

Patient Information Leaflet

Circumplast/Plastibell Procedure (Ring Method) (0-12 Years)

Date: _____ Name of child: _____

Date of Birth: _____ **Is the child on a child protection register? Yes No**

We are the boy's parents/legal guardian(s). We are asking you to do a circumcision operation (removal of the foreskin) on our son and we give you permission to do this operation. We understand and accept that there is a small risk with a circumcision operation. We have read and understand the aftercare sheet that has been given and agree to follow the instructions.

Signed: _____
Name: _____
* Mother or legal guardian

Signed: _____
Name: _____
* Father

Signed: _____
Name: _____
* Child 7 years and older

I am the counselor/surgeon who has given information to the parent or guardian of the above-mentioned boy.

I have given information about:

- How the circumcision procedure is done
- What to do after circumcision-written aftercare instructions given.
- Risks - bleeding, infection, migration (movement) of the ring, difficulty passing urine.
- May need emergency hospital admission to deal with a complication. This could require a re-operation under general anesthetic.
- What to do if there are any complications or problems after circumcision.
- An emergency contact number and information about what to do in cases of emergency.

I have given the client an opportunity to ask me questions about all the above. To the best of my belief the client has capacity to give consent and has enough information to make a proper decision about whether to proceed with the operation of circumcision.

Signed: **Dr Nadeem Ahmed** **Identification Check: Mother Father**
Checked by: _____

* Consent for children

Everyone aged 16 or more is presumed to be competent to give consent for themselves, unless the opposite is demonstrated. If a child under the age of 16 has "sufficient understanding and intelligence to enable him/her to understand fully what is proposed" (known as Gillick Competence), then he/she will be competent to give consent for him/herself. Young people aged 16 and 17, and legally 'competent' younger children, may therefore sign this Form for themselves, but may like a parent to countersign as well. If the child is not able to give consent for him/herself, someone with parental responsibility may do so on his/her behalf by signing accordingly on this form.