

CONSTR ADAM STRAIN

04/08/91
Male
EHSSB
CONSULTANT

WD/OP

DATE

OPERATION DATE

PRE-SURGERY ASSESSMENT OF PATIENT BY THEATRE STAFF

PATIENT'S IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

Yes specify

Has patient been in theatre before? YES/NO

Patient's Parent's understanding of sequence of events

Specified anxieties expressed

NO YES

Allergies

Have the following been removed

Jewellery

1. Hearing

2. Vision

3. Speech

4. Mobility

5. Weight

6. Condition of skin

Note any other information relevant to preventing complications

Check

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specify

YES NO

Hair Accessories

Prosthesis

YES NO

Has consent form been signed?

Has premedication been given?

Has the patient been fasting?

Signs

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TYPE OF ANAESTHETIC

POTENTIAL PROBLEMS	AIM OF CARE	NURSE'S RESPONSIBILITIES	NAMED NURSE	COMMENTS/EVALUATION	SIGNATURE
<u>Communications</u> Anxiety due to illness and impending surgery	To express anxiety	Receive Patient: Assess perceived anxiety & anxiety of parents present. Consider and respond to needs. Stay with patient.		all accompanied by mother & sister. No consent. No staff present.	
<u>Breathing</u> Airway obstruction	Maintenance of clear airway	Have all necessary equipment available. Check for loose teeth. Report to anaesthetist during Anaesthetic procedure.		Equipment available & functioning. Anaesthetist present.	
<u>Excess secretions</u> Excess secretions, fluids	Maintenance of fluid and blood volume	Monitor, record and report intake and output, if necessary. Weigh swabs & record & report to anaesthetist if necessary			
<u>Express sexuality</u> Potential for sexual abuse	Maintain dignity	Expose only as necessary		Dignity maintained	
<u>Maintaining Safe Environment</u> Incorrect identification Incorrect surgery performed	Correct identify patient and proposed surgery	Ensure checking procedure is complete and relevant details recorded and completed		Identity correct. Consent signed.	