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<p align="center">Name of proposed procedure (include brief explanation if medical term not clear)</p>	<p align="center">ANAESTHETIC</p>	
<p><u>EXPLORATION OF SCROTUM FOR SUSPECTED TORSION OF TESTES</u> SIDE.....</p> <p>THIS INVOLVES THE EXAMINATION OF THE TESTIS VIA A SCROTAL INCISION. UNTWISTING OF TESTIS FIXATION OF BOTH TESTES IN SCROTUM TO PREVENT TWISTING IN THE FUTURE</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL/REGIONAL</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SEDATION</p>	

COMMON

- FIXATION OF BOTH TESTES IF TORSION IS DISCOVERED VIA SAME INCISION
- I AGREE TO REMOVAL OF THE ABOVE CHILD'S TESTIS DURING SURGERY IF DAMAGE CAUSED BY TWISTING IS THOUGHT IRREVERSIBLE

OCCASIONAL

- YOU MAY BE ABLE TO FEEL THE STITCH USED TO FIX THE TESTIS
- BLOOD COLLECTION AROUND TESTES WHICH RESOLVES SLOWLY OR REQUIRES SURGICAL REMOVAL.
- POSSIBLE INFECTION OF INCISION OR TESTIS REQUIRING FURTHER TREATMENT

RARE

- LOSS OF TESTICULAR SIZE OR ATROPHY IN FUTURE IF TESTIS IS SAVED
- NO GUARANTEE OF FERTILITY IN FUTURE

ALTERNATIVE THERAPY: OBSERVATION RISKS LOSS OF TESTIS.