

### Hospital discharge summary report

The patient has been admitted to the department of neurosurgery in order to be surgically treated for **cervical spondylosis**. Pain in the neck **radiating** to both upper limbs (diagnosed as **brachial neuritis**), to the **occipital** and the shoulders, **paresthesia of the arms**, weaker arm force, lower precision in arm movements, dropping of objects. Complaints have been persisting for several years. The examination has revealed **knee reflexes** and **Babinski sign (plantar reflex to the left)**. The MRI scan report of the **cervical spine** revealed **hernia of nucleus polposus** with **pressure on the spinal cord**. An image similar to the one obtained 1.5 years ago. Qualified eligible for treatment, the patient has undergone a surgery as stated above, with no further complications. After the surgery, **the patient tilted to erect position** and mobilized. Discharged in a good condition, with visible improvements, fully able to function on her own, with medical recommendations.

#### GLOSSARY:

hospital discharge summary report – karta informacyjna leczenia szpitalnego

department of neurosurgery – oddział neurochirurgii

cervical spondylosis – spondyloza szyjna

radiating pain – ból promieniujący

brachial neuritis – rwa barkowa

occipital – potylica

paresthesia of the arms – parestezja rąk

knee reflexes – odruchy kolanowe

plantar reflex- odruch Babińskiego

cervical spine – kręgosłup szyjny

hernia of nucleus polposus – przepuklina jadra miazdżystego

paresthesia of the arms – ucisk na rdzeń

patient tilted to erect position – pacjent pionizowany

patient mobilized – pacjent uruchomiony