

Questions to ask your doctor in clinic

Questions for your Health care provider (Doctor or Nurse Practitioner)

Our gynae department encourages shared decision making. This means that you and your doctor or nurse specialist share information and then make decisions together. If you want, you can also bring a support person, such as a family member or someone from your whānau.

We want to make sure that you leave your clinic appointment with all the information you need to make an informed decision about your treatment plan.

You are welcome to fill this form out yourself, or to ask your doctor to fill it out with you during your appointment.

What is the cause of my gynae problem (diagnosis)?

If my diagnosis is unclear, what are the possible diagnoses?

If I need tests, what could the tests be, and tell us?

What are my treatment options?

What are the side effects or risks (of my treatment options)

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If I have surgery, how likely is it to solve my problem?

If I have surgery, what are the specific risks involved?

Can this problem come back? Can I reduce the chance of it coming back?

Things that I need to do.

Where can I look for more information?

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