

# Leaving the Intensive Care Unit (ICU): What You Need To Know

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You will be leaving the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) to stay in a hospital room. Your ICU nurse will give your health history and information to the nurses who will be taking care of you in your new room.

## Hospital Staff

Floor nurses will visit your room regularly to care for you. A doctor will also visit you daily to check on you.

The nurses who will be taking care of you will be caring for other patients as well.

If a nurse is not available, a nursing assistant will help you with your needs.

A call button will be available for you to push if you need something. This call button turns on a light to alert staff. A staff member will see the light and come to your room.

## Your Hospital Room

In your new hospital room, you will:

- have your own phone and phone number
- have your own bathroom
- be connected to less equipment. This will give you more freedom to move around in your room.

## Your Information

Room number: \_\_\_\_\_

Nurse's name: \_\_\_\_\_

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If you have any questions, concerns or need help, please press your call button to contact a nurse.

## Visitors

You may have family and friends visit you while you stay in the hospital. Ask a nurse about visiting hours.