

Questions to Ask Your Doctor

The decision to have sex reassignment surgery and/or cosmetic surgery is serious and highly individual. While this book may answer many of your questions, each case is different. For your convenience, here is a list of questions your doctor will be happy to answer during your consultation. Just print it out and take it with you (remember to take your complete medical history, too).

- How often do you do this procedure?
- How many years have you been doing this procedure?
- Realistically, what results can I expect?
- What do I need to do to prepare myself for this operation?
- Is there anything in my medical history that suggests added risks or complications from this procedure?
- What are the risks and possible complications of the procedure?
- How much discomfort should I be prepared for?
- What is the recovery time?
- How much will it cost?

If you come to know of the answer from two or more different doctors or hospitals you would be in a better position to take a decision in the matter.