



**ALERT SHEET**

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

Interpreter required (specify language)

**3) OTHER ALERTS** (eg. Release of information, Jehovah's Witness, deaf, blind etc.)

**Power of Attorney/Guardianship/Administration Orders**  
 (Copies of Orders are to be filed in the Correspondence Section)

Type of Order (eg Medical/Financial)			
Name: (eg Name of Power of Attorney)			
Phone (BH):			
Phone (AH):			
Mobile:			
Fax:			
Staff Member's Name:			
Designation:			
Signature:			
Ward/Dept:			
Date:			
Date Order Revoked:			

Health Information Department use only

Cancer Registration Number	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Mental Health Registration Number	<input type="text"/>
Baby UR Numbers	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Mother UR Number	<input type="text"/>			
Microfilm Numbers	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Previous records destroyed as per government disposal schedule (Date or Computer Number)	<input type="text"/>			

INPATIENT PROGRESS NOTES

UR 112233

Grigg  
Georgie



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22 Nice St  
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Phone: 92999167

today:

INPATIENT PROGRESS NOTES

DATE & TIME	NOTES, SIGNATURE AND DESIGNATION
Yesterday <del>22/05</del> 22 <sup>30</sup>	<p>Ortho Amputation - (Hougen) (Patient transferred from Goldfields regional hospital) 71 y o F Day 0 post - TF to ward from OR → ORIF → DHS (Dr Parker)</p>
	<p>R/V on ward post-op</p>
	<p>Medical hx</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Right THR - 2006 (Dr Shepard - Athlona)</li> <li>2) Paroxysmal AF</li> <li>3) Osteoarthritis</li> <li>4) CCF</li> <li>5) T2DM on OHF</li> <li>6) Recurrent UTI's - not on AB's @ present.</li> </ol>
	<p>Medications As charted - regular analgesia Allergies - sulphamides</p>
	<p>Social history Lives alone in St Albans (Husband died 5 yrs ago) Double storey home mob (I) with SPS (I) PADI'S</p>
	<p>Non-smoker, Occ Ethol</p>
	<p>History of presenting complaint Fall at hotel whilst visiting Sovereign hill yesterday Fell on 2nd last step whilst going downstairs → landed on r side &amp; l hip Ambulance called by hotel owner → taken to Goldfields hospital → TF to theatre Sunshine for DHS</p>
	<p>Pelvis +R → Intraarticular Left NOF # No pelvic #</p> <p style="text-align: right;">PTO</p>

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<u>Yesterday</u>	Ortho admission (cont)
	chest +R - left sided ribs # + 2
	Unverified ORIF; Post op day 0 - Hb 110
	Urinary retention overnight - IDC insitu
	- CSU plate
	- u.o satisfactory
	- burning + pain
	o/E - female 38 <sup>2</sup> HR 95 BP 142/98, SaO <sub>2</sub> 94% RA
	left surgical wound - moderate oozing
	- minimal erythema
	- no discharge
	- mild tenderness around wound
	- pedal pulses intact bilaterally
	ROM @ hip - 0-30° flexion
	extension not tested
	15-20° Abduction and Adduction
	Rot - Intable
	Investigations (prep from Goldfields)
	FBE 112   10.1   343
	UEC 143   4.6   9.3   100
	INR 1.7
	left hip +R post ORIF - DHS - good position
	- entalored
	+R (yesterday) - left basal atelectasis
	2+ ribs # (L)
	PTO



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Yesterday Ortho Admission (Housen)  
(cont)

- Issues
- 1) Left hip DHS post # NDF  
    ⇒ pain  
    ⇒ rehab goals.
  - 2) # abs  
    ⇒ pain
  - 3) Urinary Sx ? UTI  
    low grade fever

- Plan
- 1) Admit ortho under Dr Parker
  - 2) PT/SW/OT referral please
  - 3) Analgesia as charted
  - 4) ortho obs
  - 5) PID ESL please
  - 6) Increase warfarin to therapeutic INR
  - 7) Septic workup if fever persists
  - 8) CSU - ? AB'S.

Yesterday Nursing Notes - ND Shift

0500 71 year old lady admitted directly from theatre following L) ORIF e DHS. Patient had fall yesterday in Sovereign Hill + sustained a #  
L) NPE (and R) ribs + 2.  
Ptx paroxysmal AF NIDDM on OHGls, e) KNR  
recurrent UTI'S  
ans Alert + oriented, GCS 15, do u) hep e  
no pain, analgesia as charted Pain 6-7/10 -  
~~morphine~~ morphine sp 2-5mg as charted with  
good effect. Oxycodone 5mg is also given for  
break through pain  
VS Skin dry + warm, T-37.6, HR 89 reg  
BP 140/90, IVC site intact + patent  
Resp SV on room air, RR 20, SaO<sub>2</sub> 95% RA  
chest clear, no pain on inspiration. Physio  
referral completed.

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Yesterday  
0500

Nursing notes (continued)  
 GIT - Nil nausea or vomiting, Sips of fluids  
 Taken overnight. Bowel sounds present  
 IVT in progress. Sp24 = 125 ml 1/2 Saline.  
 Paced - IDC insitu on ~~RT~~ RTW. UO 30-60  
 ml/hr. Clo some bumping + pain @ hmos  
 No ortho req - CSU taken. To start  
 to ABLS this am for ? UTI  
 Metabolic - BSL stable 5-8 mmol/l - QID BSL  
 Mobility - RIB post-op - 2 hourly pressure care  
 - skin intact - nil issues Braden score recorded  
 Social - NOK to be contacted in am - sister  
 + VJ aware of transfer  
 - Social work referral made  
 Appears comfortable at hmo of report  
 Post-op care - Post-op obs stable, wound  
 slight blood stained edge

*[Signature]* (Mckenzie RN)

# BOWEL FUNCTION CHART

Previous Bowel History:

normal

Risk Factors

on oxycodone  
regular, & mobility by

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**REPORT** any problems or change in bowel habits eg. Constipation/Diarrhoea, to the nurse in charge / doctor for advice and assessment.

