



Acknowledgement by Non New Zealand Residents

As part of your admission procedures to Manuka Street Hospital you are required to complete the documents in our standard patient admission pack ('Your Admission Pack'). Because you are not a New Zealand resident, some of the wording in the Manuka Street Hospital Patient admission form (such as account settlement arrangements) may not apply to you. We also understand that patients who are not ordinarily resident in New Zealand may not be aware of this country's Accident Compensation system.

We therefore ask you to read this form, and sign it, in order for you to acknowledge and agree with its contents before you receive your treatment at Manuka Street Hospital. If you have any questions about this form or about Manuka Street Hospital's other admission documents, we are happy to answer them. To the extent that matters in this form conflict with anything in Your Admission Pack, the contents of this form will prevail.

Account settlement

If your use of Manuka Street Hospital's facilities is through a medical tourism coordinator, then the routine expenses associated with your hospital stay will be met by that medical tourism coordinator. Manuka Street Hospital is not involved in the financial or other arrangements between you and your medical tourism coordinator.

If your surgery has not been arranged through a medical tourism provider, you will be responsible for payment to Manuka Street Hospital in advance of all your hospital expenses and related costs while at Manuka Street Hospital.

Any extra expenses or any medical treatments outside of Manuka Street Hospital's facilities will require separate payment to the respective provider.

Visa for Medical Treatment a prerequisite

New Zealand law requires that all persons travelling to New Zealand for medical treatment must have a valid visa, even if you are a citizen of a country that has a visa waiver programme in place with New Zealand. By signing below you confirm that you have the necessary visa for receiving medical treatment at Manuka Street Hospital.

Legal issues

The services being provided by Manuka Street Hospital are being provided in New Zealand, under New Zealand law. Consistent with that, our legal relationship with you is governed by New Zealand law. If any dispute between us arises, then the New Zealand Courts have exclusive jurisdiction to determine it.

The Accident Compensation Act 2001 prohibits suing for compensatory damages for personal injury in certain circumstances, including arising from medical treatment. If you have suffered an injury of this nature, you may instead have entitlements under the Accident Compensation Act. You also have the right to complain about your treatment to New Zealand's Health and Disability Commissioner under the provisions of the Health and Disability Services (Safety) Act 2001.

Acknowledgement

Please sign and date below to record your acknowledgment of the above.

Full Name of Patient (*in capital letters*)

Signature of Patient (*Non New Zealand residents only*)

Date