

Dear Doctor,

My daughter Kylie was assaulted by a hospital staff in Casualty and I want to complain. Kylie was epileptic as a baby and I took her to Casualty last Saturday because she was fitting. The doctor said he wanted to give her some medicine to stop fitting. I told him she had some before in Casualty. They told me she didn't have good veins. He said they could give her medicine in her bottom. I said I definitely did not want this. I left Kylie to her brother to the toilet. When I got back the Kylie had stopped fitting but I found out from the nurse that she had medicine in her bottom. I am very cross that Kylie was given medicine in this way. She is only 4 and has cerebral palsy. She was sexually assaulted by her uncle when she was 2. I do not think you should treat children this way.

Yours sincerely
Sharon Masham.