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We have implemented a great new tool for your patients- Online preop assessment with SourcePlus Passport.

Overview SourcePlus Passport: A secure, web-based software application, specifically designed to optimize Perioperative information workflow. The patient-friendly Passport solution allows patients to securely create and submit their own medical histories via the Internet and addresses many of the roadblocks that normally occur in the preop process.

The Process: When a patient is scheduled for a procedure; you will hand them an online pre-surgical instruction sheet to access a secure website and provide responses to Greater New Orleans Surgery Center's medical questionnaire. This completed medical history will immediately be available to the preop nurses in a legible/optimized format.

SourcePlus Passport empowers patients to take control of their own health information. By breaking down the complex process of obtaining a complete medical history into simple steps: allergies, current medications, etc., patients are able to quickly and easily complete a comprehensive, uniform medical history on their own.



What are the key benefits of Passport for the patient?

- ▶ Eliminate the inconvenience and time of having to receive a 20-30 minute pre-surgical call during the day.
- ▶ More convenient for patients who can complete the preop process at the time/place of their own choosing; often from the privacy and comfort of their own homes where they have access to all of their medications and or the added resource of a spouse or family member who may help provide additional medical information.
- ▶ Shorter, more focused, patient encounters improve efficiency and simultaneously improve patient satisfaction
- ▶ Once a patient completes an initial registration and medical history, the information only needs to be updated if any changes occur, never completely redone.
- ▶ The patient is creating their own personal health record that they can access and print from any PC. This is very helpful in an emergency situation.

The Results:

- ✓ **Greater patient convenience and satisfaction** - Allow patients to submit registration & medical information at a time that is convenient for them.
- ✓ **Clean, legible, and complete documentation.**
- ✓ Reduce RN time to manage missing/incomplete documentation and “telephone tag” time for patient/surgeon office “Paper Chase”.
- ✓ Reduces delayed/cancelled procedures due to incomplete documentation.

SourcePlus Passport is HIPAA compliant, requires no additional hardware or software, and seamlessly integrates with existing work processes. Medical facilities, physicians, nurses and administrative staff benefit from 24/7/365 access to timely, accurate, comprehensive, legible

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information while greatly reducing the time spent (cost) of caring for a patient. At the same time, the patient benefits from a far more efficient and convenient interaction with the healthcare system and less wasted time.

Frequently Asked Questions:

Is the system secure?

Information Security: *Passport* uses the highest grade of Internet security available: 128 bit encryption with SSL (secure socket layer) technology. Your information is stored on servers at a secure webhosting site and will only be accessible to your medical team at the surgery center and your physician. Your information is never released to anyone other than your medical team- The patient is in control!

Do patients have to complete a Medical Passport all at one time, or can they quit and restart it?

Patients can quit and restart as much as they need to.

Do I need special computer software?

No – all that is needed is a PC with an internet connection