\* Place ✓ in box as appropriate

BOWEL ACTIONS		CONSISTENCY							COLOUR							AMOUNT					OCCUL BLOOD		
Date	Time	Controlled	Incontinence	Hard	Formed	Paste	Soft	Watery	Mucous	Brown	Black	Dark Red	Bright Red	Yellow	Green	Altered	Very Small	Small	Medium	Large	Approx mls	Positive	Negative
Yesterday	2330	✓		✓						✓							✓				100ml hard to estimate		✓













Date: Yesterday  
**DAILY FLUID**  
**BALANCE CHART**

Only those following abbreviations should be used on this chart:  
 IDC - In Dwelling Catheter, PUIT - Pass Urine In Toilet, Incont - Incontinence, HNPV - Has Not Passed Urine  
 NBM - Nil By Mouth, NGT - Naso Gastric Tube, DT - Drain Tube, C - When any bottle/catheter/drain is emptied  
 SPC - Supra Pubic Catheter, FR - Fluid Restriction, JP - Jackson Pratt, RTW - Return to Ward,  
 PEG - Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy, BF Breast Fed, EBM Expressed Breast Milk  
 TOV - Trial of Void  
 PVR - Post Void Residual  
 All other drain tubes to be written in full (Redivac)  
**I.V.**  
 BROUGHT FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

Fluid Hartmanns Soln Vol. 1L  
 Fluid Vol.

Time	Type	Vol.	Total	LINE A		LINE B		OUTPUT									
				Fluid	Vol.	Fluid	Vol.	Urine	N/G	Vomit	Drains						
					Prog. Total		Prog. Total		ASP	F/D	Faeces	1	2	3	4	Prog. Total	
				Hartmanns Soln	75	75											
				1000mls	125	200			80								
				ETW from OR													
				Nil orally													
				Sps 460 50													
2400					125	325			125								
Totals			50		325												
				TOTAL INPUT	375						TOTAL OUTPUT	605					



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**DAILY FLUID BALANCE CHART**

- Western Hospital
- Sunshine Hospital
- Williamstown Hospital
- Sunbury Day Hospital

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Fluid Hartmans Soln Vol. 1000 mls

ORAL + N/G

LINE A

LINE B

OUTPUT

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Time	Type	Vol.	Total	Fluid	Vol.	Prog. Total	Fluid	Vol.	Prog. Total	Urine	N/G ASP F/D	Vomil Faeces	Drains				Prog. Total
													1	2	3	4	
0100										80							80
0200				B/F Hartmans Soln	125	125				75							155
0300				1000 mls @ 125 mls/hr	125	250				50							205
0400										25							230
0500										80							310
0600	Water	50	50							120							430
0700	Tea	150	200							110							540
0800										75							615
0900	Tea	150	350							80							695
1000	milk	25	600	IV fluids ceased	125	1000				95							790
1100										125							915
1200	Tea	140	740							130							1045
1300										50							1095
1400										50							1145
Totals																	
TOTAL INPUT																	
TOTAL OUTPUT																	



# INTRAVENOUS AND SUBCUTANEOUS FLUID ORDER FORM

Facility/Service: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ward/Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

FRONT

DRIP RATE CALCULATOR = Drops per Minute (DPM) Microdrip sets (60 drops = 1mL/hr) mL/hr = Drops/min

Time (hrs)	2	4	6	8	10	12	16	18	24
mL/hr (1L bag)	500	250	166	125	100	83	62	55	42
20 drop/mL set	167 DPM	83 DPM	55 DPM	42 DPM	33 DPM	28 DPM	21 DPM	18 DPM	14 DPM

**Fluids Must be Prescribed Daily - Only One Bag Will Be Administered Against Each Order**

Year 20..

### Medical Officer Prescription

Date/Time ordered	Line/Route	Volume	Fluid Type and Additive (amount per bag or syringe)	Rate mL/hr	Dr Signature Print Name	Date/Time Start	Nursing Administration Record		Volume Infused
							Rate mL/hr	Time Stop	
Today	IV	1000 mL	Normal Saline 0.9%	4 hrs	Dr. Watson	Current			

THE CANNULA MUST BE CHANGED EVERY 96 HOURS UNLESS INDICATED BY PHLEBITIS SCORE ON THE PERIPHERAL INTRAVENOUS CANNULA FORM

AFFIX PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

NOT A VALID PRESCRIPTION UNLESS IDENTIFIERS PRESENT

UR No:

Family Name:  
Given Names:

DOB:

Sex  M  F

1st Prescriber to Print Patient's Name and Check Label Correct





# PERIPHERAL INTRAVENOUS CANNULA RECORD

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The peripheral cannula must be removed no later than 96 hours (4 days) after insertion, or resited (if the patient required continued IV access), irrespective of the phlebitis score.

## V.I.P Score (Visual Infusion Phlebitis Score)

Cannula Site	Assessment	Score	Action
I.V. site appears healthy	▶ No signs of Phlebitis	0 ▶	● OBSERVE CANNULA
One of the following is evident: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slight pain or redness near I.V. site	▶ Possible first signs of phlebitis	1 ▶	● OBSERVE CANNULA
Two of the following is evident: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pain near site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erythema <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swelling	▶ Early stage of phlebitis	2 ▶	● RESITE CANNULA
All of the following is evident: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pain along path of cannula <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swelling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erythema	▶ Medium stage of phlebitis	3 ▶	● RESITE CANNULA ● Inform Medical Team
All of the following is evident & extensive: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pain along path of cannula <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erythema <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swelling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Palpable venous cord	▶ Advanced stage of phlebitis or start of thrombophlebitis	4 ▶	● RESITE CANNULA ● Inform Medical Team
All of the following is evident & extensive: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pain along path of cannula <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erythema <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swelling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Palpable venous cord <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pyrexia	▶ Advanced stage of thrombophlebitis	5 ▶	● Refer to IV policy for treatment ● RESITE CANNULA

Source: Andrew Jackson, Consultant Nurse Intravenous Therapy and Care, Rotherham General Hospital, NHS Trust.

