



Gastrointestinal Centre for Excellence

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 - Dr. Nishlan Pillay
 - Dr. Ian Lockart
 - Dr. Rohan Gett (Colorectal)

- REFERRAL**
- Urgent Next Available Consult
 - Gastroscopy Colonoscopy
 - Other:

PATIENT Name:

Address:

DOB: Phone:

Email:

HISTORY Reason for Referral:

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Previous Investigations/Notes:

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REFERRING DOCTOR

Name:

Provider No: Phone:

Fax: Address:

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Referral Date:

Referral Period:

Doctor's Signature:

SYDNEY GUT CLINIC DIRECT ACCESS REFERRAL

PLANNED PROCEDURES:

Gastroscopy **Colonoscopy** **Haemorrhoid Banding**

MEDICAL HISTORY:

Weight: **Height:** **Anti-coagulants**

Heart disease:

- Cardiac Stents
- Pacemaker
- Implantable defibrillator

Family history:

CURRENT MEDICATIONS:

Anti-platelets

- Insulin**
 Other

ALLERGIES

Other:

DIRECT ACCESS REFERRAL CRITERIA:

TESTS PRIOR TO DIRECT ACCESS:

GENERAL

- Under 80 years of age
- Fit and healthy
- Not on anticoagulants

Please include relevant screening results, pathology, &/or imaging

COLONOSCOPY

- Positive FOBT result
- Family history of CRC
- Surveillance for polyps
- Unexplained iron deficiency +/- anaemia
- Unexplained progressive weight loss
- Rectal bleeding
- Bloody diarrhoea with negative stool MC&S
- Change in bowel habits > 6 weeks
- Abdominal pain
- Palpable mass (suggest consult)
- After first episode of proven diverticulitis to exclude neoplasm

GASTROSCOPY

- Family history of stomach cancer
- Unexplained iron deficiency +/- anaemia
- Coeliac disease screening
- Dyspepsia / Reflux
- Dysphagia, odynophagia
- Unexplained abdominal pain and weight loss
- Persistent vomiting and weight loss
- For duodenal biopsy following positive serology in suspected coeliac disease
- Screening / surveillance of Barrett's oesophagus and gastric intestinal metaplasia

All Direct Access Referrals are screened by our Specialists and/or Clinical Nurse prior to booking.
We will be happy to contact your rooms or the patient if further information is required.