

RANDWICK DAY SURGERY

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Pre-Admission Testing For Surgical Patients

The following guidelines for pre-admission testing apply to Day-Stay patients and should be performed within three months of the procedure. **Please arrange for these tests to be done prior to admission.** Testing could be done either through the patient's General Practitioner or the relevant pathology service. **Results must be faxed to Randwick Day Surgery (02) 9314 5331 prior to the operation.**

If there are any queries regarding these guidelines please contact Randwick Day Surgery on (02) 9398 8190.

Pre-Operative Testing

1. Patients Under 55 years of age with no known diseases:

No routine investigations required

2. Patients under 55 years with known diseases (e.g. cardiac, respiratory, renal, CNS etc):
 - a. ECG
 - b. Na/K/BSL/Creatinine
 - c. Full blood count

3. All patients over 55 years:
 - a. ECG
 - b. Na/K/BSL/Creatinine
 - c. Full blood count

Other tests may be ordered as indicated.

Pre-Operative Medications

All regular medications should be taken at 0600 the day of surgery with a small sip of water. The only exception is for diabetic patients on oral hypoglycaemics – these must be omitted. Insulin dependent diabetics will be contacted by the anaesthetist to discuss management.

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