### CANNULA NO 1

Date Inserted: Yesterday

Insertion Site: L arm

Inserted By: [Signature]

DAY 1			Date: <u>Yesterday</u>			
Shift:						
AM	PM	N				
In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>	Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>	Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>				
Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>	Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>	Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>				

DAY 2			Date: <u>Today</u>			
Shift:						
AM	PM	N				
In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>	Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>	Phlebitis Score: <u>0</u>				
Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>	Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>	Initials: <u>[Signature]</u>				

DAY 3			Date:			
Shift:						
AM	PM	N				
In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:				
Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:				

DAY 4			Date:			
*Cannula must be removed today*						
AM	PM	N				
In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	In use: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:				
Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Flush / Infusion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	Cannula removed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N				
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:				

PERIPHERAL INTRAVENOUS RECORD

**CANNULA NO 2**

Date Inserted: / /

Insertion Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Inserted By: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>DAY 1</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 2</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 3</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 4</b>		Date:
<b>*Cannula must be removed today*</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

**CANNULA NO 3**

Date Inserted: / /

Insertion Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Inserted By: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>DAY 1</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 2</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 3</b>		Date:
<b>Shift:</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:

<b>DAY 4</b>		Date:
<b>*Cannula must be removed today*</b>		
<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>N</b>
In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N	In use: Y / N
Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:	Phlebitis Score:
Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N	Flush / Infusion Y / N
Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N	Cannula removed Y / N
Initials:	Initials:	Initials:



CONSENT FORM

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

Consent For Surgery/ Procedure

I, GEORGIIE LRIKA hereby consent to the following operation(s) / procedures(s)  
given name surname

DYNAMIC HEP SCREW REPAIR  Left  Right  Not Applicable  
specify operation(s) / procedure(s) & side / site in writing Side must be indicated both in writing and via tick box

being performed on GEORGIIE LRIKA  
myself or name and relationship to patient if completed by person other than patient

I also consent to such further operative procedures as may be found necessary to be performed during the course of the operation(s) / procedure(s) stated above. In conjunction with the above stated operation(s), I consent to the administration of such anaesthetics as may be considered by the anaesthetist to be necessary or advisable. I understand that Western Health is a teaching hospital and consent to medical students participating in or being present during the operation or procedure. I understand that my tissue(s) will be used for diagnostic and treatment purposes. I understand that it will be kept and may be used for ethically approved research, education and laboratory quality procedures.

The nature and effect of the above operation(s) / procedure(s) have been explained to me by Dr Bones

Risks and Complications discussed include:

infection post op; Pain; Bleeding requiring transfusion; failure of procedure and revision

Other options for treatment have been discussed with me?  No  Yes

I have been given the consent information sheet for the surgery / procedure above.  No  Yes

Signed Georgie Lrigg Self or relationship to patient Self Date Yesterday

Reason if consent given other than patient \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Interpreter \_\_\_\_\_ Reason for the person other than qualified interpreter \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmation by Medical Officer

I, Dr. T. Bones have explained to the \*patient / ~~person~~ responsible for the patient, the nature of the above operation(s) / procedure(s). In my opinion, ~~he~~ / she understood the explanation.

Signature of Medical Officer [Signature] Date 1 / 1 YESTERDAY  
\*\*Strike out not applicable

## Guidelines for commonly asked questions regarding consent to treatment

Answers to commonly asked questions about consent appear below. They should be used as a guide. Please refer to 'Consent' policy (OP CC3.1.1) for full details. A person giving consent should show the purpose and the nature of the intervention, the intended effects and the potentially significant side effects, hoped for benefits and reasonable alternatives.

### Consent to treatment

- Professional interpreters are used, except in situations of unavoidable urgency. Non-clinical staff should not be used as interpreters.
- If a person other than the patient provides consent, the explanation for this must be documented on the consent form.
- Invalid consent and no consent at the time the proposed treatment is to be administered or on arrival in the procedural area will be documented as an adverse event.

### Consent in an emergency

- In an emergency where immediate treatment is necessary to save a person's life or to prevent serious injury to a patient's health, treatment may be given without consent. These matters must be documented in the medical record.

### Patients with temporary inability to consent to treatment – non emergency situation

Consent in these situations must be sought from the Office of the Public Advocate (Telephone: 9603 9500).

### Patients with long term disability and incapable of consenting to treatment – non emergency situations

Where an adult patient (18 years and over) has a permanent or long term disability and is incapable of giving informed consent due to a lack of understanding of the nature and effect of the proposed treatment, consent is governed by the Guardianship and Administration Act.

The following guidelines apply to persons with long term disability and who are unable to give consent.

- In an emergency situation, there is no need to obtain consent to proceed with the treatment.
- In the case of 'special procedures' only VCAT (Victorian Civil & Administrative Tribunal) may consent to the treatment.
- In all other procedures, consent may be obtained by the 'person responsible'.

### 'Persons responsible' to provide consent

- The Guardianship & Administration Act permits 'persons responsible' to provide consent for medical and dental treatment on behalf of a patient with long term disability and who is incapable of giving consent, if the treatment is in the best interests of the patient.
- A person responsible is:

the first person in a list of persons (refer Guardianship & Administration Act) who is responsible for the patient, reasonably available and willing and able to make a decision in relation to the carrying out of medical or dental treatment on the patient and includes:

- An agent appointed by the patient (before the patient became incapable of giving consent) to make health care decisions under an Enduring Power of Attorney (Medical Treatment Act 1988).
- A person appointed by the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal (VCAT) to make decisions about the proposed treatment.
- A person appointed by VCAT as a guardian under a current Guardianship Order with the authority to make health care decisions.
- A person appointed by the patient (before the patient became incapable of giving consent) as an enduring guardian with power to make decisions about the proposed treatment.
- A person appointed in writing by the patient to make decisions about medical or dental treatment which includes the proposed treatment.
- The patient's spouse, or domestic partner, with whom the patient is in a close and continuing relationship.
- The patient's primary carer, in receipt of a Centrelink Carer payment but excluding paid carer's or service providers.
- The patient's "nearest relative" over the age of 18, which means, in order of priority:  
son or daughter, father or mother, brother or sister, grandfather or grandmother, grandson or granddaughter, uncle or aunt, nephew or niece.
- Persons responsible are those appointed:
  - As an agent under the Medical Treatment Act.
  - By the Victorian Civil & Administrative Tribunal in relation to the proposed treatment.
  - Under guardianship order with power to make decisions in relation to the proposed treatment.
  - As an enduring guardian with power to make decisions in relation to the proposed treatment.
  - By the patient in writing (when competent) to make the relevant decision.

