

nurses, or other hospital staff tell you what the medicine was for?

- ¹☐ Never
²☐ Sometimes
³☐ Usually
⁴☐ Always

39. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did doctors, nurses, or other hospital staff ask you if you were taking any other medicines or supplements?

- ¹☐ Never
²☐ Sometimes
³☐ Usually
⁴☐ Always

40. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did doctors, nurses, or other hospital staff ask if you were allergic to any medicines?

- ¹☐ Never
²☐ Sometimes
³☐ Usually
⁴☐ Always

41. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did doctors, nurses, or other hospital staff describe possible side effects of the medicine in a way you could understand?

- ¹☐ Never
²☐ Sometimes
³☐ Usually
⁴☐ Always

ADMISSIONS

42. During this hospital stay, were you admitted to this hospital through the Emergency Room?

- ¹☐ Yes

- ²☐ No

43. Think about when you were admitted to the hospital for this stay. Were there any unreasonable delays during the admission process?

- ¹☐ Yes
²☐ No

44. A living will is a signed document that gives instructions about the kinds of medical treatment people want, or do not want, if they are not able to speak for themselves.

When you were admitted to the hospital for this stay, were you asked if you had a living will?

- ¹☐ Yes
²☐ No

DISCHARGE

45. After you left the hospital, did you go directly to your own home, to someone else's home, or to another health facility?

- ¹☐ Own Home
²☐ Someone Else's Home
³☐ Another Health Facility → If Another, Go to Question 52

46. After you left the hospital, did your health condition limit what you were able to do in any way?

- ¹☐ Yes
²☐ No → If No, Go to Question 49

47. Before you left the hospital, did you get information in writing about what activities you could and could not do?