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REFERRAL GUIDELINES

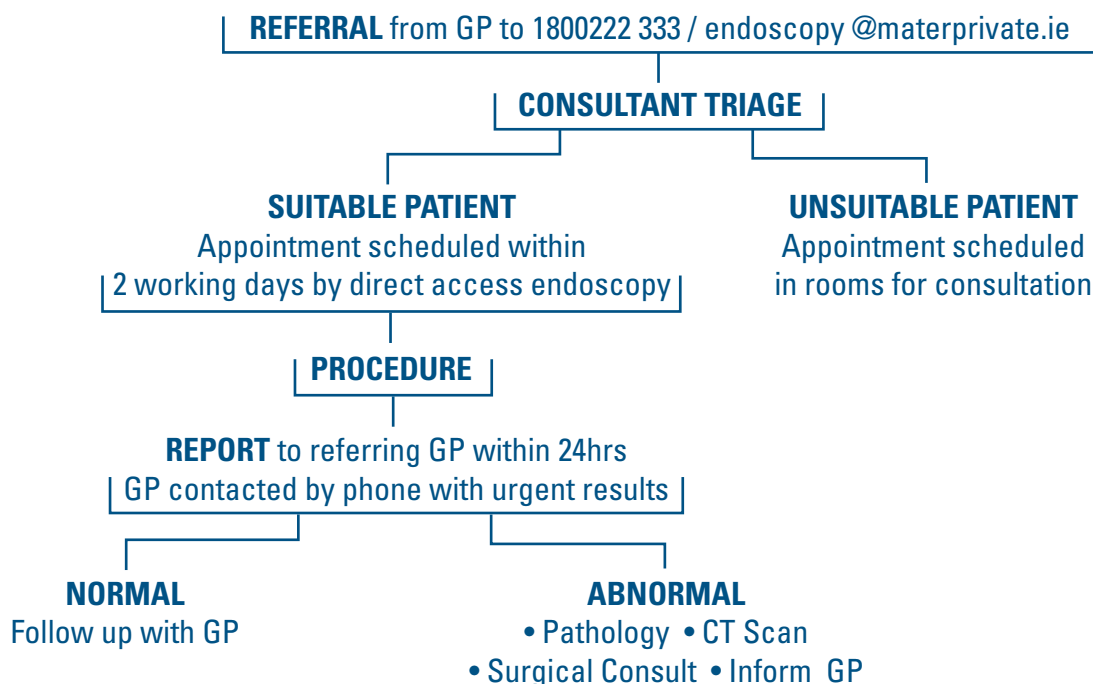
SUITABLE PATIENTS

- ✓ New upper GI symptoms
- ✓ Suspected GI bleed (stable)
- ✓ Suspected malabsorption syndrome
- ✓ Diarrhoea
- ✓ Rectal bleeding
- ✓ Altered bowel habit
- ✓ Weight loss
- ✓ Anaemia (iron deficiency)
- ✓ Family history/screening

UNSUITABLE PATIENTS

- ✗ Not fit for day-case procedure
- ✗ Not fit for at home bowel prep
- ✗ Aged under 16
- ✗ Significant comorbidities
(uncontrolled CCF, severe renal disease)
- ✗ Haemodynamically unstable patients

PATIENT PATHWAY



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