### Situations where 'person responsible' cannot be found to consent to treatment

- Where no 'person responsible' can be located, the Medical Officer must fax an Intention to Treat form (located on ward) to the Office of the Public Advocate (Facsimile: 9603 9501), It must include clear contact details to facilitate the Office of the Public Advocate notifying the Medical Officer via telephone as soon as possible after receiving the intention to treat form. Treatment can proceed before receiving acknowledgment from the Office of the Public Advocate. It must be clearly documented in the patient's record.

### Situations where 'person responsible' refuses to consent to treatment

- Where the person responsible can be located and refuses to consent to the proposed treatment, the doctor must contact the Office of the Public Advocate (Telephone: 9603 9500) prior to carrying out the procedure.

Georgie Grigg

Ramipril 10mg morning - one tablet

Furosemide 40mg morning - one tablet (Fluid)

Aspirin 100mg morning - one

Metformin 1000mg twice a day (sugar / diabetes)

Lantus (insulin injection) - 23 units after dinner

Atorvastatin 40mg night-time

Warfarin 3mg alternating 2mg







Received	Patient	Patient Name	Referred by	Comments	Referred to
Today	112233	Grigg, Georgie	S Ortho Ward	71yo lady needs mobility review post #NOF Please Review!!(lives alone)	Physio
Today	112233	Grigg, Georgie	S Ortho Ward	Diabetic, new patient transferred from rural	Nutrition
Today	112233	Grigg, Georgie	S Ortho Ward	New patient transferred from private hospital – lives alone other social circumstances unknown, please review	SW
Today	112233	Grigg, Georgie	S Ortho Ward	Post op DHS please review for discharge planning	OT



# HOURLY PATIENT ROUNDING - DOCUMENTATION LOG

Bed:  UR:

Date:							
Time period	Staff initials	Pain	Position	Pan	Pt enviro	Plan	
TWO HOURLY ROUNDS 2200 - 0600 hrs							
0001							
0200							
0400							
HOURLY ROUNDS 0600 - 2200 hrs							
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# HOURLY PATIENT ROUNDING - DOCUMENTATION LOG

Bed: 314 UR: 112233

Date: <u>Today</u>						
Time period	Staff initials	Pain	Position	Pan	Pt enviro	Plan
TWO HOURLY ROUNDS 2200 - 0600 hrs						
0001	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
0200	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
0400	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
HOURLY ROUNDS 0600 - 2200 hrs						
0600	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
0700	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
0800	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
0900	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
1000	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
1100	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
1200	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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This is not a legal document and does not require filling in the patients history.

Date:						
Time period	Staff initials	Pain	Position	Pan	Pt enviro	Plan
TWO HOURLY ROUNDS 2200 - 0600 hrs						
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# ISBAR COMMUNICATION TOOL

ATTACH HOSPITAL LABEL HERE IF AVAILABLE

UR Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Given name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M / F

Time of call \_\_\_\_\_ Date of call \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Callers name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person contacted \_\_\_\_\_ Pager/mobile number called \_\_\_\_\_

**I**

**IDENTIFY**

Identify yourself Ward \_\_\_\_\_ Bed number \_\_\_\_\_

I am calling about \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

**S**

**SITUATION**

Problem \_\_\_\_\_

State severity

Severe  Very concerned  Concerned  Controlled

**B**

**BACKGROUND**

Admitting diagnosis / operation \_\_\_\_\_

Date of admission \_\_\_\_\_

Circle if relevant: AMI, Anxiety, Asthma, CCF, COPD, CRF, Diabetes, IHD, PE, Pneumonia, Smoker, Stroke, UTI, Dementia, Depression, Behaviour issues

**A**

**ASSESSMENT**

Most recent vital signs @ \_\_\_\_\_ hrs RR \_\_\_\_\_ SaO2 \_\_\_\_\_ HR \_\_\_\_\_

Pain Score \_\_\_\_\_ BP \_\_\_\_\_ Temp \_\_\_\_\_ UO \_\_\_\_\_

Pt on oxygen?  Yes  No Litres/min \_\_\_\_\_ IV Fluid \_\_\_\_\_

Test Results \_\_\_\_\_

Patients mental state \_\_\_\_\_

Assessment of skin / extremities \_\_\_\_\_

**R**

**REQUEST**

I would like you to see the patient within the next 30 minutes

I would like you to see the patient now

Are any tests/imaging needed:

Do you need any tests? \_\_\_\_\_

Doctors orders / comments \_\_\_\_\_

If the patient's condition continues to deteriorate please follow ward escalation response – referral algorithm for clinical markers.

ISBAR COMMUNICATION TOOL

Name

Signature

Designation

**RESPONDER:** Please document response on back of page

ISBAR COMMUNICATION TOOL

ATTACH HOSPITAL LABEL HERE IF AVAILABLE

UR Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Given name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M / F

RESPONSE TO ISBAR

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

Summary of Situation

Summary of Your Assessment

Recommendations

Name

Signature

Designation



**FUNCTIONAL MAINTENANCE CARE PLAN AD 82.0**

**UR 112233**



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today:

