



AFFIX PATIENT LABEL HERE

# Health Questionnaire/ Nursing Assessment

**Post to:** Boulcott Hospital Admissions  
PO Box 31459  
Lower Hutt 5040

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666 High Street  
Lower Hutt 5040

**Email to:** [bookings@boulcotthospital.co.nz](mailto:bookings@boulcotthospital.co.nz) (Please bring original copy with you on admission)

**SURGEON:**

**OPERATION DATE:**  /  /

**PERSONAL DETAILS**

**Patient Name:**  
Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss/Mstr/Dr

*Surname*

*Given names*

**NHI Number (if known)**

**Date of Birth**

/  /

**Height**

*Metres*

**Weight**

*Kilograms*

**BMI**

*If known*

Please complete – this information is important for your anaesthetist

**PREVIOUS HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS**

Have you ever had surgery or been admitted to hospital before? ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO**

Year:	Operation/Illness:	Hospital:
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**HEALTH PROFESSIONALS**

List the name(s) of the clinic / doctors / nurses / specialists you see.

Name:	Reason for seeing:	Date of last visit:
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HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE

If you have ever had any of the following medical conditions, please tick 'Yes' or 'No' and provide further details if applicable.

HEART AND LUNG HEALTH	YES	NO	COMMENTS
High blood pressure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Chest pain / Angina	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Heart attack	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Palpitations or irregular heartbeat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Pacemaker or implanted cardiac defibrillator (ICD)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Heart surgery e.g. stents, valve replacement, bypass	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Heart failure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rheumatic fever	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Heart murmur	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Any other heart conditions?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
In hospital for asthma	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
COPD, Emphysema, Chronic Bronchitis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Lung surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is your lung condition well controlled?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

SLEEP HEALTH	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Obstructive Sleep Apnoea	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you use a CPAP machine?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Has anyone observed you stop breathing in your sleep?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you snore loudly? (loud enough to be heard through closed doors)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you often feel tired, fatigued or sleepy during the daytime?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

DIABETES	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Type 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Type 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Diet controlled <input type="checkbox"/>			
Do you currently use:			
Insulin <input type="checkbox"/> Tablets <input type="checkbox"/> Other injections <input type="checkbox"/> Insulin pump <input type="checkbox"/> Continuous Glucose Monitor (CGM) <input type="checkbox"/>			

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NEUROLOGICAL HEALTH	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Are you under treatment for a neurological condition e.g. head injury, concussion?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Stroke (CVA) or minor stroke (TIA)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Epilepsy / fits / seizures / blackouts If yes, when was the last time?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Migraines or bad headaches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Paraplegia or areas of impaired sensation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Muscle or neurological condition e.g. MS, Parkinson's, Muscular Dystrophy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Dementia/ Alzheimer's / memory loss / episodes of confusion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Severe agitation or confusion while in hospital following surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Depression, anxiety, PTSD, phobias	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Neurodivergence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

BLOOD DISORDERS	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Blood clots in the legs (DVT) or lungs (PE)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Bleeding disorder or family history of Von Willebrands, haemophilia, factor V Leiden	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Anaemia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

OTHER CONDITIONS	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Thyroid condition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Liver condition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Kidney (renal) condition e.g. one kidney, dialysis, kidney stones	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Urinary problems e.g. bed wetting, Incontinence, recurrent infections	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Urinary catheter or self-catheterise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Gastric reflux / hiatus hernia / stomach ulcer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Inflammatory bowel disease / Crohn's / Ulcerative colitis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Bowel or stomach surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Any other gastrointestinal issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Arthritis / rheumatoid / psoriatic arthritis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Joint replacements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Eczema / skin conditions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Chronic pain syndrome	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Any other medical condition you feel we should know about	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

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GENERAL ANAESTHETICS	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Have you ever had a general anaesthetic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Any problems / side effects / complications with recovery e.g. slow to wake, nausea & vomiting, confusion, agitation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Has any blood relative had problems / reactions to anaesthetic?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Any conditions that run in your family e.g. Malignant hypothermia, muscular dystrophy, Thalassaemia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Any jaw problems e.g. jaw locking Difficulty opening mouth wide	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Restrictions with neck movement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Can you walk up 2 x flights of stairs without getting breathless?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
If no, can you walk for a distance of 100 metres on a flat surface without getting breathless?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
If no, do you get breathless with activities such as showering or dressing?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Do you suffer from motion sickness?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Do you have dentures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	plates <input type="checkbox"/> capped <input type="checkbox"/> loose teeth <input type="checkbox"/>

