Bathroom homecoming plan

Use with the discharge team, family and installer. Keep completed notes private.

Expected return date _____ **Plan last checked** _____

1 Care-team instructions

Bathing limits, toilet use, stairs and help needed.

2 Home route

Bathroom floor, doorway/turns, toilet approach and bathing entry.
Note concerns for the care team; do not test unsafe movements.

3 Equipment

Item recommended, who arranges it, arrival date and who shows us how to use it.

4 Help at home

Who helps, which tasks, when available and how to call for help.

5 Building work

Installer scope, written price, work dates and when the bathroom can be used.

6 If work is not finished

Care-team plan for bathing, toilet use, equipment and help.

Keep the plan with the discharge instructions

Planning notes, not medical clearance. Follow the person's discharge instructions.
Share only the room and work details an installer needs.

Sources MedlinePlus: preparing your home CMS: discharge planning checklist (revised June 2015)

Full guide: Planning the bathroom before hospital discharge