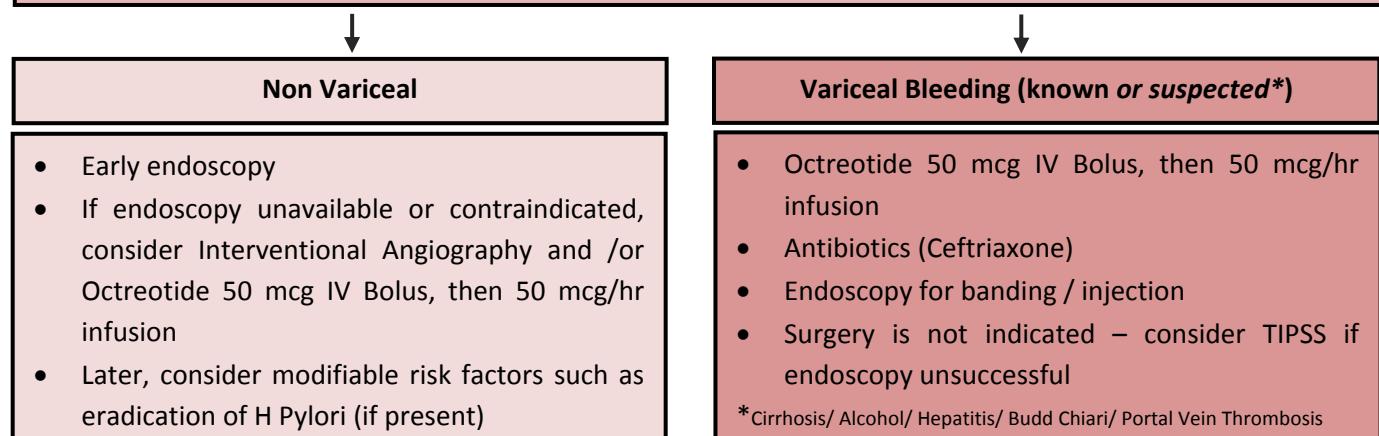


## Emergency Management of Upper Gastrointestinal Haemorrhage

Risk Factors	Hematemesis / Melaena	General Assessment and Testing
Alcohol Abuse / Liver Disease / Previous GI Bleed(Ix) Coagulopathy / Antiplatelets / Steroids / NSAIDs	Check for early signs of Shock Consider surgical causes / complications	Relevant Labs incl: FBC / EUC / LFTs / Coags Other: ECG / imaging if indicated



*Calculating the Blatchford Score		
	Value (Score)	
<b>Hb</b> (Female)	10-12 (1)	<10 (6)
<b>Hb</b> (Male)	12-13(1)	10-12(3)
<b>BUN</b>	6.5-8 (2)	10-25(4)
<b>Initial SBP</b>	8-10 (3)	>25(6)
<b>Initial SBP</b>	100-109(1)	90-99(2)
<b>HR</b>		<90(3)
<b>Melaena</b>	>100(1)	
<b>Recent Syncope</b>	On Presentation(1)	
<b>Hepatic Disease Hx</b>	Yes(2)	
<b>Cardiac Failure Hx</b>	Yes(2)	



\*Cirrhosis/ Alcohol/ Hepatitis/ Budd Chiari/ Portal Vein Thrombosis