



Surgery Preparation

Wolfson 2nd Floor, Main OR

Ages 3-5



I am going to Wolfson Children's Hospital for surgery.



I will check in and wait for my name to be called.
I can watch my favorite TV show while waiting!

Weight



Height

When it is my turn, my nurse's helper will check my temperature, how tall am I, and how much I weigh!

What color
will it be?



My nurse's helper will wrap a flashlight Band-Aid on my finger to check on me. It will feel sticky.

Stay still like a statue!




The nurse's helper will place a wrap on my arm.
It will give my arm a short, tight hug.



My nurse and doctor will listen to my heartbeat.



In my preop room, I will change into special, clean hospital pajamas and socks. Next, I will wait to meet my doctors and nurses. While I am waiting, I can color, play with toys, or watch TV!



What can I see on the way?

I can pretend I am riding a boat!

When it is my turn, I will say “See you later!” to my family. Next, I will ride my bed down this river hallway to go to my sleeping room.

My family will wait for me in the waiting room.



In my sleeping room, will see the doctors and nurses dressed in green hospital pajamas. They are super clean just like me!



This is my sleeping room. I will see machines and cool stuff to look at while the doctor's helpers put my flashlight Band-Aid and wrap back on.



I will wear three stickers on my chest to watch my heartbeat.
They will feel sticky and cold.



I will wear a soft mask over my nose and mouth to breathe sleepy air. My sleepy air will smell like candy!

I will fall asleep and I will not feel my surgery.



When I wake up, I can watch TV and see my family again!
It will feel like I was asleep for only 5 minutes!

My small straw
has tape to keep
it safe!



I will have a small, bendy straw in my hand or arm when I wake up.
This straw will go away before I go home and does not hurt!



I will get a yummy slushy and snacks when I am done!



I did it! I am so strong and brave!