

What to Bring to a Hospital Visit

To help make your visit to the hospital as comfortable as possible, and to help everything run smoothly while you are here, here are some...

Items to Bring



Insurance cards and forms



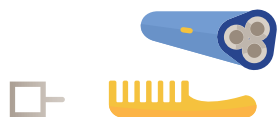
Photo identification and advance directive or living will



A current list of medications you are taking



Phone numbers of family members you may want to contact



Toiletries, such as a hair brush or comb, your shaving kit and/or electric razor and a toothbrush and toothpaste



Glasses, hearing aids or dentures, and marked containers for storage. (Glasses rather than contact lenses are recommended. If you wear contact lenses, bring solution and a container.)



Reading material



A robe and slippers



Loose fitting clothing so that you will be comfortably dressed when you go home



DO NOT BRING VALUABLES, INCLUDING MONEY, JEWELRY AND CREDIT CARDS.

Samaritan Health Services assumes no responsibility for loss or damage to personal property. Any valuables you bring with you should be sent home with a relative or friend. If this is not possible, ask the admitting clerk or nursing staff about safe storage.