<b>Interpreter:</b> N/Y		<b>Date:</b> ___/___/___		<b>LOS Day:</b> _____		<b>Comments / Progress / Plan updated:</b>		
<b>General</b>	<b>Observations</b>	<b>Frequency:</b>						
	<i>Additional Monitoring</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> BSL	<input type="checkbox"/> Neuro Vasc	<input type="checkbox"/> Weight	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Drain tubes/ICC _____		
	<i>Oxygen</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ LPM	<input type="checkbox"/> Nasal Prongs	<input type="checkbox"/> Face Mask	<input type="checkbox"/> Humidified			
<b>Pain</b> 	<i>Acute or Chronic</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Type/Location/Mx: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Sedation score _____						
<b>Cognition</b> 	<i>Orientation &amp; Behaviour</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Alert	<input type="checkbox"/> Oriented	<input type="checkbox"/> Drowsy	<input type="checkbox"/> Confused			
	<i>Supportive Communication</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Aid – Left / Right <input type="checkbox"/> Dentures – Top / Bottom <input type="checkbox"/> Glasses / Legally Blind						
<b>Nutrition</b>  Ensure weekly weigh and rescreen for malnutrition risk weekly	<i>Assistance Required</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Nil	<input type="checkbox"/> Feeding	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral Hygiene	MST score: _____		
	<i>Fluid</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Fluid Bal. Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal Fluid	<input type="checkbox"/> Modified Fluids	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ L/Day FR	<input type="checkbox"/> IV / NGT / PEG	<input type="checkbox"/> NBM	
	<i>Food</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Food Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> Full Ward Diet	<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetic Diet	<input type="checkbox"/> Modified Diet	<input type="checkbox"/> HEHP diet	<input type="checkbox"/> Supplements	<input type="checkbox"/> IV / NGT / PEG
<b>Medication</b> <i>(must be supervised)</i> 	<i>Assistance Required</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Nil <input type="checkbox"/> Crushed medication						
	<i>IV Cannula</i>	Location: _____		Resite Due: _____				
	<i>Patch</i>	Location: _____		Change Due: _____				
<b>Continance</b> 	<i>Bladder</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> IDC	<input type="checkbox"/> Prompting	<input type="checkbox"/> Continent	<input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent	<input type="checkbox"/> Stoma _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Skin regime if double incontinence		
	<i>Bowel</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Bowel Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> Prompting	<input type="checkbox"/> Continent	<input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent			
<b>Skin Integrity</b>  Braden score ≤ 12 high risk 13-14 medium risk 15-18 low risk	<i>Pressure injury prevention</i>	Braden Score: _____ Due on ...../...../..... <input type="checkbox"/> Pressure Care as per Braden Ax <input type="checkbox"/> Daily full skin check for ALL patients				<input type="checkbox"/> Air Mattress <input type="checkbox"/> Turning regime <input type="checkbox"/> Elevate heels <input type="checkbox"/> ROHO cushion		
	<i>Wound Mx</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Wound(s) present <input type="checkbox"/> Wound chart updated						
<b>Mobility &amp; Self-Care</b> 	<i>Transfers/ Off bed/On bed</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Hoist: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> (1) Slide sheet	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent	<input type="checkbox"/> (2) Slide sheets	
	<i>Ambulation</i>	WB Status: _____		Gait Aid: _____				
	<i>Toileting</i> *OTF = over toilet frame	<input type="checkbox"/> IDC / Pad / Pan / Bottle / Commode / Toilet	<input type="checkbox"/> OTF*	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent		
	<i>Hygiene</i>	Sponge / Shower Chair / Standing Shower		<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent	
	<i>Dressing</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent			








**Discharge Destination:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EDD:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nurse Initials (Each Shift)**    **A.M.** \_\_\_\_\_    **P.M.** \_\_\_\_\_    **Night** \_\_\_\_\_

FUNCTIONAL MAINTENANCE CARE PLAN

# FUNCTIONAL MAINTENANCE CARE PLAN AD 82.0

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

Interpreter: N/Y _____		Date: ____/____/____ LOS Day: _____		Comments / Progress / Plan updated:	
<b>General</b>	<b>Observations</b>	<b>Frequency:</b>			
	<i>Additional Monitoring</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> BSL	<input type="checkbox"/> Weight	<input type="checkbox"/> Drain tubes/ICC _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Neuro Vasc _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
	<i>Oxygen</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ LPM	<input type="checkbox"/> Face Mask		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Nasal Prongs	<input type="checkbox"/> Humidified		
<b>Pain</b> 	<i>Acute or Chronic</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Type/Location/Mx: _____			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Sedation score _____			
<b>Cognition</b> 	<i>Orientation &amp; Behaviour</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Alert	<input type="checkbox"/> Drowsy		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Oriented	<input type="checkbox"/> Confused		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____			
	<i>Supportive Communication</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Aid – Left / Right			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Dentures – Top / Bottom			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Glasses / Legally Blind			
<b>Nutrition</b>  Ensure weekly weigh and rescreen for malnutrition risk weekly	<i>Assistance Required</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Nil	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	MST score: _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Feeding	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral Hygiene	Next MST screen due: _____	
	<i>Fluid</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Fluid Bal. Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ L/Day FR	Next weight due: _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Normal Fluid	<input type="checkbox"/> IV / NGT / PEG		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Modified Fluids	<input type="checkbox"/> NBM		
	<i>Food</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Food Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> HEHP diet		
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		<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetic Diet	<input type="checkbox"/> IV / NGT / PEG		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Modified Diet	<input type="checkbox"/> NBM		
<b>Medication</b> (must be supervised) 	<i>Assistance Required</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Nil	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Crushed medication			
	<i>IV Cannula</i>	Location: _____	Resite Due: _____		
	<i>Patch</i>	Location: _____	Change Due: _____		
<b>Continence</b> 	<i>Bladder</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> IDC	<input type="checkbox"/> Continent	<input type="checkbox"/> Stoma _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Prompting	<input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent	<input type="checkbox"/> Skin regime if double incontinence	
	<i>Bowel</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Bowel Chart	<input type="checkbox"/> Continent		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Prompting	<input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent		
<b>Skin Integrity</b>  Braden score ≤ 12 high risk 13-14 medium risk 15-18 low risk	<i>Pressure injury prevention</i>	Braden Score: _____ Due on ...../...../.....		<input type="checkbox"/> Air Mattress	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Pressure Care as per Braden Ax		<input type="checkbox"/> Turning regime	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Daily full skin check for ALL patients		<input type="checkbox"/> Elevate heels	
	<i>Wound Mx</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Wound(s) present		<input type="checkbox"/> ROHO cushion	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Wound chart updated			
<b>Mobility &amp; Self-Care</b> 	<i>Transfers/ Off bed/On bed</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Hoist: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent		
		<input type="checkbox"/> (1) Slide sheet	<input type="checkbox"/> (2) Slide sheets		
	<i>Ambulation</i>	WB Status: _____	Gait Aid: _____		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Independent	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Unable to assist		
	<i>Toileting</i> *OTF = over toilet frame	IDC / Pad / Pan / Bottle / Commode / Toilet			
		<input type="checkbox"/> OTF*	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent		
	<i>Hygiene</i>	Sponge / Shower Chair / Standing Shower			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent		
	<i>Dressing</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-up	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervise		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Assist	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent		
Discharge Destination:			EDD:		
Nurse Initials (Each Shift)	A.M.	P.M.	Night		



