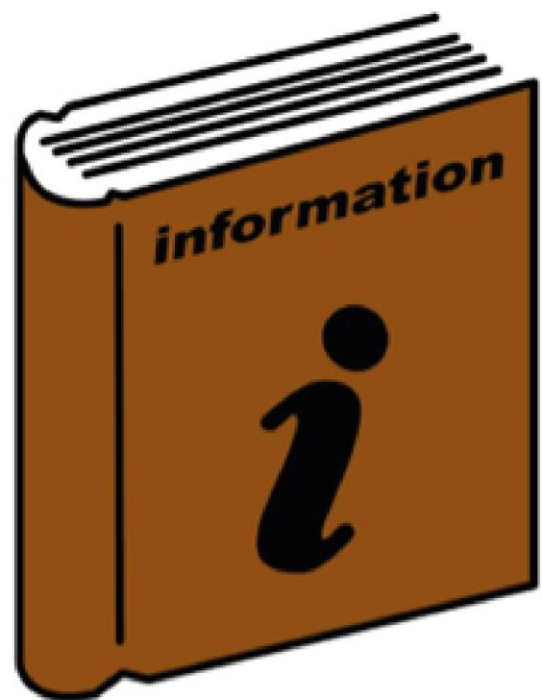


ReSPECT

Recommended Summary Plan for Emergency Care and Treatment

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ReSPECT stands for **R**ecommended **S**ummary **P**lan for **E**mergency **C**are and **T**reatment.



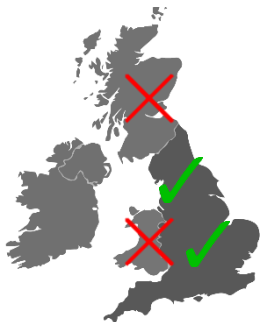
This is a short plan about what should happen if a person needs health care or treatment in an emergency.



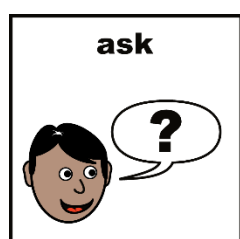
It is called ReSPECT for short.



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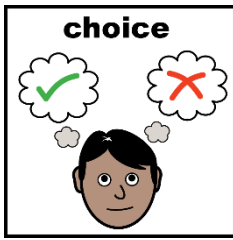
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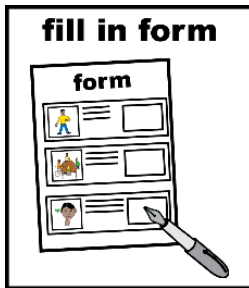
Ask your healthcare workers if ReSPECT is in your area yet.



ReSPECT plans are made by a patient and healthcare workers working together.

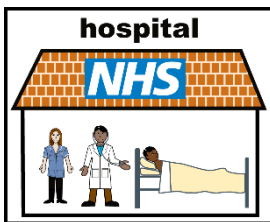


They may talk about what the person wants and what the choices may be.

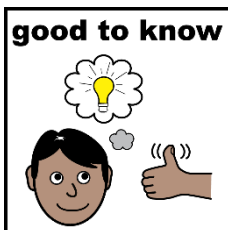


Then a ReSPECT plan is written down on a special form.

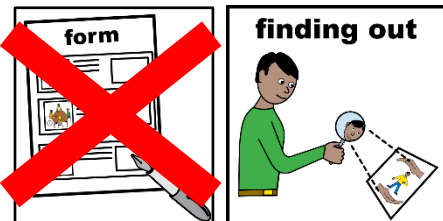
The patient and healthcare worker will fill in the form together.



You keep your ReSPECT form with you and you should bring it when you come to the hospital.



ReSPECT is a way of making sure that the people looking after you know your choices in an emergency.



But if you do not have a ReSPECT plan, the people looking after you will still do all they can to find out what you want in an emergency.



For further information go to www.respectprocess.org.uk



Further information is available from:



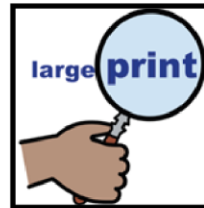
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