

Update from Erica:

Hello hello,

I currently have a little drummer boy sitting on my lap with a bucket lid entertaining him!
So I have Michael for a few days- he's been north last week for his surgery...

Little drummer boy is with Iggy for a few minutes, so I now have 2 hands again and some accuracy!
So it was a very fast arrangement made last week to take Michael north to Chitokoloki Mission Hospital for his hernia op - we sent a photo of it and the surgeon flipped that it hadn't already been done and said get him up here now! Or as African's say - now now.

So, Tuesday was spent getting the legal referrals and paperwork in place and we were on the road on Wednesday at 05:00.

Surgery Thursday at 08:30 and he was out by 09:05 - took 4 hours for the ketamine to wear off...

But it's done, and he's recovering remarkably. So much so that he's way better off now than he was before the surgery, even with stitches.

We're back home - so I went into the hospital yesterday to find out when I had to return him... he's released until Friday, so Friday I have to return him, unless Social Welfare can finish up this week and the hospital really want them to be done (almost as much as I do!)

Soooo praying that I don't have to return him - I think I will bawl my eyes out if I do have to!

Right, I must run - Mary flies out to Aus tomorrow, so I have a few things to organise for her before then.
Have a wonderful Christmas!

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