# CONSENT FORM for UROLOGICAL SURGERY

(Designed in compliance with



Name of proposed procedure (include brief explanation if medical term not clear)	ANAESTHETIC
LAPAROSCOPIC PYELOPLASTY  SIDE  THIS INVOLVES REPAIR OF NARROWING OR SCARRING AT JUNCTION OF URETER WITH KIDNEY PELVIS TO IMPROVE THE DRAINAGE OF THE KIDNEY AND PAIN. INVOLVING THE INSERTION OF A TEMPORARY STENT TO AID HEALING	μμ <sup>-</sup> GENERAL/REGIONAL μμ <sup>-</sup> LOCAL μμ <sup>-</sup> S EDATION

# Serious or frequently occurring risks

### COMMON

- TEMPORARY SHOULDER TIP PAIN
- TEMPORARY ABDOMINAL BLOATING
- TEMPORARY INSERTION OF A BLADDER CATHETER AND WOUND DRAIN
- FURTHER PROCEDURE TO REMOVE URETERIC STENT USUALLY A LOCAL ANAESTHETIC

### **OCCASIONAL**

- INFECTION, PAIN OR HERNIA OF INCISION REQUIRING FURTHER TREATMENT
- RECURRENCE CAN OCCUR NEEDING FURTHER SURGERY
- SHORT TERM SUCCESS RATES ARE SIMILAR TO OPEN BUT LONG TERM RESULTS UNKNOWN

### **RARE**

BLEEDING REQUIRING CONVERSION TO OPEN SURGERY OR TRANSFUSIONS

## **VERY RARELY**

- RECOGNISED (AND UNRECOGNISED) INJURY TO ORGANS/BLOOD VESSELS REQUIRING CONVERSION TO OPEN SURGERY (OR DEFERRED OPEN SURGERY)
- NEED TO REMOVE KIDNEY AT LATER TIME BECAUSE OF DAMAGE CAUSED BY RECURRENT OBSTRUCTION
- 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, TELESCOPIC INCISION, DILATION OF AREA OF NARROWING, TEMPORARY PLACEMENT OF PLASTIC TUBE THROUGH NARROWING AND THE CONVENTIONAL OPEN SURGICAL APPROACH.