



Ryggmargsbrokk- og
Hydrocephalusforeningen

Shunt alert card

I have Hydrocephalus, which is
controlled by a

VP-shunt / VA-shunt / LP-shunt
(Stryk det som ikke passer)

Name: _____

Date of birth: _____

Address: _____

Type of shunt/valve: _____

Valve setting: _____

MR compatible: _____

Next of kin: _____

If the holder of this card gets one or more of the symptoms listed below, it is important that he / she quickly comes under specialized care in order to eliminate shunt failure as a cause of symptoms.

Signs of shunt failure:

Headache, nausea, vomiting, fatigue, sensitivity to light, dizziness, seizures, behaviour changes. In babies and small children: increased head circumference, or failure to thrive.

In case of suspected shunt failure contact the local emergency room, or the closest local hospital.

Please contact the following as a matter of urgency:

Neurosurgical Hospital:

Neurosurgical telephone:
