Preoperative Checklist:

Patient Information:
[ ] Verify patient identity using two identifiers (e.g., name, date of birth).
[ ] Confirm surgical procedure and site based on the patient's consent and medical records.
[ ] Review patient's medical history, allergies, and current medications.
[ ] Assess any preoperative tests and diagnostic results.

Informed Consent:
[ ] Ensure that the patient has signed a valid informed consent form for the intended procedure.
[ ] Address any questions or concerns the patient may have regarding the surgery.

Preoperative Testing:
[ ] Confirm completion and review of any required preoperative tests (e.g., blood work, imaging).
[ ] Ensure necessary consults (e.g., anesthesiology, cardiology) have been conducted.

Anesthesia Evaluation:
[ ] Anesthesia evaluation completed by an anesthesiologist or anesthesia provider.
[ ] Discuss anesthesia plan, potential risks, and any patient concerns.

Patient Preparation:
[ ] Provide patient with preoperative instructions (e.g., fasting, medication guidelines).
[ ] Ensure patient has removed any jewelry, contact lenses, and prosthetics.

Surgical Site Preparation:
[ ] Mark the surgical site as appropriate, and confirm it matches the patient's consent.
[ ] Ensure proper skin antisepsis has been performed in accordance with guidelines.

Team Briefing:
[ ] Conduct a team briefing to review the surgical plan, patient-specific considerations, and any potential challenges.
[ ] Verify that all necessary team members (surgeons, nurses, anesthesiologists) are present and informed.

Equipment and Supplies:
[ ] Verify availability of necessary surgical instruments, implants, and equipment.
[ ] Ensure all equipment is properly sterilized and functional.
Documentation:

[ ] Document preoperative activities, patient discussions, and completed checklists.
[ ] Review and sign off on the preoperative checklist.