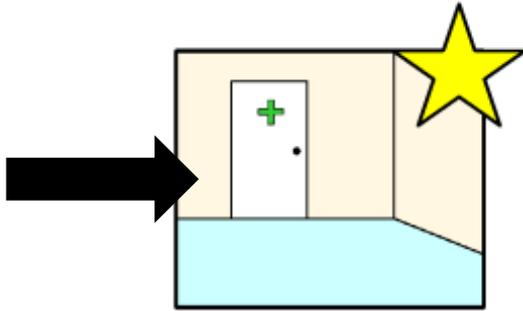


What happens in hospital when you have symptoms of Coronavirus Covid-19



When you arrive at the hospital you will go to a special place.



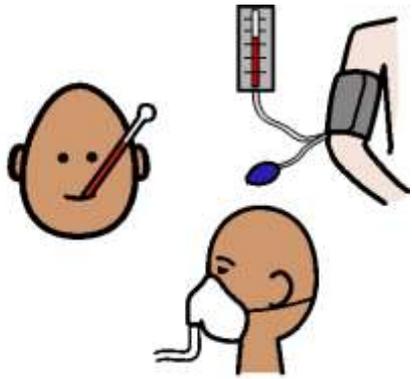
The staff in the hospital will be wearing special clothes.



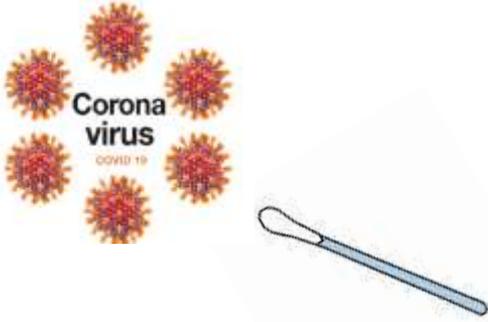
Your carer will talk to the staff about staying with you.



Your carer will need to wear the same special clothes.



The hospital staff will check your - temperature, blood pressure, and oxygen levels.



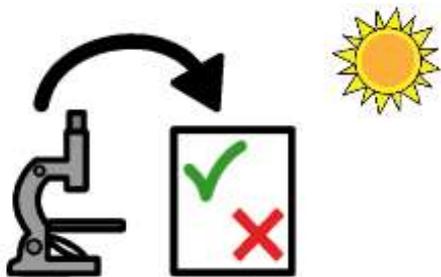
They will also do a test to see if you have Coronavirus.

They will use a little stick with cotton wool on the end called a swab to do this test.



One will go inside your mouth to touch inside your cheek.

One will go up your nose.



We will know if you have coronavirus or not, the next day.



You may need an oxygen mask to help you breathe.

It will go over your nose and mouth.

Try to keep this on.
It will help you.



If you are very poorly you may need to wear a CPAP mask.

This looks a bit like a Darth Vader mask!

There may be other patients wearing them too.

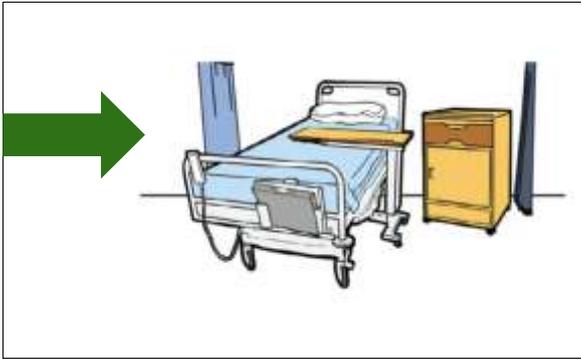


The mask is attached to a machine.

It makes a noise.

It sounds like someone breathing loudly.

It may make a farting sound.



When the doctors and nurses are ready, you will go to the ward.



The nurses will come and say hello.
They will look after you.



Your carer can go with you to the ward.
They will still be wearing their special clothes



Your carer will be able to help you feel comfortable being on the ward.
They may not be able to stay with you.



The nurses and doctors will look after you.
They will help you get better.



Jeanette might not be able to visit you on the ward but we will keep in touch with the ward to see how you are doing.

**If you need support with your admission,
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