

Having an EP (Easy Read)

<p>appointment</p>	<p>You are coming to hospital for an EP test. This looks at how your eyes and brain work, helping doctors work out how to look after you.</p>
<p>brain</p>	<p>Your brain works using signals. When the brain is made to react to something, the signals change. The EP test records these changes.</p>
	<p>First, we will clean small areas of your head with a cotton bud. This will not hurt.</p>
	<p>Next, we will put some silver discs with stickers where we have cleaned on your head.</p>
	<p>We will join the stickers to the machine with wires. This will not hurt.</p>
<p>light bulb</p>	<p>You may have to look at a flashing light. Sometimes, you look at a picture on a television screen.</p>
	<p>You need to put on headphones for the next bit. Loud clicks are played through the headphones.</p>
	<p>We will put another sticker on your hand/foot. This will make your fingers/toes twitch and tingle.</p>
<p>wetwipe</p>	<p>When the test is finished, we will take off the stickers and wipe your head again.</p>

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home



If you are not having any other tests, you can go home.

**any
questions**



Please ask us if you have any questions.