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[Doctors and nurses] could have explained things better, could have been better, I thought. Well, it was sort of... Now for someone, like Aboriginal people, who haven’t done much schooling... I think they wouldn’t understand. So they should of written down, so they take it home and the daughters or someone, they’ll read it to them and explain to them. And it’s good for them to know as well what’s happening.

Or explain it better. Not in short sentences, like most of the thing was. ‘Oh, we just doing this today and doing that today.’ There was no outcome, like what would happen if it was worse, you know? That’s what I found.

We’ve heard of Aboriginal people, younger people, being down to Perth and sick, and asked them, ‘What’s the matter, what happened?’ They can’t explain, can’t tell you.

The wives, you know... We’ll ring the wives and say... Like a lot of heart attacks or something at the... What are they going to do and this and that... They don’t know.

So it’s not explained properly.

One thing about the doctors, when he explained what was wrong, I did question them things. And he was a bit surprised about me asking the questions. So, um, some people can understand and that. I think it could of come from a nurse, or someone there explained it even better.