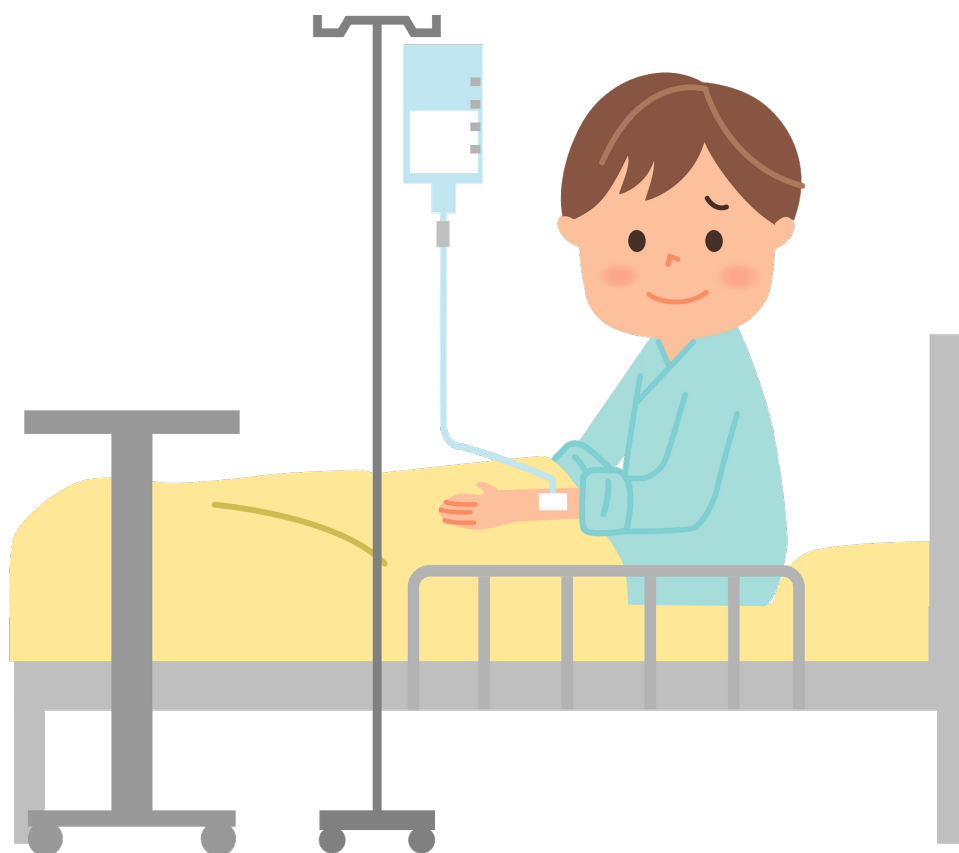


# Getting an IV



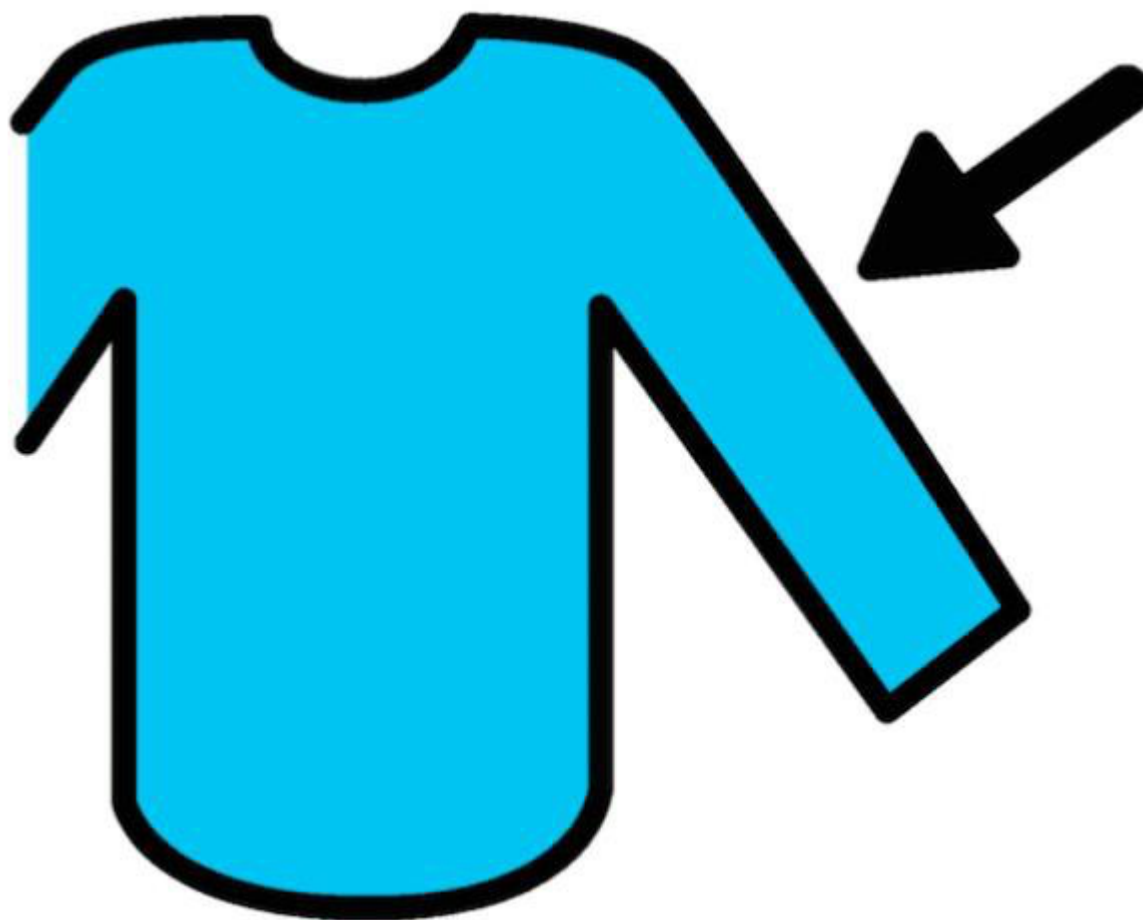
This story is about how I will get an IV.

