

Checklist — Informed consent

	Effective	Needs improvement	Not done
Elements of consent discussion			
Nature of proposed treatment			
Expected benefits / likelihood of success			
Material and special risks			
Alternatives including no treatment			
Information complete and accurate			
Patient-centered communication			
Checks for patient understanding			
Explores patient's concerns and expectations			
Invites questions			
Paces information appropriately, avoids medical jargon			
Displays empathy and respect for patient's choices			

Comments/observations: