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SURGICAL SHORT STAY UNIT

Dear Mr O'Gorman

Arrangements have been made to admit you under the care of Mr Dimitrios Moschonas to the Surgical Short Stay Unit on **Wednesday 17-Apr-2019 at 12:30.**

Due to the unpredictability of emergency admissions your procedure may be postponed at short notice. If this should occur we will endeavour to arrange a new date with you as soon as possible.

You have an agreed Booked Admission, please put the date in your diary, as we will not be sending a reminder.

Please report direct to the Surgical Short Stay Unit bringing this letter and enclosures with you. Be prepared to wait for your surgery and bring a book/magazine to occupy you while you wait. The staff will do their best to make you comfortable during your stay.

You will be given a general anaesthetic. You may have a **light early breakfast (e.g. tea & toast) before 07:00am** and then you must stop eating, this includes sweets and chewing gum. **Between 07:00am and 11:00am** you may drink as much clear fluid as you like: this includes water, black tea/coffee, clear fruit juice without pulp. **At 11:00am, have a glass of fluid** and then be nil by mouth.

Contact the Surgical Short Stay Unit on **(01483) 406828**, if you are taking any medication or are diabetic.

Remember to bring all of your current medicines with you in the original labelled containers. This includes: tablets, capsules, liquid medicines, inhalers, drops, sprays, creams, insulin's etc. Don't forget to bring in medicines that you have bought for yourself e.g. any vitamin supplements, herbal or homeopathic remedies that you may take. It is important that you bring your medication into hospital to allow doctors, nurses and pharmacy staff to clearly see exactly what medications you take.

You **MUST** have a responsible adult to collect you when you are discharged and take you home either by car or taxi and they must be able to stay with you for 24 hours after your operation.

The Trust has pay on exit alongside a pay and display system that accepts payment by coins, debit/credit cards or via 'Waytopark' mobile application. There are car parking facilities for disabled drivers near all hospital entrances.

Yours sincerely



A Butler
Admissions Office
Monday to Friday 08:30-16.00

Please let us know if your address/contact details change meantime.

IMPORTANT: Please inform us if your operation is to be done privately or if your operation is done after being admitted to Accident and Emergency.

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