This is my

Health Passport

For people with Learning Disabilities coming into hospital

My Name Is

If I have to go to hospital this book needs to go with me, it gives staff important information about me.

It needs to hang on the end of my bed and a copy should be put in my notes.



Nursing and medical staff please look at my passport before you do any interventions with me, anybody else; please ask permission before you look at my passport.

The information that is written in red is essential for you to read

NOTE: For those completing the Hospital Passport, please underline any essential information in RED or highlight

This is an information document NOT a decision-making tool.

Information within this passport has been gathered from people who know me well with support from Sheffield Mencap.

Please check later in this document for when this information was last updated and confirm any important information.

Date this passport was completed:









My full name:

I like to be known as:



Date of Birth:



Address:



Telephone Number:



NHS Number:



Ethnicity:

Religion and any religious needs:



My next of kin / emergency contact:

Their relationship to me (e.g. mum, friend, carer):

Address:

Telephone:



My GP / Practice name:

Address:

Telephone number:

Other services and professionals involved:

The date of my last annual health check:

My support needs & who gives me the most support:



How I communicate including which language(s) I use:



Consent: An adult is presumed to have capacity to consent unless proved otherwise. No adult can consent for another. If a person is unable to consent, best interest guidelines apply (Mental Capacity Act 2005). If you are concerned about the person's capacity to give informed consent, or require any further information, please contact adult Social care.



Sensory information e.g. sight, hearing and touch:



Allergies:

Medical interventions – how to take my blood, give injections, blood pressure etc:



Please note: If a person is assessed as being unable to consent, best interest guidelines apply (Mental Capacity Act 2005). Please ensure that this is followed.



Heart or breathing problems:



Risk of choking, Dysphagia etc (eating, drinking and swallowing):





NOTE: This is correct at the time of writing which is:

This information was collected from:

Please check that this is still correct!

My diagnosis, medical history and treatment plan:



Admitting Me



On admission, please notify my 'Key Contact' and 'Key Health Contacts' (refer to back pages of this document)



How to communicate with me:



How I usually take medication (tablets, injections, liquid):



How you know I am in pain and where is it:



Support for moving around (posture in bed, walking aids, transferring etc):



Support needed with pressure care:



Support with personal care (washing, dressing etc):



Support with sight/hearing:



Support with eating (likes/dislikes, cutting up food etc):



Support with drinking (quantities, thickened fluids, likes/dislikes etc):



How to keep me safe (bed rails, support with challenging behaviour etc):



Support with toileting (continence aids, help getting to the toilet etc):



Sleeping (Sleep pattern/routine):

Discharging Me

Please do not discharge me without speaking to my 'Key Contact' and checking that the relevant 'Health Contacts' have been notified (please see back page)

Likes: For example – What makes me happy? What do I enjoy doing? i.e., watching TV, reading, listening to music, my routines, talking to people etc

Dislikes: For example – What makes me sad? What do I dislike? i.e., shouting, being told what to do, food I do not like, physical touch etc

Things I like (please do these):







This section of my passport is detachable. When completed, a new sheet needs to be used every time I am admitted into hospital.

Please retain all documents for my records

The Matron has been informed of my support needs to ensure my safe admission and transfer to the ward

Matrons name:

Ward manager's name:

Matron sign:	Ward manager sign:	
Admission date:	Admission date:	
My support staff notes My support staff are asked to detail bel other health and care professionals dur signed and dated.	ow communications they have with any ing my stay. Each entry should be	
Please contact my Key Contact for any further information: My Key Contact name:		
Relationship to me:		
Their telephone number(s):		
Address:		

Notes:	





Health Contacts

Please check my Key Contact has informed the relevant Health Contact when I am discharged

Name of Health Contact	What area of health does this person help me with (e.g. physio)	Contact Details



Vaccinations

Please check my vaccinations are upto to date

Vaccination	Date received & by whom	Date repeat vaccination required
Shingles vaccine		
Influenza vaccine		
COVID vaccine		



Annual Health Checks

Should be completed annually with your GP

Completed by	Contact Details
	Completed by

Updating my passport

Please put the date you checked this passport and the date it was updated. Please

include your name and any relevant contact details

The date this was last checked	Date updated (if updated)	Name of person that checked and updated this passport

Please display this page so that all hospital staff and visitors can see it, e.g., on the wall next to my bed



Hello, my name is:



How I say hello:



How I drink/let you know I would like a drink and my favourite drink:



How I eat/let you know I am hungry:



How I show I am happy or unhappy: