

# CONSENT FORM

for

## UROLOGICAL SURGERY

(Designed in compliance with



consent form 1)

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Name of proposed procedure</b> (include brief explanation if medical term not clear)</p>	<b>ANAESTHETIC</b>
<p><u>LAPAROSCOPIC RADICAL NEPHRECTOMY</u>    SIDE.....</p> <p>THIS INVOLVES THE REMOVAL OF YOUR KIDNEY THROUGH SEVERAL KEYHOLE INCISIONS RATHER THAN THE MORE CONVENTIONAL INCISION. IT REQUIRES THE PLACEMENT OF A TELESCOPE AND INSTRUMENTS INTO YOUR ABDOMINAL CAVITY VIA THREE OR FOUR SMALL INCISIONS. THE ADRENAL MAY ALSO BE REMOVED. ONE INCISION WILL NEED TO BE ENLARGED TO REMOVE THE KIDNEY.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL/REGIONAL</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SEDATION</p>

### Serious or frequently occurring risks

**COMMON**

- TEMPORARY SHOULDER TIP PAIN
- TEMPORARY ABDOMINAL BLOATING
- TEMPORARY INSERTION OF A BLADDER CATHETER AND WOUND DRAIN

**OCCASIONAL**

- INFECTION, PAIN OR HERNIA OF INCISION REQUIRING FURTHER TREATMENT

**RARE**

- BLEEDING REQUIRING CONVERSION TO OPEN SURGERY OR TRANSFUSIONS
- ENTRY INTO LUNG CAVITY REQUIRING INSERTION OF TEMPORARY DRAINAGE TUBE
- MAY BE A HISTOLOGICAL ABNORMALITY OTHER THAN CANCER

**VERY RARELY**

- RECOGNISED (AND UNRECOGNISED) INJURY TO ORGANS/BLOOD VESSELS REQUIRING CONVERSION TO OPEN SURGERY (OR DEFERRED OPEN SURGERY)
- INVOLVEMENT OR INJURY TO NEARBY LOCAL STRUCTURES –BLOOD VESSELS, SPLEEN, LIVER, LUNG, PANCREAS AND BOWEL REQUIRING MORE EXTENSIVE SURGERY
- ANAESTHETIC OR CARDIOVASCULAR PROBLEMS POSSIBLY REQUIRING INTENSIVE CARE ADMISSION (INCLUDING CHEST INFECTION, PULMONARY EMBOLUS, STROKE, DEEP VEIN THROMBOSIS, HEART ATTACK AND DEATH.)

ALTERNATIVE THERAPY: OBSERVATION, EMBOLISATION, CHEMOTHERAPY, IMMUNOTHERAPY AND THE CONVENTIONAL OPEN SURGICAL APPROACH.