

GBMC

Patient Questionnaire

Patient Name: Kim R.

1. What brought you to GBMC?

I had all three of my daughters here. My primary care physician is here. I decided to have gastric bypass surgery here.

2. Please briefly share your experience at GBMC, including what unit(s) you were treated on.

My experience at GBMC was pleasurable. I was on the floor where the patients recover after having bariatric surgery.

3. How has your experience changed you or your family's life?

I am 85 pounds lighter. High blood pressure and diabetes no longer exist. I feel much better. I have more energy. It feels so wonderful to be able to shop in the petite department and have the clothes fit properly.

4. Are there any particular staff (doctor, nurses, other clinicians) that you were particularly impressed with, and if so, why?

I was very impressed with Dr. Moeinolmolki. He is very personable and down to earth. I experienced a lot of vomiting after surgery while in the hospital. Dr. Moeinolmolki kept close tabs on me. The morning I was to be discharged, he had car trouble. By the time I arrived home the telephone was ringing and it was Dr. Moeinolmolki apologizing and telling me to call him whenever I needed him. Each time I called after office hours, within 5-10 minutes, Dr. Moeinolmolki was returning my call.

5. Would you recommend GBMC to family and friends, and if so, why?

I would, and I have referred a friend to Dr. Moeinolmolki for gastric bypass surgery because my experience with him and the office was very pleasurable. They answered all questions and I never had to contact my insurance company. They handled everything. Also, it was very helpful to have a support group at the hospital to attend after surgery.

6. Please tell us a bit about your personal story before you received treatment.

I was 222 pounds and had been over weight since I was a child. I had high blood pressure, gastroesophageal reflux disease and developed diabetes during the process of preparing for surgery. I was tired of being overweight and having health issues. I knew it was time for me to do something about it.

7. Where are you now? Have you completed treatment or are you still receiving treatment?

I am great now. The only problem, I am still bothered with is GERD, but even that is much better now. I have to see Dr. Moeinolmolki on a yearly basis.