INFECTION CONSIDERATIONS	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Have you travelled overseas in the last 12 months?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Location(s): .....
Have you had any contact with a hospital overseas in the last 12 months?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Location(s): .....
Have you been admitted to a NZ hospital out of the Greater Wellington region in the last 12 months?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Location(s): .....
Transmittable diseases e.g. TB, HIV / Hepatitis B, C	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Multi drug resistant organism or treatment for MRSA, VRE, ESBL, VRSA, CPE/CPO or Candida Auris	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Do you currently have any cuts, scratches, sores or acne on your skin?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

ALLERGIES, SENSITIVITIES	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Medications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Foods	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Plasters / tapes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Latex	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

LIFESTYLE / CULTURAL	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Do you have any dietary requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Have you ever smoked	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ex smoker <input type="checkbox"/> .....
Do you currently smoke tobacco / vape	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Amount per day .....
Do you use recreational drugs?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
If so, what & how much & how often			.....
Do you drink alcohol regularly?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
If yes, how much per week			.....
Do you think you may be pregnant?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....
Do you have any cultural / religious needs we should be aware of	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....

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**LIFESTYLE / CULTURAL**

YES

NO

COMMENTS

Do you speak English fluently

☐☐

if no, which language .....

Do you require an interpreter (fee may apply)

☐☐

Would you like any surgically removed body parts or metalware returned to you if possible?

☐☐

Do you have any piercings that can't be removed

☐☐

Any vision impairment?

☐☐Contacts ☐ Glasses ☐

Hearing impairment

☐☐

Do you use a hearing aid?

☐☐Left ☐ Right ☐ Bilateral ☐

Do you have a cochlear implant?

☐☐

Any other special needs you would like us to know about

☐☐**MEDICATIONS**

YES

NO

COMMENTS

Do you take any regular medications?

☐☐**(If YES, please complete the separate medication reconciliation form)****DISCHARGE PLANNING**

YES

NO

COMMENTS

Do you have any restrictions with mobility?

☐☐Do you use any mobility aids  
e.g. crutches, wheelchair?☐☐

Do you have any stairs at home?

☐☐

Have you had a fall in the last 12 months?

☐☐

Can you get out of a chair without using your hands?

☐☐Have you stopped doing some activities because  
you're afraid you might lose your balance?☐☐

Do you worry about falling?

☐☐Do you currently receive assistance or have you arranged any community services for after your discharge? ☐ YES ☐ NO**COMMENTS**

Are you going to your own home on discharge?

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If NO, please state where: .....

Do you have a responsible adult to stay with you on the  
night of discharge following a day procedure?☐☐N/A ☐ .....

Do you have someone to drive you home?

☐☐

Do you anticipate any problems on discharge?

☐☐

If YES, please explain:

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**The above details have been completed by: (Please sign below)**Patient ☐ Guardian ☐ Relative ☐ Other ☐ Please state.....

Signature: ..... Date: .....

If within 7 days prior to your admission you have any of the following; cough, cold, flu-like symptoms, vomiting, diarrhoea, broken or infected areas of skin – please contact Boulcott Hospital Admissions – Phone 04 5697 555 ext 814.

**HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION ONLY**

Reviewed by:

Date:

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## FOR HOSPITAL USE ONLY

### FOR PRE-ASSESSMENT

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YES

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NO

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Phone

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Nurse Clinic

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Anaesthetist

### PRE-EXISTING RISKS IDENTIFIED – DOCUMENT ADVICE GIVEN:

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Cardiac surgery/arrhythmias/ Pacemaker / MI

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Airway complications

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OSA +/- CPAP machine

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Anaesthetic reactions

☐

Diabetes

☐

History of DVT/ PE

☐

Taking anti-coagulants

☐

Allergies

☐

Bleeding disorder

☐

Tissue / Metalware Return

☐Weight  $\geq$  100kgs☐

Fall Risk

☐BMI  $\geq$  40☐

CVA / TIA

☐

Skin integrity / high pressure area risk

☐

Discharge arrangements

Anaesthetic issues: .....

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Medical History: .....

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Pre-op medication instructions: .....

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Other including social or discharge issues:

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External Notes Requested ☐Theatre Notified ☐ Yes ☐ NoAnaesthetist notified ☐ Yes .....(name + date) ☐ No

Nurse Signature: .....

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