Management of DVT & PE

(deep vein thrombosis & pulmonary embolism)

1.
Primary prevention
of VTE (venous
thromboembolism),
or prevention of a first
venous event

Patients at risk and undergoing orthopaedic surgery, other types of surgery and non-surgical patients (e.g. critically ill medical patients, people with cancer)

2. DVT & PE treatment

Patients who experience a venous event rapidly and/ or severely that requires immediate treatment



3.
Prevention of recurrent DVT & PE, or secondary prevention long-term treatment

Patients at risk of recurrent venous events. This risk increases cumulatively over time in patients who are not treated