# FUNCTIONAL MAINTENANCE SCREENING TOOL

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- To be completed within 8 hours of admission.
- At least 1 action must be taken for each domain

Date of Admission: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ Reason for Admission: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Goal/s (in their own words): \_\_\_\_\_

	Usual Status at Home	Status on Admission	Action/s Taken	Date	Initials
<b>Cognition</b>  Delirium Dementia Depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Previous episode of delirium or post-operative confusion <input type="checkbox"/> Diagnosed cognitive impairment: <input type="checkbox"/> Dementia <input type="checkbox"/> Depression <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding behaviour, memory or emotional health	<input type="checkbox"/> Confused / disorientated <input type="checkbox"/> Poor short term memory <input type="checkbox"/> Wandering / exit seeking <input type="checkbox"/> Agitated / aggressive / restless <input type="checkbox"/> Hallucinating / delusional / paranoid <input type="checkbox"/> Fluctuating level of consciousness <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn / apathetic / lethargic <input type="checkbox"/> Disturbed mood / sleep / appetite <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of interest in usual activities	Nil issues identified / nil action required Discuss with Medical Team Collect information about usual routine Commence Behaviour Management Plan / Chart Commence Patient Special Needs Assessment and Management Chart Refer to Psychologist / C-L Psychiatric Nurse Other: _____		
	<b>Nutrition &amp; Swallowing</b>  Height: _____ cm Weight: _____ kg	<input type="checkbox"/> Chewing / swallowing difficulties <input type="checkbox"/> Specified diet: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Specified fluids: _____ L/day <input type="checkbox"/> Fluid restriction: _____ L/day <input type="checkbox"/> Diagnosed diabetes with unstable blood sugar levels <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding poor appetite / nutritional status	<input type="checkbox"/> Gurgling breathing / wet voice / choking / coughing with eating and / or drinking <input type="checkbox"/> Recent pneumonia ( in past 1/12) <input type="checkbox"/> Feeding assistance / Set up Only 1. Have you lost weight recently without trying? (in last 6 months) No <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure <input type="checkbox"/> If Yes, amount: _____ 1-5kg <input type="checkbox"/> 6-10kg <input type="checkbox"/> 11-15kg <input type="checkbox"/> 15kg+ <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Have you been eating poorly because of a decreased appetite? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Total malnutrition risk score (1+2): <input type="text"/>	All <b>patients</b> : Weekly weigh & re-screen for malnutrition If malnutrition risk score: ● = 2 commence High Energy High Protein Diet (HEHP) ● > 2 refer to dietitian Discuss with Medical Team Commence nil by mouth / specified diet / specified fluids Commence Daily Fluid Balance / Food Chart Refer to Speech Pathologist / Diabetes Educator Refer to Feeding Assistance Program Other: _____	
<b>Medication</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty swallowing medication <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty opening medication packets <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty remembering to take medications <input type="checkbox"/> Medication management: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding medication use	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in ability to take medications <input type="checkbox"/> Requiring additional assistance to take medications <input type="checkbox"/> Taking 4 or more medications <input type="checkbox"/> On warfarin / insulin / other "high risk" medications	Nil issues identified / nil action required Discuss with Medical Team Refer to Pharmaceutical Care Plan Refer to Pharmacist Other: _____		



	Usual Status at Home	Status on Admission	Actions/ Taken	Date	Initials
<b>Continence</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> Urinary / faecal incontinence <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation / diarrhoea <input type="checkbox"/> Continence management: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns / pain / embarrassment regarding bladder or bowels	<input type="checkbox"/> Urinary / faecal incontinence <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation / diarrhoea <input type="checkbox"/> Indwelling catheter (IDC) <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal urinalysis result	Nil issues identified / nil action required Discuss with Medical Team Commence Inpatient Continence Assessment and Management Form / Bowel Function Chart Commence Daily Fluid Balance / Food Chart Other:		
<b>Skin Integrity</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> History of skin tears / fragile skin <input type="checkbox"/> History of leg ulcers <input type="checkbox"/> Previous pressure ulcer <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding skin integrity <input type="checkbox"/> Risks to skin integrity - incontinence or diarrhoea / immobility / malnutrition	<input type="checkbox"/> Current skin tears <input type="checkbox"/> Current pressure injury <input type="checkbox"/> Current wound <input type="checkbox"/> Any reddened areas (observe all areas including back of head, spine, sacrum, lower legs, heels and toes)	<b>ALL PATIENTS:</b> Assess risk: <i>Braden Pressure Ulcer Risk Ax Tool</i> Skin checks: <i>Daily full skin integrity checks</i> Commence Wound Management Chart Refer to Wound Care Nurse / Podiatrist Other:		
<b>Mobility / Falls</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> Bedbound / assisted / supervised / independent mobility <input type="checkbox"/> History of falls in last 12 months <input type="checkbox"/> Mobility aids: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding unsafe mobility / dizziness / frailty / home access <input type="checkbox"/> Ability to comprehend mobility tasks	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in mobility status / weight bearing / balance / cognition <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to assist with on/off bed tasks <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to assist with transfers <input type="checkbox"/> Unsteady / unsafe mobility <input type="checkbox"/> Admitted as the result of a fall <input type="checkbox"/> Fall since admission	<b>ALL PATIENTS:</b> Assess falls risk: <i>Falls Risk Assessment, Prevention &amp; Management Plan.</i> Unable to assist on/off bed - Use slide sheets & bed mechanics Unable to assist with transfers - Use mechanical aid Refer to PT / OT ( <i>all sub-acute patients</i> ) Other:		
<b>Self-Care (activities of daily living)</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully dependent / assisted / supervised self-care <input type="checkbox"/> Community services: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding self-care	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced ability to perform self-care <input type="checkbox"/> Unsafe ability to perform self-care	Nil issues identified / nil action required Perform Barthel / FIM ( <i>sub-acute patients only</i> ) Refer to OT ( <i>all sub-acute patients</i> ) Other:		
<b>Pain</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> History of chronic pain – specify details:	<input type="checkbox"/> Current pain – specify details:	Nil issues identified / nil action required Discuss with Medical Team Other:		
<b>Social &amp; Communication</b> 	<input type="checkbox"/> Social isolation <input type="checkbox"/> Legal issues <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns regarding social situation <input type="checkbox"/> Supportive communication _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Carer stress <input type="checkbox"/> Family conflict <input type="checkbox"/> Potential inability to return to previous living arrangements <input type="checkbox"/> Communication issues	Nil issues identified / nil action required Refer to Social Worker ( <i>all sub-acute patients</i> ) Refer to Speech Pathologist Other:		

