



Getting Chemotherapy



This story is about how I will get chemotherapy.













Chemotherapy is a strong medicine that will help my body get better. Let's learn how I will get my chemotherapy!











First, I will go to a place like a clinic or hospital.











If I ever feel nervous, I can:

Think about something that makes me happy! Like my favorite toy or game.

Bring my favorite toy, stuffed animal, or blanket with me.

Hold someone's hand.

Remember that I am super brave!













A nurse or doctor will check on me to make sure I'm ready.











The nurse might put a tiny tube in my hand or arm. This is called an IV. If I have a port, the nurse will use that instead. It might feel like a little pinch, but it will be over quick!











The medicine will go into my body slowly. While that's happening, I can watch a show, read a book, or even take a nap.











Sometimes, the medicine might make me feel tired or funny, or maybe a little nauseous. That's OK! If I feel weird, I can tell someone how my body is feeling, and they will help me feel better.

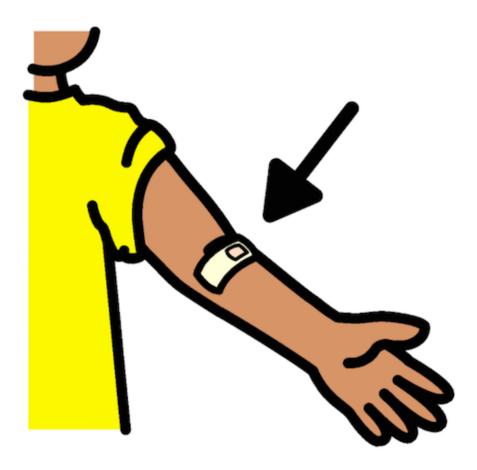












When the medicine is done, the nurse will take out the IV or stop using my port.











Afterward, I might feel sleepy or want to rest, and that's OK too. I can go home and get lots of rest!











Everyone is so proud of me for being strong and doing a great job taking care of my body. I did amazing getting my chemotherapy!



