

The Pre-Admission Facility (PAF) Appointment

Please use this sheet to prepare for your appointment. Bring it with you when you come. The Pre-Admission Facility reviews your medical history and helps get you ready for surgery. Your surgeon will let you know if you need to have a PATC appointment.

What do I need to bring?

- Wear your glasses and hearing aids, if you use them.
- Do not wear perfumes. St. Michael's is a scent free hospital.
- Some people find it helpful to have a family or friend with them.

1. Medical Information:

- Completed pre-operative questionnaire from your surgeon's office
- Test results or notes with your medical information from your family doctor or specialist.
- Name and telephone number of your family doctor, medical specialist, and of your pharmacy.
- If you use a CPAP machine bring your settings

2. Insurance Information:

- Ontario Health Card
- Medical Insurance information

Medicines:

Any medicines that you are taking. Bring them in their original containers. These include:

- pills
- inhaler
- eye drops
- ear drops
- medicated creams
- cough syrups
- vitamins
- natural products

What will happen during my visit?

During your visit, please take your medicines and eat at your normal times.

Tell us if your doctor has told you that you have an infection.

During your visit you may:

- Meet members of the PATC team such as a nurse, doctors, and a pharmacist.
- Give information about your health and any medicines that you take.
- Learn what you need to do before and after surgery. Ask any questions you may have.
- Have medical tests if ordered by the doctor. This may include a blood test, x-ray or other tests.

How long will my visit take?

Your visit may take about 2 to 5 hours. This depends on what tests you need and the clinic's activity. We do our best to limit how long you wait. Please arrive 15 minutes before your appointment to give you time to register.

What if I have to cancel my visit?

Call your surgeon's office if you are unable to go to your PATC appointment. Your surgeon's office will make a new appointment for you.



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Contact information

Pre-Admission Facility 10th floor, Donnelly Wing St. Michael's Hospital Toronto

T: 416-864-5689

Hours of operation: 7:30 am to 5:30 pm

Directions to our clinic

1. Enter the hospital at the Queen Street entrance.
2. Take the elevators on your left to the 10th floor (you must use these elevators).