

“GETTING TO KNOW ME”

What is it?

A brief explanation of some pertinent facts about a person and their capabilities.

Why would I need this?

During a hospitalization a person will come in contact with many different hospital personnel; if an explanation/snapshot of the person is there for all to read and learn, it may make the hospitalization easier for all involved.

What should it include?

Full name

What you like to be called

What your home setting is like

Status with ADL's

Status of your eyesight

Status for your hearing

Status of your communication skills

Status of your ambulation

Any adaptive equipment you use

Status of your feeding

Food/fluids you like/dislike

Something about your personality