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Who we might meet in the ED

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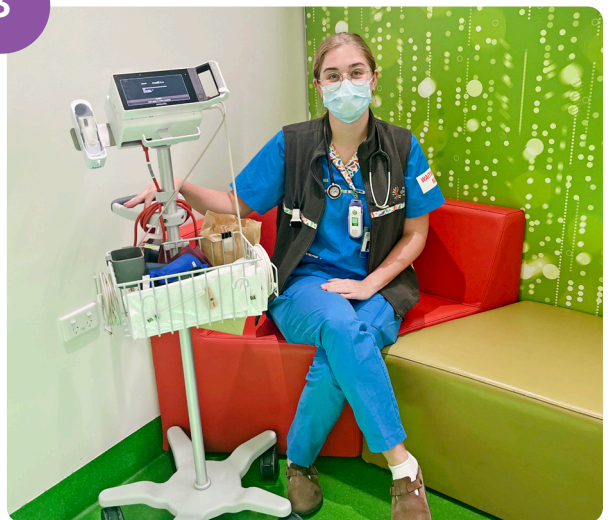
When we come to ED, we will meet lots of people.

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We will meet the triage nurse; we will tell them our story briefly so they can work out how quickly I need to see the doctor.

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Then I will usually go to the waiting room and meet another nurse, who will check my observations, find out a bit more about my story, and see if I need any medicines or tests started now.

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I will meet a ward clerk, who will confirm my name and address and phone number, so that all my paperwork is correct.

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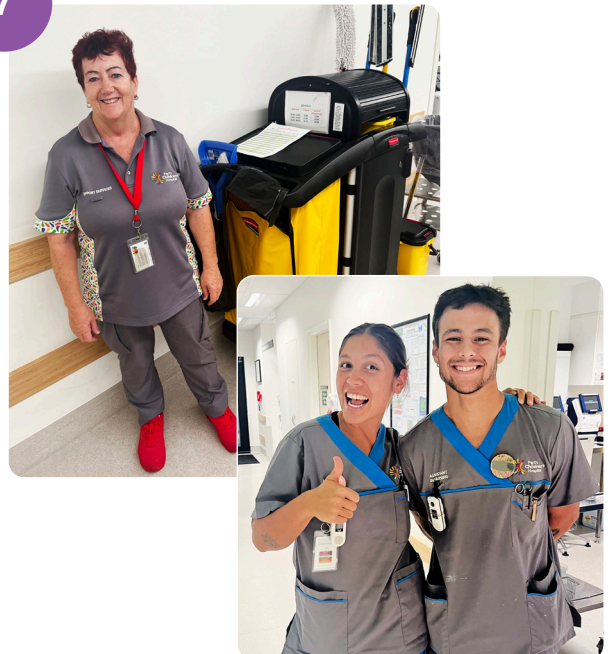
Usually, I will then move to a room with my caregiver and meet my nurse and my doctor. They will ask more detailed questions so they can work out how best to help me. I will likely see this nurse and doctor a few times while I'm here.

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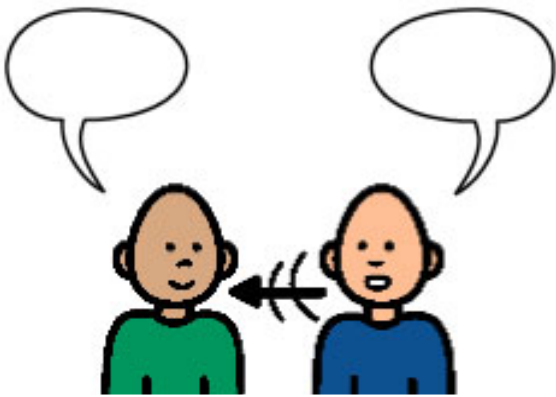


I may also meet a senior doctor or a doctor from a different team, to help with my individual needs.

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I may also see cleaners, nursing assistants, volunteers, and other staff, who help keep the hospital running well.



If I want to know who somebody is, I can always ask their name and what their job is.