

# Your time

is valuable. That's why at Decatur Memorial Hospital we make every effort to ensure you have a prompt, professional and comfortable surgical experience.

Your surgeon has determined the type of procedure you will have, the order in which your surgery will be performed and your arrival time. Occasionally a patient's procedure takes longer than expected or an emergency occurs and it is necessary for your surgeon to modify the order of his or her surgical procedures. We will keep you informed of any changes or delays.

When your procedure is finished, your surgeon will speak with your family or caregiver. Encourage your loved ones to remain in the Surgery Family Waiting Room until they have spoken with the surgeon.

Thank you for choosing Decatur Memorial Hospital for your surgical needs.