Staff Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_  
 and Signature \_\_\_\_\_

A.M. \_\_\_\_\_

P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Night: \_\_\_\_\_



# BRADEN PRESSURE ULCER RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL

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**Assessment to be completed:**

- On admission to Western Health
- 2/7 post admission
- Weekly thereafter (acute/subacute) OR if the patient's condition deteriorates.
- Monthly (residential care)

High Risk ≤ 12  
Medium Risk = 13-14  
Low Risk = 15-18  
Nil Risk ≥ 19-23

**DATES OF ASSESSMENT** →

7/5/19  
Today

**RISK FACTOR**

**SCORE/DESCRIPTION**

14

RISK FACTOR	1. COMPLETELY LIMITED	2. VERY LIMITED	3. SLIGHTLY LIMITED	4. NO IMPAIRMENT	Score
<b>SENSORY PERCEPTION</b> Ability to respond meaningfully to pressure-related discomfort.	Unresponsive (does not moan, flinch, or grasp) to painful stimuli, due to diminished level of consciousness or sedation OR Limited ability to feel pain over most of body surface	Responds only to painful stimuli. Cannot communicate discomfort except by moaning or restlessness, OR Has a sensory impairment that limits the ability to feel pain or discomfort over 1/2 of body.	Responds to verbal commands but cannot always communicate discomfort or need to be turned, OR Has some sensory impairment which limits ability to feel pain.	Responds to verbal commands. Has no sensory deficit which would limit ability to feel or voice pain or discomfort.	4
<b>MOISTURE</b> Degree to which skin is exposed to moisture	<b>1. CONSTANTLY MOIST</b> Skin is kept moist almost constantly by perspiration, urine, etc. Dampness is detected every time patient is moved or turned.	<b>2. OFTEN MOIST</b> Skin is often but not always moist. Linen must be changed at least once a shift.	<b>3. OCCASIONALLY MOIST</b> Skin is occasionally moist, requiring an extra linen change approximately once a day.	<b>4. RARELY MOIST</b> Skin is usually dry; linen only requires changing at routine intervals	4
<b>ACTIVITY</b> Degree of physical activity	<b>1. BEDFAST</b> Confined to bed.	<b>2. CHAIRFAST</b> Ability to walk severely limited or nonexistent. Cannot bear own weight and/or must be assisted into chair or wheelchair.	<b>3. WALKS OCCASIONALLY</b> Walks occasionally during day but for very short distances with or without assistance. Spends majority of each shift in bed or chair.	<b>4. WALKS FREQUENTLY</b> Walks outside room at least twice a day and inside room every 2 hours during waking hours.	2
<b>MOBILITY</b> Ability to change and control body position	<b>1. COMPLETELY IMMOBILE</b> Does not make even slight changes in body or extremity position without assistance.	<b>2. VERY LIMITED</b> Makes occasional slight changes in body or extremity position but unable to make frequent or significant changes independently.	<b>3. SLIGHTLY LIMITED</b> Makes frequent though slight changes in body or extremity position independently.	<b>4. NO LIMITATIONS</b> Makes major and frequent changes in position without assistance.	3
<b>NUTRITION</b> Usual food intake pattern.  NPO: Nothing by mouth IV: Intravenously TPN: Total Parenteral Nutrition	<b>1. VERY POOR</b> Never eats a complete meal. Rarely eats more than 1/3 of any food offered. Eats 2 servings or less of protein (meat or dairy products) per day. Takes fluids poorly. Does not take a liquid dietary supplement OR Is NPO and/or maintained on clear liquids or IV for more than five days	<b>2. PROBABLY INADEQUATE</b> Rarely eats a complete meal and generally eats only about 1/2 of any food offered. Protein intake includes only 3 servings of meat or dairy products per day. Occasionally will take a dietary supplement, OR Receives less than optimum amount of liquid diet or tube feeding	<b>3. ADEQUATE</b> Eats over most meals. Eats a few servings of protein (meat, dairy products) each day. Occasionally will refuse a meal, but will usually take a supplement if offered, OR Is on a tube feeding or TPN regimen, which probably meets most of nutritional needs.	<b>4. EXCELLENT</b> Eats most of every meal. Never refuses a meal. Usually eats a total of 4 or more servings of meat or dairy products. Occasionally eats between meals. Does not require supplementation.	3
<b>FRICITION AND SHEAR</b>	<b>1. PROBLEM</b> Requires moderate to maximum assistance in moving. Complete lifting without sliding against sheets is impossible. Frequently slides down the bed or chair, requiring frequent repositioning with maximum assistance. Spasticity, contractures, or agitation leads to almost constant friction.	<b>2. POTENTIAL PROBLEM</b> Moves freely or requires minimum assistance. During a move, skin probably slides to some extent against sheets, chair, restraints, or other devices. Maintains relatively good position in chair or bed most of the time but occasionally slides down.	<b>3. NO APPARENT PROBLEM</b> Moves in bed and in chair independently and has sufficient muscle strength to lift up completely during move. Maintains good position in bed or chair at all times.		2

**TOTAL SCORE: Total score of 12 or less represents HIGH RISK**

INITIAL SIGNATURE

DESIGNATION

Level of risk **MUST BE** documented on reverse side of this form and appropriate preventative strategies implemented/documentated with each assessment.

