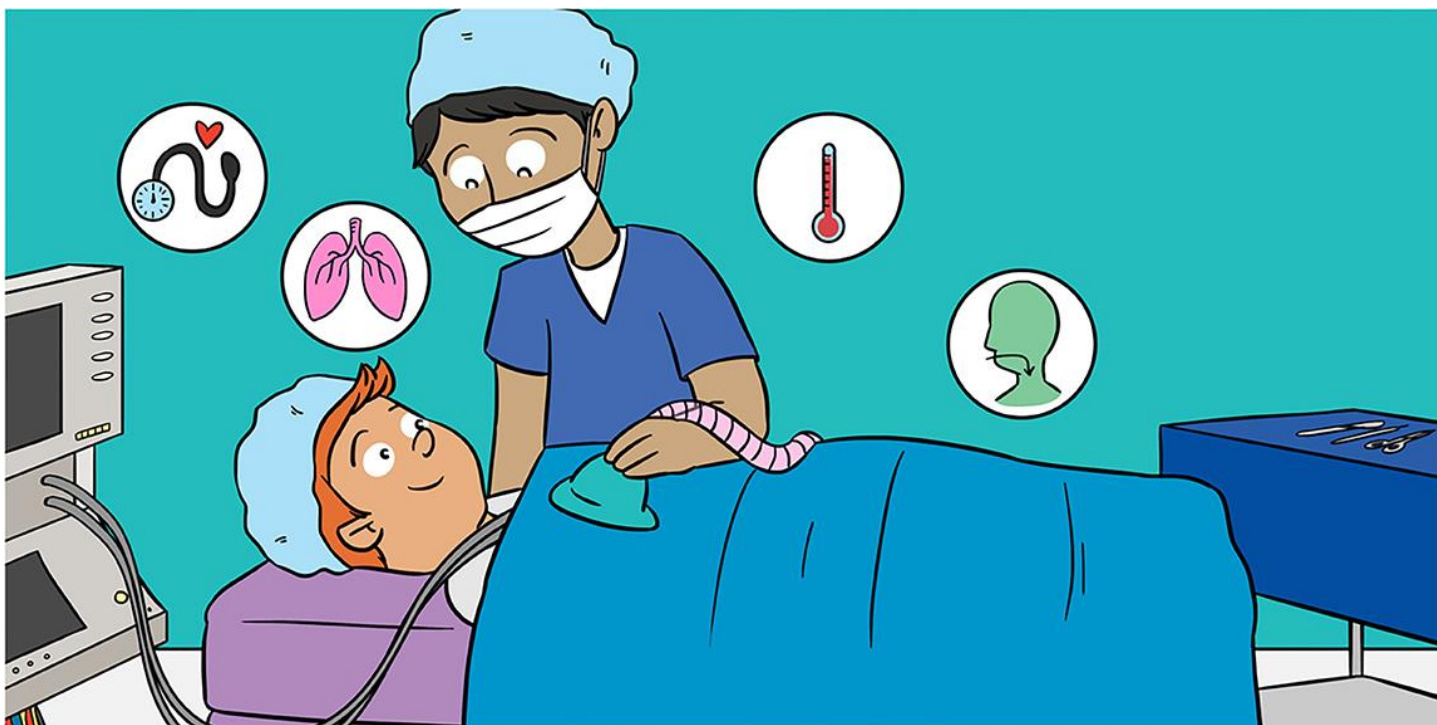


# Getting Anesthesia





**This social story is about getting  
anesthesia. Anesthesia puts my body  
to sleep so doctors can help me to  
stay healthy.**





**The day before getting anesthesia, I  
may not be able to eat or drink so  
that the anesthesia works. I can have  
my favorite snacks and drinks after  
the appointment!**





**When I arrive at the hospital, I will go  
to the waiting room until they are  
ready for me.**





**They may need to take my height,  
weight, and blood pressure for this  
appointment.**



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**When it's time for me to get my anesthesia, they will give me a mask that looks like a superhero mask! It will feel like I'm breathing in lots of air. Then I might feel sleepy.**



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**When I wake up my body might feel  
sleepy but everyone will be so proud  
of me. I did a great job getting  
anesthesia!**





**I did a great job getting anesthesia!**



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