

## **Surgery Bookings**

After your consultation with Dr. Cheng, if she deems surgery may be necessary she will explain the risks and benefits of your required procedure. If you wish to proceed we will have you complete the necessary paperwork.

Once paperwork is completed: your name is added to our surgery list. Two months prior to your surgery you will receive a phone call from our office to schedule the procedure. We will make arrangements during this call to get your surgical confirmation package to you. This package will include your surgical date and pre operative date(s) plus the instructions pertaining to these dates. There is a section of this package that your family physician needs to complete with you prior to your pre operative appointment with Collingwood General & Marine Hospital. If it has been a while since you have seen Dr. Cheng, a follow up will be scheduled for you to come see Dr. Cheng to go over the surgery again. This package will be given to you during this follow up.

We currently have a wait time for **all** surgeries – which vary, depending on the surgery you may be scheduled to have. It is not necessary to contact our office to confirm if your name is on our surgical list. We will only remove your name from our list at the request of yourself or your physician.

In the event of a cancellation or additional surgical dates our office will contact patients on our cancellation list to see if they are available.

Please note: Elective surgeries such as yours could be canceled or delayed due to emergency surgeries.