

Advice Request – Reasons for Referral

The following is a list of specialties and reasons for referral that can be used to help you complete the *Reason for Referral* field when you create an advice request.

Specialty	Reason For Referral	Zone
Addiction and M H – Addiction Medicine	Opiate agonist therapy	All Zones
Family Medicine – Transgender Care	Transgender health general consultation	All Zones
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Adult gastroenterology issue	All Zones
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Colon cancer screening	Edmonton, North
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Hepatology issue	Edmonton, North, South
Internal Med – Cardiology	Cardiology issue	Calgary, Central
Internal Med – Cardiology		Calgary, Central
Internal Med – Endocrinology	Diabetes	Calgary
Internal Med – Endocrinology	Endocrinology issue	Calgary
Internal Med – General Internal Med	Medical issue	Calgary
Internal Med – Infectious Disease	Infectious disease issue	Edmonton
Internal Med – Pulmonary Medicine	Pulmonary issue	Calgary
Nephrology	Acute kidney injury	Calgary, Edmonton
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OBS-GYN	Colposcopy procedure	Calgary
OBS-GYN	Gynecological issue	Calgary
OBS-GYN	High risk obstetrics	Calgary
OBS-GYN	Pelvic floor issue	Calgary
OBS-GYN	Obstetrical issue	Calgary
OBS-GYN – Maternal Fetal Medicine	Maternal fetal medicine issue	Edmonton
OBS-GYN – Urogynecology	Urogynecology issue	Edmonton
Ophthalmology	Ophthalmology issue	All Zones
Ophthalmology	Paeds ophthalmology issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Shoulder issue	Provincial
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Otolaryngology	Otolaryngology issue	Calgary, Central
Otolaryngology	Paeds otolaryngology issue	Calgary
Pain Medicine – Chronic Pain Med	Chronic pain issue	Calgary
Palliative Care – Palliative Medicine	Palliative medicine issue	Calgary
Paediatrics – Community		
Paediatrics	Paediatric medical issue	Calgary
Paediatrics – Community	Paediatric behavioural finding	Calgary
Paediatrics		
Paediatrics – Gastroenterology	Paediatric gastroenterology issue	Edmonton
Psychiatry – Child and Adolescent	Child and adolescent psychiatric health issue	Calgary, Central, Edmonton, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Breast health issue	Calgary
Surgery – General Surgery	Benign breast tumor issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Colorectal issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Gallbladder issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Hernia issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected breast cancer issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected gastrointestinal cancer issue	Edmonton
Surgery – General Surgery	Other general surgery issue	Edmonton
Urology	Urology issue	Central, Edmonton