

Improving the Quality of Anesthesia Induction by Reducing Preoperative Anxiety in the Operating Room

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Not Applicable
Sponsor	Assistance Publique Hopitaux De Marseille
Enrollment	60 participants

Plain Language Summary

This study is looking at ways to reduce pre-surgery anxiety in children, with the goal of making anesthesia (the process of going to sleep for surgery) go more smoothly.

****You may be eligible if...****

- Your child is between 5 and 12 years old and can communicate verbally
- Your child is scheduled for a planned surgery that requires at least one night in the hospital (e.g., gastrointestinal, ear/nose/throat, orthopedic, or plastic surgery)
- Parents or guardians are willing to complete questionnaires as part of the study

****You may NOT be eligible if...****

- Your child has a cognitive or developmental disorder
- Your child requires regular general anesthesia as part of ongoing treatment
- Your child is scheduled for emergency surgery
- Your child has a known psychiatric disorder or autism spectrum disorder

Talk to your doctor to see if this trial is right for you.

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (4)

- Children aged between 5 and 12 years, i.e., able to engage in verbal communication;
- Scheduled for surgery requiring hospitalization at least one day prior to the procedure, including but not limited to gastrointestinal or urological surgery, ENT procedures, plastic interventions, and orthopedic surgery (e.g., scoliosis correction);
- Provision of written informed consent by the parents or legal guardians (or by the sole parent/legal guardian, where applicable);
- Parental agreement to participate in the study by completing the required questionnaires; Affiliation with or entitlement to a national social security scheme

Exclusion (5)

- Patients with cognitive developmental disorders;
- Patients requiring regular general anesthesia as part of ongoing medical management;
- Patients undergoing emergency surgery;
- Patients with a known psychiatric disorder;
- Patients diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder (ASD).

Locations (1 total)

Assistance Publique Hôpitaux de Marseille, Marseille, France

<https://clinicaltrials.gov/study/NCT06972420>

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