



QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER WHEN CHOOSING YOUR TREATMENT TEAM

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF

- Do I feel at ease and comfortable with this doctor?
- Do I feel heard and understood?
- Were my concerns, feelings and questions validated, taken seriously and addressed?
- Was the commute to the hospital or clinic and the parking doable?
- What's the office staff like, and how is their procedure for making or changing an appointment?
- Am I comfortable with being treated at the hospital that they are affiliated with?
- Did the team take my caregivers' wellbeing into account?

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR MEDICAL TEAM

- What's the procedure for an after-hours emergency or if you are away on a scheduled vacation?
- In an emergency, what's the likelihood of being seen the day of, or having a call returned by you promptly?
- Who else can I be in contact with if you are not available?
- Who else on your team can help me navigate next steps?
- Will you be in communication with the other doctors who are treating me?
- How would you feel if I wanted to get a second opinion?
- Do you keep updated on clinical trials?
- Do you offer any additional services during recuperation after surgery or while undergoing treatment (e.g. acupuncture, yoga, counseling, alternative therapies, cold caps)?
- It's really important that I still be able to _____ after treatment. Will you be able to help me accomplish that?
- What haven't I asked? What is important for me to know?

MY PERSONAL QUESTIONS

Please add any additional questions you would like to ask here:

If you have any personal questions or concerns, contact Sharsheret's clinical team at clinicalstaff@sharsheret.org or visit Sharsheret's website at www.sharsheret.org to learn more about our resources.

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