

# CONSENT FORM CHECKLIST



## Patient fundamentals

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Name    | <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone number  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DOB     | <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency contact |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Address | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies etc.    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Email   |  |



## Information about the cosmetic procedure or surgery:

- (a) what the procedure or surgery involves, including the type of anaesthesia and pain management (if applicable)
- (b) for surgery, where it will be performed
- (c) for injectables, which injectable is being prescribed (type and quantity)
- (d) whether the surgery or procedure is new or experimental
- (e) the range of possible outcomes in the short and long term
- (f) the risks and possible complications in the short and long term
- (g) the risks specific to patient including possible impact of any comorbidities
- (h) for surgery, the possibility of the need for revision surgery or further treatment in the short term (such as capsular contracture) or the long term (such as replacement of implants after expiry date)
- (i) for non-surgical procedures, the possibility of the need for further treatment in short term (such as treatment for anaphylaxis, hyaluronidase to dissolve dermal filler, antibiotics) & long term (such as surgical removal of dermal filler)
- (j) recovery times and specific care requirements



## Information about the practitioner performing the surgery or non-surgical procedure:

- (a) Their registration type (general or specialist)
- (a) Their qualifications, training, and experience (including any endorsement for cosmetic surgery on their registration)
- (b) which other medical and health practitioners will be involved in the surgery or procedure

For example, this may include nurses, junior practitioners, anaesthetists etc.

(if applicable).



## Information about costs

- (a) total cost
  - (b) for surgery:
    - (i) costs of any implants or other devices
    - (ii) costs of other medical practitioners
- For example, assistant surgeon or anaesthetist fees
- (iii) facility costs, for example, theatre fees and hospital or day procedure centre costs
  - (iv) possible post-operative costs, including allied health support, garments or devices to support recovery
- (c) details of deposits and payments required including payment dates
  - (d) refund of deposits
  - (e) payments for follow up care
  - (f) possible further costs for revision or additional treatment
  - (g) advise patient that cosmetic procedure is not covered by Medicare

This checklist is a guide only and should be used in conjunction with your usual consent practices and record keeping procedures. Regard must be had to the specific circumstance of every patient, the procedure being performed and your obligations as a practitioner under the Code of Conduct.