

Cardiology Update Heart Failure HealthPathways & eReferral



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Cardiology

Absolute Cardiovascular Disease Risk Assessment

Atrial Fibrillation (AF)

Chest Pain

Syncope and Presyncope (Funny Turns)

Heart Failure

Heart Murmurs in Adults

Hyperlipidaemia

Hypertension

Infective Endocarditis Prophylaxis

Long QT Syndrome

Palpitations

Heart Failure

Referral

- Refer for echocardiography.
- Arrange non-urgent cardiology referral if:
 - diagnosis or aetiology is in doubt.
 - young patient with heart failure.
 - patient who is pregnant or planning a pregnancy.
 - underlying coronary disease and suitable for surgery.
 - suspected ventricular arrhythmia.
 - significant valvular disease and suitable for surgery.
 - inadequate response to treatment.
- Refer to cardiac rehabilitation for education and exercise.
- Consider:
 - Care options, discuss with Community Referral or Planned Care for Better Health.
 - Medication review with pharmacist.
 - Advance Care Planning and palliative care referral for patients with advanced stage heart failure.

SeNT Referrals

Patient name: Mrs Penny ANDERSON DoB: 4 Jul 1993

Referral recipient

Specialty and condition

Cardiology - Cardiac Rehabilitation

Priority

Non Urgent

Facility type

Public

Geographic location

Newcastle/ Lake Macquarie/ Port St...

Provider name

Cardiac Rehabilitation Service - Ne...

Referral address

Date patient consented to referral

25 Jan 2023

Patient will consider telehealth?

Yes

No

Not stated

Are you the patient's usual GP?

Yes

No

SeNT Referrals

Dr A Practitioner

Patient name: Mrs Penny ANDERSON DoB: 4 Jul 1993

Specialty and condition

Cardiology - Heart Failure

Go to HealthPathways

Priority

Urgent

Non Urgent

Facility type

Private

Public

Geographic location

Newcastle/ Lake Macqu...

Provider name

Dr Nicholas Collins - Car...

Referral address

Date patient consented to referral

25 Jan 2023

Patient will consider telehealth?

Yes

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Not stated

Are you the patient's usual GP?

Yes

No

Specialty clinical information

If your patient is at risk of rapid deterioration, potentially serious morbidity and/or life threatening complications, do not send an eReferral and immediately arrange transfer to the closest emergency department

Show emergency referral criteria

Show

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Also consider referral to cardiac rehabilitation for education and exercise

Minimum Referral Criteria

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☐ Diagnosis or aetiology is in doubt

☐ Young patient with heart failure

☐ Patient who is pregnant or planning a pregnancy

☐ Underlying coronary disease and is suitable for surgery

☐ Suspected ventricular arrhythmia

☐ Significant valvular disease and is suitable for surgery

☐ Inadequate response to treatment

☐ Request clinical override of minimum referral criteria

Referral Letter

Type your full referral letter here. This MUST include history, examination, provisional diagnosis and management to date

Referral letter (up to 5000 characters)