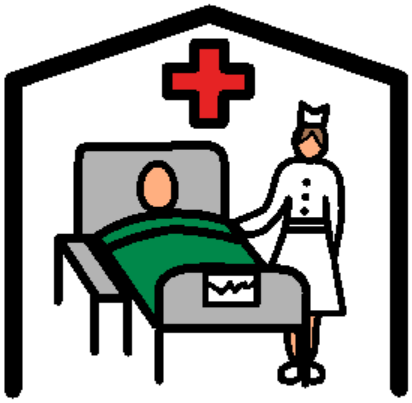
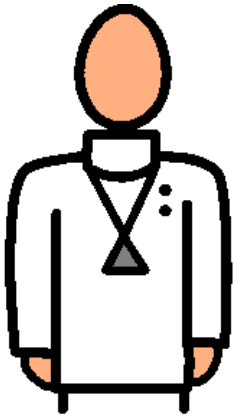
Getting an MRI Scan

Sometimes I get sick or hurt.

When this happens, I might go to the hospital so a doctor can look at me.





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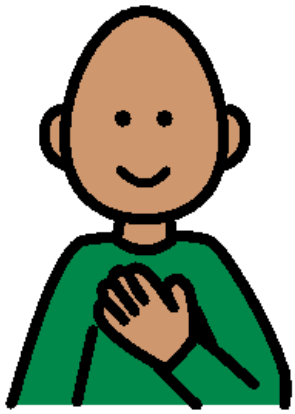
This is okay because the doctor can help me feel better.



To do this, the doctor may need a special way to take pictures of my body parts called a MRI scan.

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I will need to change into a special hospital gown first.

Then we go to a room with a big machine that looks like a bed in a donut.

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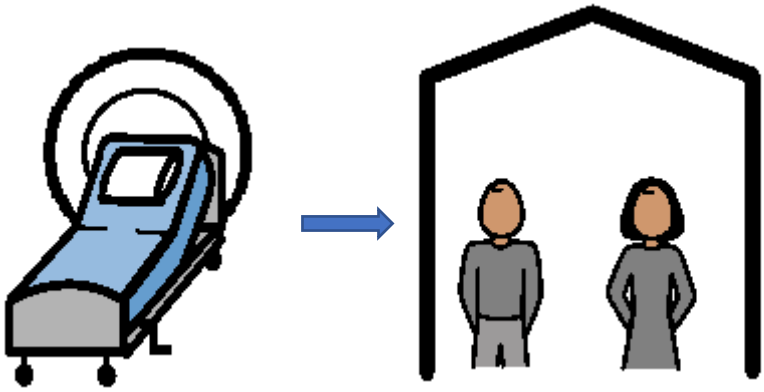
I will lie down on the bed. Mum and Dad are in the next room but they can see how brave I am and talk to me through a speaker.



The bed will go into the donut and I need to try to be very still because the machine is taking lots of photos of me.

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The machine may be a bit loud and there won't be much space but if I close my eyes and relax it won't last very long.

Once it's over, Mum and Dad can come see me again and everyone will be proud of me for being brave and getting an MRI scan.

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