

Prostate Rapid Access Clinic

Referral Guide

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Service Features

Consultant led service providing direct access for suitable symptomatic patients to assessment and diagnostic services, including same day TRUS Biopsy.



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Suitable Patient: Elevated PSA. Abnormal/Hard DRE on examination.

Referrals: Consultant triage.

Appointments: Centralised administration team coordinates scheduling of all appointments and follow up care with patient.

Reports: Direct to referring doctor. Urgent results followed up verbally.

Insurance - TRUS biopsy: Day case full-cover on most plans.

Consultation & Assessment: €200 payable on the day of appointment

Patient Pathway

CONSULTATION & ASSESSMENT

Registration

Consultant Urologist review – Medical history. Repeat DRE. Query Uroflow.

Nurse review – PSA sample. Urine sample. Vital signs.

TRUS BIOPSY

Same day, as appropriate for patient.
Performed by Consultant Radiologist at Mater Private.
Review appointment in 1 week, given prior to discharge.
Report to Referring Doctor.

NO TRUS BIOPSY

Patient discharge.
Report to Referring Doctor.

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| Patient Details | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Surname: _____ | |
| First Name: _____ | D.O.B: _____ |
| Address: _____ | |
| _____ | |
| Mobile No: _____ | Tel. day: _____ |
| Tel. evening: _____ | |
| Hospital No. (If Known): _____ | |
| First Language: _____ | Interpreter required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| | Wheelchair assistance: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

| General Practitioner Details | |
|--|-------------------------|
| Name: _____ | |
| Address: _____ | |
| _____ | |
| _____ | |
| Tel: _____ | Mobile: _____ |
| Fax: _____ | |
| GP Signature: _____ | Date of referral: _____ |
| Medical Council Registration No: _____ | |

Referral Information (please tick relevant boxes):

Previously Seen by Urologist

No Yes

Consultant: _____ Location: _____

Digital Rectal Examination
(Strongly recommended & Improves Hospital triage)
All men with an abnormal Digital Rectal Examination(DRE) should be referred regardless of PSA.

DRE-Prostate feels benign DRE-Prostate feels suspicious

Past Medical History:

Anticoagulants Yes No

Plavix Aspirin Warfarin Other

Allergies:
 Yes
 No _____

Comments:

Investigations

Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) Test (Mandatory)
Please wait six weeks to do a PSA test if a patient has an active urinary infection Prostate biopsy, TURP, or prostatitis. In a man with a normal DRE, repeat an abnormal PSA test at 6 weeks before referral.

| Total PSA (ng/ml) | Month | Year |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |

Urinalysis (to exclude Infection) Results _____

Previous Prostate Biopsy (please attach report if available) Yes No Normal Abnormal

Hospital of prostate biopsy: _____

Date of prostate biopsy: _____

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Administration

Date referral received: _____

Date appointment offered: _____

Reason appointment not accepted: _____

Administration

Urgent referral: _____

Routine referral: _____

Name: _____

Sign/Date: _____