Potential Questions to Ask Your Doctor

Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant

Do I need to undergo a stem cell transplant?

Why do I need a stem cell transplant?

Will I be undergoing an autologous stem cell transplant (donating my own stem cells for use in transplant)?

Autologous Stem Cell Transplant

When will I undergo a stem cell transplant?

How should I prepare for a stem cell transplant?

What specific instructions should I follow during a stem cell transplant?

What side effects can I expect from a stem cell transplant?

Stem Cell Mobilization

What kind of stem cell mobilization regimen will I be undergoing?

How should I prepare for stem cell mobilization?

What specific instructions should I follow during my mobilization regimen?

What side effects can I expect from my mobilization regimen?

Stem Cell Collection

When will my stem cells be collected?

How should I prepare for stem cell collection?

What specific instructions should I follow during stem cell collection?

What side effects can I expect from stem cell collection?

Engraftment and Recovery

How long will it take for my infused stem cells to mature and produce healthy new blood cells (engraftment)?

What do I need to do to protect my health until engraftment occurs?

How will I feel after engraftment occurs?

My Questions:

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