If I feel nervous, I can:

- Think of something that makes me happy
- Hold someone's hand
- Remember that I am staying strong and healthy!



I will roll up my sleeve.



The nurse will wrap a band around my arm. This will feel tight but it won't hurt me!

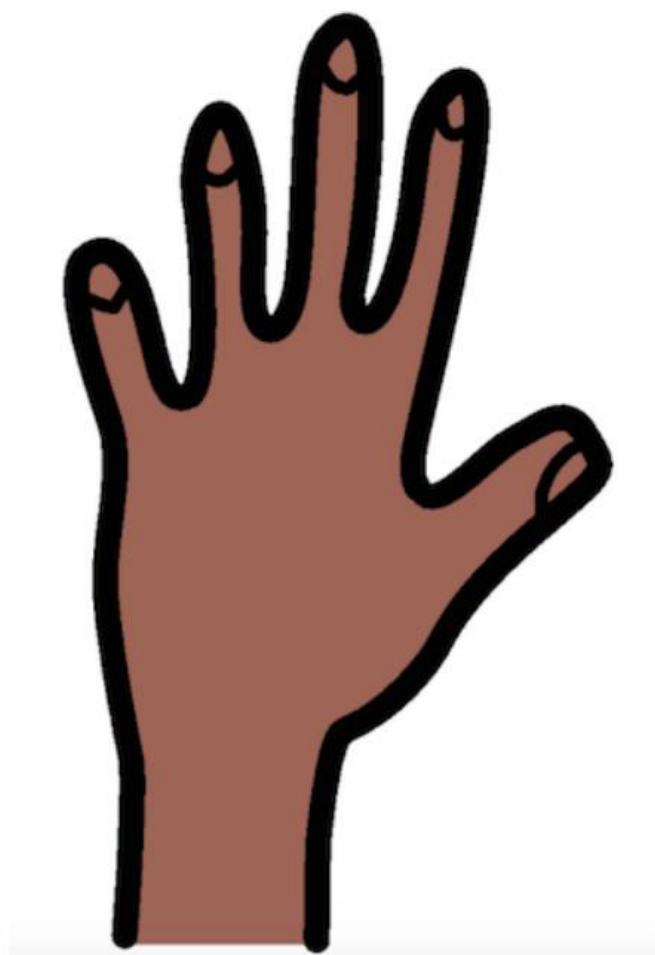




The nurse will clean a spot on my arm by wiping it with a damp alcohol pad. It might feel cold. I also might smell something different.



