

Stepping Stones to Home after Liver Transplant



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Being in the hospital can be stressful for you and your child. Before you take your child home, we will work with you to plan for your child's discharge. We want to make sure you know what to do and how to do it. We will make sure you:

- Understand your child's condition, treatments and medicines.
- Know what problems to look for, what to do, and who to call if you have questions or concerns.
- Feel ready to take your child home.
- Have an interpreter present if you need one.

This will start when we first meet you. We will use this *Stepping Stones to Home sheet*. This helps us make sure you understand everything that is important to care for your child. Every stepping stone is something you may need to know about.

We will talk about your child's care every day. We will ask you to teach-back to us these items on the stepping stones. We want to make sure we explained everything you need to know in ways you understand. If we are not clear, we will explain it another way.

If you don't understand something about your child's care, please ask. It is very important that you are comfortable and feel confident to take care of your child safely at home.

Notes or Questions