

SURGICAL SAFETY CHECKLIST

PT STICKER TO BE PLACED HERE

SIGN IN-PRE OP AREA

- PATIENT HAS CONFIRMED
- IDENTITY
 - SITE PROCEDURE
 - CONSENT

SITE MARKED/NOT APPLICABLE

PERIOPERATIVE CHECK LIST COMPLETE

**DOES PATIENT HAVE A:
KNOWN ALLERGY?**

YES NO

HAVE FOLLOWING WITH THEM:

- XRAYs/MRI/CT SCANS AND REPORTS
- NUMBER OF ENVELOPES OF X-RAYs
- NUMBER OF PATIENT RECORD FILES
- DENTURES
- PROSTHESIS

ANAESTHESIA TEAM REVIEWS:
ARE THERE ANY PATIENT SPECIFIC CONCERNS
TO BE CONSIDERED?

SIGNATURE OF ANAESTHETIC NURSE:

TIME OUT

SCRUB/SCOUT NURSE HAVE
INTRODUCED THEMSELVES TO
PATIENT-CHECKED CONSENT

*IF NOT WHY.....

TIME OUT =STAFF INVOLVED
CORRECT=*PATIENT *SITE *OPERATION

SURGEON ANAETHETIST SURGICAL ASSIST
 SCRUB RN SCOUT NURSE ANAESTHETIC NURSE

NURSING TEAM REVIEWS: HAS
STERILITY (INCLUDING INDICATOR STRIPS) BEEN
CONFIRMED? ARE THERE ANY EQUIPMENT
CONCERNS?

IMAGING ON DISPLAY/AVAILABLE?

YES N/A

IMPLANTABLE ITEMS AVAILABLE?

YES N/A

SIGNATURE OF SCOUT NURSE:

SIGN OUT - BEFORE LEAVING O.R.

SCRUB NURSE CONFIRMS:

CORRECT PROCEDURE
RECORDED BY SCRUB NURSE ON COUNT SHEET

COUNT IS CORRECT OR N/A

SPECIMEN IS LABELLED CORRECTLY
(INCLUDING PATIENT DETAILS)

PROSTHESIS SHEET IS CORRECT AND
COMPLETE

WHETHER THERE ARE ANY EQUIPMENT
PROBLEMS TO BE ADDRESSED

SIGNATURE OF SCRUB NURSE:

**ANAESTHETIC NURSE CONFIRMS
THAT THE FOLLOWING LEAVE WITH
THE PATIENT AS APPLICABLE:**

- XRAYs/MRI/CT SCANS AND REPORTS
- NUMBER OF X-RAY ENVELOPES
- NUMBER OF PATIENT RECORD FILES
- DENTURES
- PROSTHESIS

SIGNATURE OF ANAESTHETIC NURSE: