

Easy read

Support with your needs



We want to give you the best hospital care.



We ask you to give us information about yourself.



We ask questions that help us understand your needs and support you.

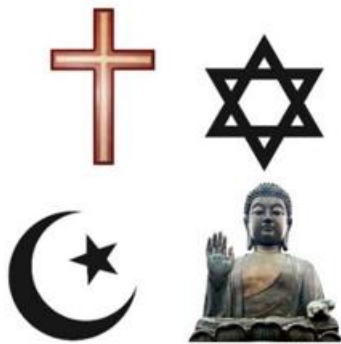


We might need to check that information we already have about you is correct.

Types of support you might need in hospital



Please tell us if you need to eat a special diet or avoid any foods.



Please tell us if you have a religion or belief and need spiritual healthcare.



We can help you find a quiet place to think or pray in hospital.



If you need help getting in and out of buildings, we will arrange this.

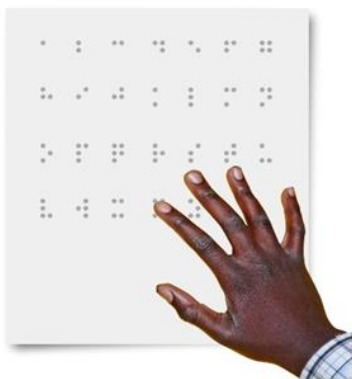


We can support you if you need help talking to hospital staff or understanding information.



You might need to

- use British Sign Language (BSL)



- use Braille



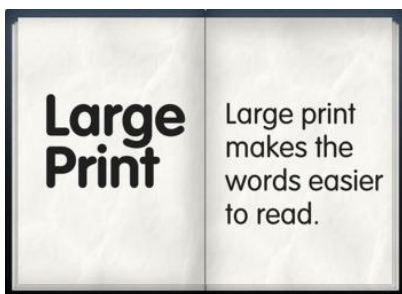
- have an interpreter who speaks your language

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- be given information that is written in your language



- be given easy read leaflets



- be given large print leaflets

Who sees the information about your needs



The information about your needs is **confidential**. Only hospital staff looking after you see this information.

Updating your information



If your needs change, please ask hospital staff for help.



They can update the information in your records.

Speak to someone



If you are worried or have questions you can speak to someone.



You can speak to hospital staff.



They can give you more information about how we can support you.

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