

Pre-admission HI Patient and Family Checklist

Patient: _____ **DOB:** _____

Mother: _____ **DOB:** _____ **Phone:** _____

Father: _____ **DOB:** _____ **Phone:** _____

Preferred language: _____

Name of hospital personnel completing this form _____

Phone number _____ Date _____

Please check the boxes which have been completed and comment as indicated

- Insurance for patient (family should bring all insurance cards, including prescription/pharmacy card for all family members coming to stay with patient)

Name of Insurance for Patient _____

Patient Insurance ID number _____

Insurance Case Manager (if identified) Name _____

Phone number _____

- Help family arrange housing (Ronald McDonald House, local hotel). *See attached information sheets.*

Arrangements are: _____

- Flight/travel arrangements for return trip: airline, bus or train ticket arrangements.
Family is responsible for arranging and paying for transportation home.

- Visiting adults must bring photo ID.

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- Family must have financial means for meals, housing, parking etc. while in Philadelphia- (cash, credit cards, food stamps). Please indicate outcome of discussion with family.
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- Start SSI application process if applicable.

Date application was filed _____

- Get WIC contact information if applicable. Family will need to apply for WIC immediately upon discharge from CHOP or local hospital.

WIC Contact information:

Name _____

Phone Number _____

- Pediatrician info:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

- Local endocrinologist, surgeon, etc. who will follow patient after discharge home.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

- Local pharmacy near home for prescriptions to be filled.

Pharmacy Name _____

Pharmacy Phone number _____

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- Name of local nursing agency that participates in family's health insurance plan for possible home visits

Name _____

Phone _____

- Name of DME (durable medical equipment) suppliers and infusion agencies that participate in family's health insurance plan. (National Providers preferred in case equipment and supplies need to be delivered to Children's Hospital of Philadelphia for transport home.)

DME/Infusion Agencies _____

Phone _____

- Arrange for family to bring car seat for return trip.
- Help ensure mother of patient has been seen for postnatal follow-up prior to transfer.
- Are there other community agencies involved with the family (Child Protective Services, Probation Officer etc.)? Please give contact information.

- Any other issues, concerns that we should be aware of in regards to the family (i.e. parental disabilities/ legal issues/ custody issues. etc.

Please fax to the attention of HI Center at 215-590-3053.

HI Flights

What to Bring:

- Daily medications
- Clothes for parent and child (only one small carry-on bag/suitcase is allowed)
- Government issued ID (driver's license or passport). Pilot will check for this prior to take off.
- Comfort measures used for child (pacifier, toy, blanket)

Car Seat:

- If the child is stable they can sit in the car seat secured to the stretcher for the transport.
- If the child is critically ill or did not pass the car seat test they must be secured to the pedimate (5-point restraint system that is secured to the stretcher so that the stretcher can lie flat if needed).
- Check with the flight team to see whether there is enough room on the plane for the car seat if child is not using it during transport. If unable to bring the car seat, the other parent or family member can bring it to CHOP or a car seat will be provided at discharge.

Remember:

- The plane is very small and cramped. There is one small storage area which is used for the medical bags.
- Only one parent is allowed to go on the flight with the child.
- Most of the planes do not have a bathroom. Be aware of how much you drink the day of the flight.
- Your child will continue to receive the same care while on the flight (medications, both oral and IV, IV fluids and feeds).

CHOP is approximately 20 to 30 minutes from the airport. The transport will be completed by ambulance.