

Who is your Care Plan Partner?

You will be asked to tell us who your Care Plan Partner is. It could be:

- Family
- Friend
- Neighbor
- Significant Other
- Partner

A Care Plan Partner is the person you have asked to assist you during and after your visits to Newton-Wellesley Hospital.

Your Care Plan Partner may or may not be your Health Care Proxy (the person you have named to make medical decisions for you in the event you are unable to communicate your wishes).

A Care Plan Partner can help to improve your health care experience. Involving a Care Plan Partner also may prevent hospital readmission by providing you with the necessary support you need after discharge.

It is highly recommended that every patient receiving medical care have a Care Plan Partner. The Care Plan Partner is involved in patient teaching and education for your particular needs.

To determine who would be your Care Plan Partner, consider:

- Who would help you with your day to day healthcare needs and concerns?
- Who would you call if you were not feeling well or needed to be driven to the doctors office?
- Who would you ask to get prescriptions or groceries?
- Who would you be comfortable sharing your healthcare information with to assist in your care?

Care Plan Partner _____

Phone number _____



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