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Having an EEG





A doctor may ask for a test to see what is happening inside your head



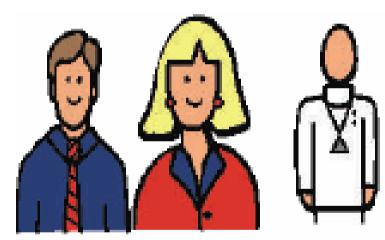
It will help the doctor to see if you have epilepsy



It can be done at the Hospital or your day centre or in your home



After the test you can wash the paste from your hair.



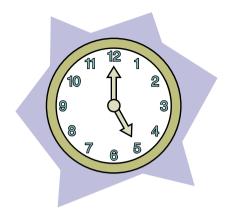
DOCTOR OR CONSULTANT

The doctor will explain the results to you later.



The nurse will start the test.

It will not hurt.

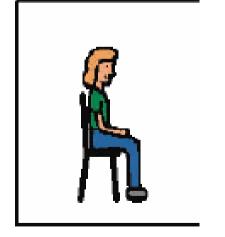


The nurse will explain how long the test will take.





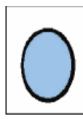
You may be asked to open and close your eyes.



You will be asked to sit down.



The nurse will show you the Machine.



Small discs are put on your head with paste.



Your head will be measured.

This will not hurt.



Keep the discs on your head.