
Nursing Handover Checklist

1. Patient Information

- ☐ Patient's full name and identification number.
- ☐ Admission details (date, reason for admission, attending physician).
- ☐ Allergies and significant medical history.

2. Current Condition

- ☐ Vital signs and any recent changes.
- ☐ Pain management and current pain levels.
- ☐ Any recent tests or procedures and results.

3. Medications

- ☐ Current medication list with dosages and schedules.
- ☐ Recent medication changes or missed doses.
- ☐ Notes on any adverse reactions or side effects.

4. Ongoing Treatments and Procedures

- ☐ Details of wound care, IVs, or drains.
- ☐ Rehabilitation or therapy schedules.
- ☐ Instructions for special equipment (e.g., oxygen, catheter).

5. Pending Tests and Results

- ☐ List of scheduled diagnostic tests.
- ☐ Any critical results awaiting review.
- ☐ Follow-up on abnormal results.

6. Communication and Notes

- ☐ Key instructions from physicians or specialists.
- ☐ Family or caregiver updates and involvement.
- ☐ Any issues needing immediate attention.