

Purpose: ensure patients are fit and ready before elective surgery.

Prerequisites to be documented before a patient proceeds to theatre:

1. Renal function assessed; eGFR must be 30 mL/min/1.73m² or above.
2. Valid signed surgical consent on file.
3. Pre-operative assessment completed by the pre-op clinic.
4. Anaesthetic review completed for the planned procedure.
5. Full blood count (FBC) taken for major surgery.

Any missing item holds the patient until resolved. Final go decision requires clinician sign-off.