

Patient record

1 Which *Scrub up* patient is recorded on this form?

PATIENT RECORD			
Surname	Grady	First name	Jim
DOB	2.3.50	Gender	M F
Occupation	retired		
Marital status	widowed		
Next of kin	son		
Contact no.	07765 432178		
Smoking intake	n/a		
Alcohol intake	30 units per week		
Reason for admission	snake bite		
Medical history	high blood pressure		
Allergies	none		
GP	Dr Parkinson, Central Surgery		

2 Find words and abbreviations in the patient record with these meanings.

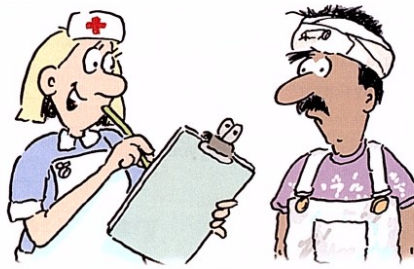
- job occupation
- bad reactions, for example to certain medications _____
- family doctor _____
- closest relative _____
- the amount of something you eat, drink, etc. regularly _____
- date of birth _____
- male / female _____
- past illnesses and injuries _____
- married / single / divorced / widowed _____
- not applicable (= not a question for this patient) _____
- in each (day, week, etc.) _____
- number _____

Listening

A patient record form

1 Listen to the nurse get personal details from a patient. As you listen, complete the form.

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Surname
First name
Gender	M F
DOB
Place of birth
Occupation
Marital status
Next of kin
Contact no.
Smoking intake
Alcohol intake
Reason for admission
Family history	
<input type="checkbox"/> mental illness	<input type="checkbox"/> tuberculosis
<input type="checkbox"/> diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> HIV/AIDS



2 Listen again and complete these questions that the nurse asks.

- What _____ you?
- _____ date of birth?
- _____ you born?
- _____ married?
- _____ smoke?
- _____ do you smoke a _____?
- _____ allergic to _____?
- Do any of your _____ family _____ from any of the following ...?

Speaking

1 Student As work together in pairs. Student Bs work together in pairs. You are going to play the role of a patient admitted to hospital. Invent the following details.

- full name
- date and place of birth
- allergies
- smoking and alcohol intake
- occupation
- marital status
- next of kin
- reason for admission
- family history
- medical history

2 Student A – you are the nurse. Ask Student B, the patient, questions to complete the patient record below.

3 Now change roles.

PATIENT RECORD

Surname
First name
Gender	M F
DOB
Place of birth
Occupation
Marital status
Next of kin
Contact no.
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Medical history
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In hospital

Translate the words in colour into your language.

1. Does he have the results of his X-ray?
2. The doctor gave me an injection.
3. I needed four stitches to sew the wound.
4. I'll just put a bandage on the burn.
5. This injury won't leave much of a scar.
6. You'll need an anaesthetic to relieve the pain.
7. They all suffered from a shock.
8. We work in the same ward, the intensive care.

2. Hospital departments. Match the departments with the ideas a-f below.

1. emergency department (casualty ward)
2. children's ward
3. operating theatre
4. intensive care
5. obstetrics (maternity ward)
6. outpatient's department

- a. She's just had her first baby.
- b. She cut her arm badly.
- c. He's having his operation.
- d. Our ten-year-old has a very high temperature.
- e. I had to go for a check up.
- f. She is very ill, she needs constant attention.

Complete the following exercises.