

**Dear Patient,**

**In the following, we would like to give you brief information about our surgical preparation process.**

**Minor surgical interventions** – Surgeries that do NOT require blood insurance or focal research examination and are NOT performed at the Same-Day Surgery Center.

**At the time of the surgical appointment:**

- At the specialist consultation we:
  - prepare for joint X-ray
  - set the surgical appointment
  - fill out and sign the consent form
  - issue an anaesthesiologist's request form, book an appointment for an examination
  - release a chest X-ray referral
  - release a laboratory test referral
  
- The examinations directly required for the operation and the anaesthesiologist outpatient clinic's appointment are **BOOKED** in the consulting room.
- We will issue a referral for the laboratory test and chest X-ray, **HOWEVER**, you have to make an appointment for these tests.
- An ECG is also required for the anaesthetist's opinion – you must also obtain this yourself (your general practitioner or internist specialist can help you).

**1-2 weeks before the surgery:**

The anaesthesiologist examination takes place in consulting rooms 134 and 135 of the Kenézy Gyula Campus' Outpatient Care Block. In case a problem occurs there, we are waiting for you every workday between 9 am and 3 pm in the 011 consulting room of the Kenézy Gyula Campus' Outpatient Care Block for the review of the medical records:

- anaesthetist examination check, setting a new surgical appointment if necessary
- control of the timing of switching/stopping anticoagulant therapy, prescription if necessary

**On the day of surgery**

On the day of admission, you must arrive at the Orthopedic Department, 2nd floor of the Kenézy Gyula Campus' central building, at 6:30 a.m., where:

- the administration and
- X-rays will be checked