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Purpose

1. Diagnosis

- 2. Cure
- 3. Palliation
- 4. Cosmetic improvement
- 5. Prevention
- 6. Exploration

Psychosocial reaction

Generally Stressful but needed, but if excessive – recovery can be affected.

- 1. Fear of pain
- 2. Fear of unknown
- 3. Fear of mutilation
- 4. Fear of death
- 5. Fear of anesthesia
- 6. Fear of disruption of life pattern

Preoperative assessment

- 1. Psychosocial assessment
- Situational changes
- Concern with the unknown
- Concern with body image
- Past experiences
- Knowledge deficit

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History taking for pre-operative patient

1. Health perception-health management pattern
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What was explained?
Anesthesia problem?
Smoking?
Chronic illness?
Medication?
Alcohol intake?