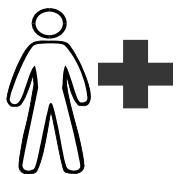


What will happen at my appointment?



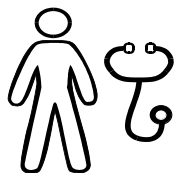
When you are called for the first time, the nurse will:

- ◆ check your weight
- ◆ check your height
- ◆ check your blood pressure
- ◆ take your specimen of urine to be tested

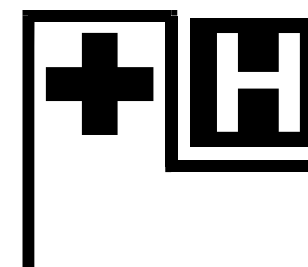


You will then be asked to wait again for a short while to see the doctor.

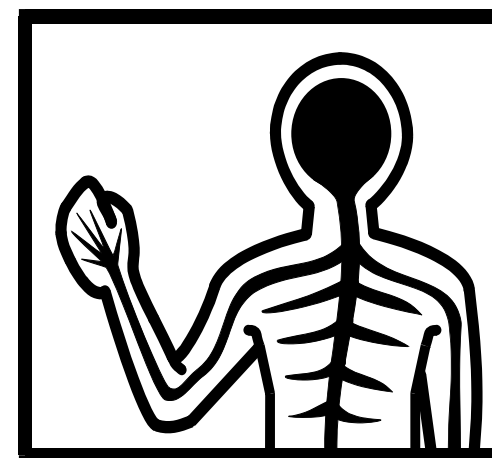
The doctor will take you to a private consulting room and will:



- ◆ ask you some questions about your health and the problems you have been having recently
- ◆ examine you
- ◆ explain what might be wrong with you
- ◆ discuss the treatments available to you or arrange for you to have more tests.



Neurology Clinic



Outpatient Department

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What is the Neurology Clinic?

You will see a specialist doctor who will assess your problems.

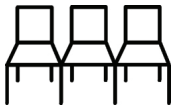


If you need help or a wheelchair, please phone us before you come. Our phone number is on your appointment letter. Please try to arrive on time.

What should I do when I get the Outpatient Department?



When you arrive, go to the reception desk. Either hand in your appointment card or give your name.

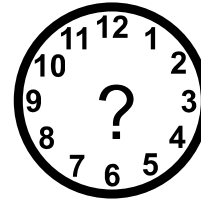


The receptionist will ask you to sit in the waiting area. Someone from the clinic will call your name when it's your turn to be seen.

What should I do if I cannot come?



If you cannot come to your appointment please phone the number on your appointment letter or e-mail the address on your appointment letter.



How long will my appointment take?

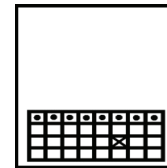
Please allow up to 30 minutes for your appointment. When the clinic is very busy you may have to wait.

We will tell you how long you have to wait.

We will give you another appointment time if you cannot wait.

What should I bring to the appointment?

Bring:



- ♦ your appointment card.



- ♦ someone who might have seen you faint, collapse or have a seizure



- ♦ A specimen of urine. You can get a bottle for the specimen from your doctor or at your local chemist shop.