BRADEN PRESSURE ULCER RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL

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PATIENT IDENTIFICATION LABEL

## Pressure Ulcer Preventative Strategies

Each risk assessment to be dated, document actual score and tick strategies implemented

RISK ASSESSMENT DATE: → *Jan 2014*

Low Risk Braden Score = 15-18		SCORE			
<b>Skin Integrity</b>	Check daily and document presence of pressure ulcers				
<b>Education</b>	Provide educational pamphlet to patient / carer				
<b>Bed device/s</b>	High density Macmed "Oze Ultimate"				
<b>Seating</b>	Educate patient to shift weight independently 15/60 if able				
	Encourage patient to stand hourly to relieve pressure- if chair-bound requires ROHO cushion				
<b>Turning regime</b>	Able to turn self				
	Two hourly				
	Four hourly				
<b>Heel devices/aids</b>	Elevate heels using pillows OR wedges if patient has restricted mobility				
	Loose bed clothes OR bed cradle				
	Slide sheets				
Medium Risk Braden Score = 13-14		SCORE			
<b>Skin Integrity</b>	Check daily and document presence of pressure ulcers				
	Skin care regimen neutral pH soap and protective barrier creams if patient incontinent				
<b>Education</b>	Provide educational pamphlet to patient / carer				
<b>Bed device/s</b>	High density Macmed "Oze Ultimate"				
<b>Seating</b>	Educate patient to shift weight independently 15/60 if able				
	Stand patient hourly to relieve pressure if chair-bound				
	ROHO cushion if unable to reposition self independently				
<b>Turning regime</b>	Able to turn self				
	Two hourly				
	Four hourly				
	Other (specify)				
<b>Heel devices/aids</b>	Head of bed 30 degrees unless medical condition contraindicates				
	<b>Score 1 or 2 in mobility</b> Allevyn heels to reduce shear and friction				
	Elevate heels using pillows OR wedges				
	Loose bed clothes OR bed cradle				
	Slide sheets / lifting devices				
<b>Allied health</b>	Activate knee brake on bed				
	Referral to Dietitian for nutritional assessment				
	Referral to physio to increase mobility to pre-morbid function				
High Risk Braden Score = ≤12		SCORE			
<b>Skin Integrity</b>	Check daily and document presence of pressure ulcers				
	Skin care regimen pH neutral soap and protective barrier creams if patient incontinent				
<b>Education</b>	Provide educational pamphlet to patient / carer				
<b>Bed device/s</b>	Macmed "OzeUltimate" + ROHO mattress or alternating air mattress				
<b>Seating</b>	ROHO cushion if sitting out of bed				
	Limit seating to <2 hours at a time				
	<b>DO NOT</b> sit patient out of bed for >one hour if grade 3 or 4 pressure ulcer on sacrum / ischial tuberosity (need medical consent)				
<b>Turning regime</b>	Two hourly				
	Four hourly				
	Head of bed 30 degrees unless medical condition contraindicates				
<b>Heel devices/aids</b>	<b>Score 1 or 2 in mobility</b> Allevyn heels to reduce shear and friction				
	Elevate heels using pillows OR wedges				
	Loose bed clothes OR bed cradle				
	Slide sheets/lifting devices				
	Activate knee brake on bed				
<b>Allied health</b>	Referral to dietitian for nutritional assessment				
	Referral to physio to increase mobility to pre-morbid function				
		RN completing assessment to initial	<i>FB</i>		





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## **Nursing Transfer Letter**

To Nursing Staff,

Thanks you for accepting Georgie Grigg into your care. She is a delightful 71-year old lady who sustained # Left NOF and 2 Left # ribs following a fall yesterday. As she is on holiday here, she requires transfer for urgent surgery.

Past history: Paroxysmal AF, NIDDM on insulin, R) TKR, OA, IHD

**CNS:** alert and orientated, PEARL, regular analgesia for hip and rib pain,

**CVS:** Vital signs stable, afebrile

**Resp:** Chest clear, SaO2 95% R/A, pain on coughing due to rib fractures

**GIT:** Tolerating diabetic diet and fluids, bowels opened this morning

**Metabolic:** QID BSL stable 5.8 – 9.4mmols/l, Lantus 23 i/u nocte + metformin 1g BD

**Skin:** Pressure areas intact

**Renal:** Urine output satisfactory

**Mobility:** RIB

**Social:** Widowed, lives alone, but Ivy her younger sister lives nearby. Supportive Sister Ivy, who has been notified about imminent transfer to sunshine hospital. Appears to have some concerns regarding her sisters ability to return home.

Thanks you once again for accepting this lady into your care

Regards

Janet Jones, RN



**PHYSIOTHERAPY DISCHARGE SUMMARY**



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Date: Yesterday

Dear Physiotherapist,

Bradma

Therapist: B. Wilson

Phone number/Pager 234

**CURRENT FUNCTIONAL LEVEL:**

TRANSFERS

	Independent	Supervision	Assist x 1	Assist x 2
Bed Mobility	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lying to Sitting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sitting to Standing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

MOBILITY

	Independent	Supervision	Assist x 1	Assist x 2
Ambulation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gait Aid Used: <u>RIB</u>				
Exercise Tolerance: Current: <u>RIB</u>				
				Pre-morbid: <u>100m (arthritis in knee)</u>

STEPS – not assessed yet

Front: _____	Rail(s): _____	Independent	<input type="radio"/>
Back: _____	Rail(s): _____	Supervision	<input type="radio"/>
Internal: _____	Rail(s): _____	Assist x 1	<input type="radio"/>
Gait Aid Used: _____		Assist x 2	<input type="radio"/>

**Pre-morbid function: independent, SPS, 100m ltd by arthritis. Falls history – 2 near misses.**

**Additional comments (eg. precautions, objective measures, falls, cognition, chest, etc.):**

L #NOF post fall -transfer to Sunshine for DHS as was on holiday here. Pain issues++, Associated rib #s – no acute chest issues.

**Treatment Aims:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further information.

Regards,

Physiotherapist







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Dear colleague,

Thanks for accepting care of Georgie as discussed on the phone (Dr Shem to Dr Calzone)

She requires urgent surgery for # NOF. Please note she has also 2 x left rib #.

Past history : T2DM, Right TKR, paroxysmal AF, OA

Yours sincerely

Dr Peter Benton

Orthopaedic resident

