

Gastroenterology Referrals Pathway

Information for GPs

Create Referral

- Follow guidelines at: www.outpatients.tas.gov.au/clinics/gastroenterology
- RHH uses the NHMRC guidelines to make decisions
- Include in family history which relative and what age
- Include pathology results with referral
- State any particular concerns you have

Fax referral to clinic

(03) 6234 3982

- **Notification** of receipt of referral sent to GP
- Referrals triaged **daily** according to protocol including NHMRC guidelines

Triaged to

Clinic wait list

Category 1, 2, 3
Location: Wellington Clinics
☎ (03) 6166 0000

Direct access Endoscopy

Category 1, 2, 3
Level 4 H Block RHH
☎ (03) 6166 8605

A questionnaire

is sent immediately to the patient and ...

On return of the questionnaire the patient is then:

Placed on the waiting list for endoscopy

Failures to return questionnaire are chased up.

GPs who are worried about a patient on the endoscopy wait list please phone the Endoscopy Liaison Co-ordinator Hotline | ☎ (03) 6166 8367

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