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Child and Adolescent Health Service Perth Children's Hospital

PATIENT NAME CHANGE

Med Rec. No:
Surname:
Forename:
Gender: D O B

The hospital requires **written notification** requesting changes to a patient's name. Requests to change critical information of this kind **must be signed by the patient or their legal guardian**.

If you are the foster carer, authorisation is required from the Department for Community Development (DCD).

If a legal name change is requested, one or more of the following types of documentation must be sighted as proof of the 'legal name' change and noted in the medical record:

- Registrar of births, deaths and marriages (including birth certificate)
- Deed poll
- Passport
- Court order
- Driver's licence.

(Please refer to "Patient Name Policy" on Health Point)

A name change <u>will not</u> be recorded on the patient's record unless such documentation is provided. If not sighted, only an 'also known as' addition will be made to the Central Patient Index (CPI) on TOPAS and medical record cover.

Please use BLOCK LETTERS in the space provided.

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Name known as before (old name):	Surname	
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Middle name	

Name now known as (new name): Surname

First name

Middle name

Sighted change of name documentation [(tick box)

Photocopy taken [(tick box)

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Date of Birth:	1	1	Male	Female	
I as the Patient / Legal Guardian of authorise Perth Children's Hospital to change this name.					
Signed:			Da	ate:/	

To be completed by PIMS CPI OFFICER

Date received by CPI (Officer: / /
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TOPAS updated with new information: ____/___/

CPI Officer to check for the following:

Out of date labels removed from medical record: Yes \(\square\) No \(\square\)

Staff member's name: Signature:

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