

INFORMATION FOR THE PARENTS OF THE PATIENTS ADMITTED ACCORDING TO A SCHEDULE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRAUMA AND ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY

On the day of admission the patient should possess:

1. Documents:

- ☞ referral to the hospital issued by a paediatrician or ward medical doctor
- ☞ health insurance card
- ☞ examination results, X-ray images
- ☞ identity card
- ☞ family health insurance card
- ☞ identity card of the carer
- ☞ hospital summary discharge reports
- ☞ child's health book
- ☞ paediatric consultation (information on the patient's health condition) before a scheduled admission to the hospital (Basic Health Care)

2. Toiletries:

- ☞ towel
- ☞ toothbrush
- ☞ soap
- ☞ comb
- ☞ shampoo

3. Pyjamas – 2 pairs and slippers

4. Cutlery and mug

5. School equipment for the schoolchildren

To be admitted to the hospital please report to the admission room:

- ☞ between 9:00 and 11:00 am for procedures scheduled for the next day
- ☞ by 2:00 pm Sunday
- ☞ between 7:00 and 8:00 am for procedures scheduled for the same day

Infections in the case of a procedure to be performed

The child must not suffer from any infectious disease, including nasal congestion, cough, fever or increased body temperature, diarrhoea and subjective symptoms, e.g.

weakness, bone aching.

In the case of a contact with persons suffering from an infectious disease a waiting period of at least ten days is required.

Preparation of the patient for the procedure

Infants and small babies – last feeding at 5:00 am (liquid food)

Older children – last highly digestible meal at 8 pm, last drinking (water or tea) at around midnight on the day preceding the date of the medical procedure.

The patients admitted for a procedure must be with an empty stomach

The parent must be present in the hospital in the morning before the commencement of the procedure (8:00 - 8:30 am).

The patient admitted to the hospital department should be bathed, should get his/her hair washed. The child's nails should be short and unpainted and he/she cannot wear any jewellery.

Stay of the carer in the hospital

The carer may stay in the hospital together with the child. Information on the conditions of stay in the hospital department is provided on the date of admission to the hospital. Only one person can stay with the patient in the hospital during the night.

Contact number to the secretary's office of the Department of Trauma and Orthopaedic Surgery: (32) 207 18 08; 207 18 31.