

Faith Based Transitional Care -- Primary Care Provider Visit

Call your Primary Care Provider (PCP) for an appointment – and say, ***“I’ve just been discharged from the hospital and need an appointment tomorrow.”***



Use this form to prepare for your appointment.

Doctor's Name _____

Appointment date: _____ Time: _____

Office
Location _____

1. Reason I was in the hospital _____

____ Bring the discharge papers that you received when you left the hospital to the appointment.

2. Medications I am taking

- ____ Bring a list (or the bottles) of medicines you are currently taking to the appointment that includes ----
- ____ *Prescribed medicine* that you get with a doctors order at the pharmacy
 - ____ *Over-the-counter* medicine that you can buy without a prescription
 - ____ *Vitamins, minerals, herbs, or nutritional supplements*

____ For each medicine on the list, write down how much you take and how often you take it.

____ Tell the doctor about allergies, sensitivities or side affects you have to medicine

3. Besides taking my medicines, what else do I need to?

____ Have extra help or equipment at home _____

____ Avoid caffeine, alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs _____

____ Avoid certain foods _____

____ Other _____

4. Which doctor or other health care provider will I see next and why? _____

5. How soon do I need to see this provider? _____

6. How do I make an appointment? _____

7. What tests or other procedures will I need? _____

8. Do I need a referral for other health care providers or tests? _____

9. How do I get the results from those tests? _____

10. Who should I call before my next appointment if I have questions or problems managing my care or dealing with my condition?

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

“MAY I HAVE A COPY OF THE INFORMATION FROM TODAY’S APPOINTMENT?”

You have a right to your personal health information and helps you keep track of your personal health information. These records will help prevent miscommunication when you see multiple health care providers.

YOUR QUESTIONS or CONCERNS TO TAKE WITH YOU TO YOUR NEXT HEALTH CARE VISIT!