



MR MICHAEL L. GORDON
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EAR, NOSE AND THROAT,
HEAD AND NECK SURGEON

ADULT AND PAEDIATRIC E.N.T.
RHINOPLASTY
SNORING AND SINUS DISORDERS
EAR DISORDERS
ACOUSTIC NEUROMA
BONE ANCHORED HEARING AID
IMPLANTS (BAHA)

Hospital Information

BEING ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL (Patient's copy)

Please arrive at.....Hospital at.....on.....

Do not eat or drink anything after MIDNIGHT for morning surgery. (not even water)

Do not eat or drink anything after 7 am for afternoon surgery (prior to 7 am have a light breakfast eg. tea and toast). Fasting after 7.00 am not even water.

Please bring all appropriate **X-Rays and scans** with you to hospital. Your surgery could be cancelled if these are not with you.

You will need to bring personal toiletries to the hospital. Please do not bring any valuables.

Aspirin or similar medications and fish oil should not be taken for 10 DAYS prior to surgery. Call your GP to advise when to recommence these medications after surgery. If you are taking Warfarin please notify Mr Gordon immediately.

The anaesthetist will examine you prior to surgery. The anaesthetist will take a detailed history. It is most important to take with you to the hospital ALL medication which you are taking or which you have taken over the preceding two weeks.

There are three sets of fees to be considered. Mr Gordon's fee, the Anaesthetist and the Hospital fee. Accounts for your surgery will be sent to your Private Health Fund directly from Mr Gordon's rooms and you will **be responsible to pay the GAP depending on your health fund.** There will be an invoice sent to you after the procedure for an additional fee not covered by Medicare or Health funds. This fee will vary with the complexity of the operation. There is a separate fee for the anaesthetist, partly claimable from Medicare/and or your Private Health Insurance. Please call the anaesthetist if you need to know the approximate out of pocket for your surgery. Payment of hospital fees will be expected on the day of admission. You will need details of your Private Health Fund if you are insured.

Certain procedures require some pathology testing and there will be separate accounts for this. These can be claimed from Medicare and/or Private Health Fund.

A POST-OP appointment will be made to see Mr Gordon after surgery.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to call the rooms - 9527 2888.

A cancellation fee will apply for procedure cancellation within 2 working days of the scheduled operation date.

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