

My Exit Interview: A patient-centred discharge plan

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Today's ER Visit:

My Exit Interview

A summary of today's visit, to improve continuity of care.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Hospital: _____

For ED Staff:

- Review and discuss the visit and next steps in clear language with the patient.
- Ask them to rephrase or repeat to see they understand
- Fax this Exit Interview to their caregivers/community workers if at all possible.

Today's Visit:

Problem that brought me to hospital:

Tests that hospital staff did:

What hospital staff found out:

What hospital staff did to help me:

Name(s) of ED staff member that I saw today: (MD, NP, SW, RN, etc.)

Additional Information for Primary Care:

Medications and Follow-up instructions:

Was a new medication prescribed? YES or NO

If Yes:

Medication:

I am to take this _____ times per day.

I am to stay on this for _____ days

Reason prescribed:

Medication: _____

I am to take this _____ times per day.

I am to stay on this for _____ days

Reason Prescribed: _____

I should come back to hospital if:

This is someone at the hospital that me, or my caregivers can speak with to plan for any future emergencies:

Name: _____

Appointments

Were any other appointments made? YES or NO

If Yes,

Name: _____

Appointment Location: _____

Reason for the referral: _____

Will they call me? Yes or No

If I should call them, their number is: _____

I should try to see my Family Doctor within _____ days.

Notes: (Include strategies that were helpful for today, recommendations for follow-up, considerations for future planning, etc.)

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Patients/Caregivers:

If you would like to provide feedback on this tool, please contact us at ddcares@camh.ca. We would love to hear from you!

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