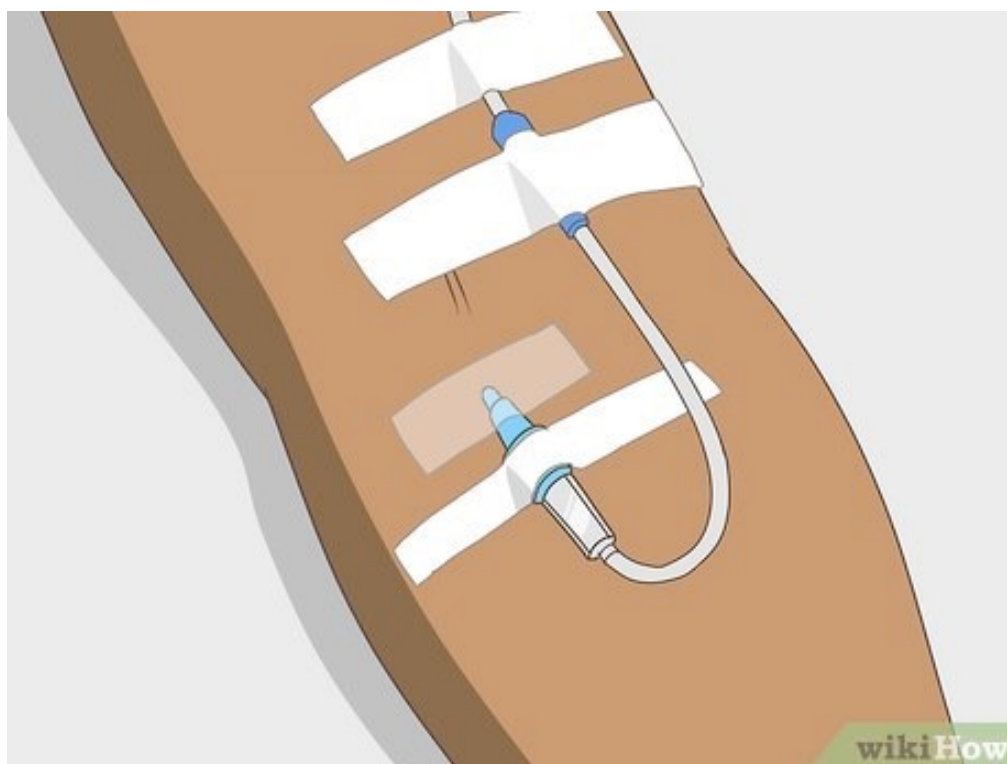
It's time for the IV. I can choose to look away and ask someone to hold my hand.



The nurse will put the IV in my arm. It might feel like a pinch. It is important that I sit still.



The nurse might put tape on my arm. This might feel funny but it won't hurt me!

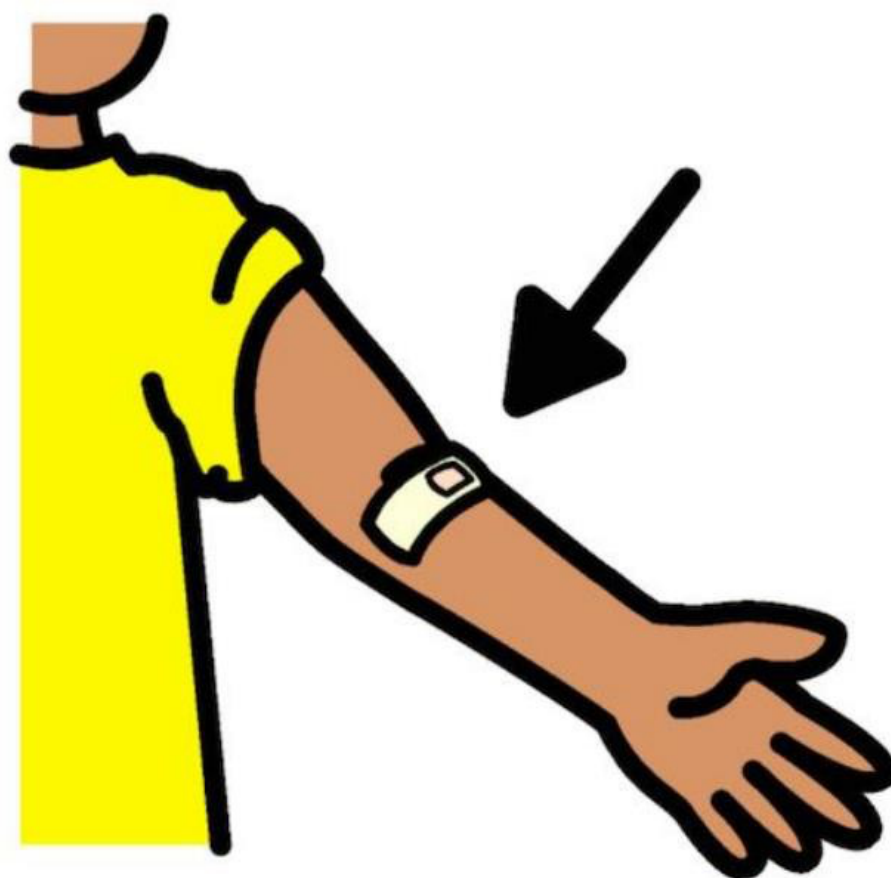




I will get to relax and wait at the hospital for a little while. I can bring books or toys while I wait!



When I'm all done, the nurse will take the IV out and  
put a band-aid on my arm.





When I'm all done I can get a special treat!  
I did a great job getting an IV!

