

# SULIS BATH HOSPITAL EXCLUSION CRITERIA

## Simple Exclusion Criteria:

- Patients with a BMI >40 All non spinal surgery, BMI > 35 Spinal surgery.
- Patients under the age of 18.
- MI/CVA/ recurrent TIA within the last 6 months.
- Severe COPD/Asthma/Bronchiectasis.
- Diagnosed myelodysplasia/haemophilia/thrombocytopenia.
- Any patient who has an ASA score of 3 (who are unstable).
- Patients who have a current and significantly unstable psychiatric disorder.

KEY:  
✓ Patient with this Co-morbidity may be treated at Sulis  
✗ Patient with this Co-morbidity may not be treated at Sulis  
? Patient with this Co-morbidity may be treated at Sulis, however must be risk assessed, reviewed by Anaesthetist and/or pre assessment

## Detailed Exclusion Criteria:

CARDIOVASCULAR	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Uncontrolled Hypertension: persistent sys >160mmHg. Persistent Dia >90mmHG	✗	✗	
Internal Cardiac defibrillators	✗	✗	
Myocardial infraction within the last 12 months	✗	✓	Risk Assessed and Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Coronary angioplasty stenting within the last 12 months	✗	✓	
Uncontrolled or poorly controlled Angina	✗	✗	
MI/CVA/ recurrent TIA within the last 6 months	✗	✗	
Dysrhythmia; chronic atrial fibrillation, ectopics and 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 1 <sup>st</sup> degree heart block	✓	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Dysrhythmia: other	?	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment and Cardiac Anaesthetic
Patients with Severe aortic stenosis (Gradient > 60mmHg)		✗	
Cardiac implanted electronic device (Pacemakers)	✓	✓	Follow CIED SOP / Refer to Cardiac Technician
Heart Failure < 6months	✗	✗	
DVT/PE < 1 Year	?	?	Risk Assessed and Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Patients with mechanical valves on Warfarin	?	?	Risk Assessed and Anaesthetic Assessment Required.
Patients with other valve disease or replacements taking antibiotic prophylaxis	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required

SEVERE COPD	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
FEV1 <50% predicted; Patient on home oxygen. O2 Stats <92% on room air	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Poorly controlled Asthma (frequent acute episodes or needing nebulisation and/steroids in the last 3 months, Peak flow <200l/min	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Shortness of breath at rest/minor exertion. Poor exercise tolerance, i.e. unable to walk two flights of stairsor ½ mile on flat	?	?	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Sleep Apnoea/use of CPAP	✓	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Bronchiectasis (severe)	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required

RENAL	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Renal Failure or Impairment (Creatinine > 200 µmol/L)	✗	✓	

NEUROLOGICAL	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Myasthenia Gravis	✗	✓	LA Cataracts
Severe uncontrolled neurological disorders	✗	✗	
Epilepsy Seizures within the last 6 months	✗	✗	

ENDOCRINE	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Poorly Controlled Diabetes (history of hypoglycaemia three months or HbA1c > 69mmol/L	✗	✗	
Rare Endocrine disorders, e.g. Addison's disease, Cushing's Syndrome	✗	✗	

BLOOD DISORDERS	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Sickle Cell Disease	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Mastocytosis	✗	✗	
Thalassaemia	✗	✓	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Myelodysplasia, haemophilia, thrombocytopenia	✗	✗	
Anticoagulation on warfarin (depending on indication for anticoagulation)	?	?	Dependent upon surgical procedure Anaesthetic Assessment Required

OTHER	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
BMI > 40	✗	✗	
BMI > 35 but less than 40 with co-existing disease	?	?	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Prescience of infected skin lesions or any ongoing infection	?	?	Surgeons Discretion
Chronic ulceration with cellulitis	✗	✗	
Active or severe chronic liver disease	✗	?	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Current MRSA positive	✗	?	Surgeons Discretion
Immunocompromised HIV or active Hepatitis B or C	?	?	Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Unstable Mental Health problems	✗	✗	
Known History of Anaphylaxis	?	?	Dependent upon Allergy Anaesthetic Assessment Required
Any patient who has an ASA score of 3 (who are unstable) – Please see appendix 1.	✗	✗	

GYNAECOLOGICAL / UROGYNAECOLOGY	MAJOR SURGERY	MINOR SURGERY	COMMENTS
Cervical colposcopy	✗	✗	
Correction female genital mutilation	✗	✗	
Fertility	✗	✗	