



Queensland Government

Wide Bay Hospital & Health Service
Bundaberg & Rural Health Service

Rural Allied & Community Health Referral Form

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URN: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F  I

Parent / Carer: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: Referrals should be directed to private providers for patients eligible for:

- + Medicare team care arrangement + Workcover + NDIS + Insurance claims
+ Dept of Veteran's Affairs (DVA) + FaHCSIA Helping Children with Autism/Better Start.

Medicare number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
DVA number: \_\_\_\_\_ DVA type: \_\_\_\_\_
Does the client identify as:  Aboriginal  Torres Strait Islander  Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander  Does not identify
Is this referral a result of:  WorkCover  Motor Vehicle Accident

Referral from: \_\_\_\_\_ Referral Date & Time: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_

Referral for:  Outpatient  Inpatient  MPHS aged care resident

Referral to: Group Programmes

Referral to: Specific Profession

- Cardiac rehabilitation
 Pulmonary rehabilitation
 Chronic condition self-management
 Chronic pain self-management
 Balance & mobility
 Healthy eating group (eligibility: BMI >30kg/m^2 + co-morbidity)
 Deadly Health Yarning (Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander health group)

- Alcohol & other drugs
 Exercise physiology
 Indigenous health worker
 Community nurse (adult)
 Occupational Therapy
 Speech Pathologist
 Child Health / Antenatal / Postnatal
 Psychology (eligibility: referral related to chronic disease)
 Dietitian
 Podiatry
 Social Worker
 Physiotherapy

Patient's preferred Hospital for appointment: \_\_\_\_\_
Is consent given by patient to receive text messages for appointments?  Yes  No
Does the patient give consent to sharing information with local providers & referrer?  Yes  No (e.g. diabetes educator, Bluecare, IWC, RHealth, GP)
Home visit required?  Yes  No
Interpreter required?  Yes  No Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for referral:

Please include as much information as possible about your patient's condition to optimise their chances of being triaged correctly: e.g. diagnosis, duration, severity and impact.

Tests / Scans Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Diagnosis / Condition + Reason for Referral: (complete page 2 and 3 for co-morbidities and chronic conditions)

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Onset Date of Condition/Injury: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Symptoms less than 3 months?  Yes  No

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**Chronic Condition Pathway** (select one only)

**Complex Needs Service** (does your patient demonstrate any of the following?)

- Unstable/poor controlled chronic disease
- Fragmented care due to involvement from multiple specialists
- A pattern of frequent hospital admissions
- Experience vulnerability due to poor psychosocial support/complex socioeconomic needs?

Additional information for the selected Complex Needs Service must be provided: .....

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Please list details of any Medical Specialist or other health service provider:

Location/Facility: ..... Speciality: .....

Consultants name: ..... Next appointment date & time: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ : .....

**Chronic conditions:**

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Depression/social isolation                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Hyperlipidaemia        | <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes   | <input type="checkbox"/> Overweight/obesity     | <input type="checkbox"/> Physically inactive    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Previous cardiac event (detail below)                | <input type="checkbox"/> Present falls          | <input type="checkbox"/> Balance issues         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic pain   | <input type="checkbox"/> Recent hospitalisation | <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis/osteoporosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Liver disease  | <input type="checkbox"/> Social isolation       | <input type="checkbox"/> Renal failure          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polypharmacy   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pulmonary condition    | <input type="checkbox"/> Metabolic syndrome     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental concerns (attach recent health checks) |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  |

Additional Information: .....

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**Cardiac & Heart Rehabilitation:**

Can the patient tolerate a weekly exercise/education programme for 8 weeks?  Yes  No

[Medical clearance exercise rehabilitation form](#) is attached for exercise and education programmes.

This patient should attend the education programme only.

**Clinical Syndrome:**

- |  |       |  |       |
|--|-------|--|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> STEMI         | ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> NSTEMI        | ..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PCI           | ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> Stent         | ..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CABG          | ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart failure | ..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Valve surgery | ..... |  |       |

Name of hospital providing cardiac care: .....

Date of discharge: ..... **Please attach discharge summary**

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Pulmonary Rehabilitation:

Can the patient tolerate a weekly exercise/education programme for 8 weeks?  Yes  No

Medical clearance exercise rehabilitation form is attached for exercise and education programmes.

This patient should attend the education programme only.

Clinical Syndrome:

- COPD  Chronic asthma  Chronic bronchitis
 Emphysema  Bronchiectasis  Interstitial lung disease
 Stable angina  Arrhythmias  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this patient on home oxygen?:  Yes  No

Additional Information: \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

Diabetes Summary:

Diabetes Educator: \_\_\_\_\_ Podiatrist: \_\_\_\_\_

Hba1c history: \_\_\_\_\_

Blood results (cholesterol etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Functional Status:

Has the patient had a recent change in mobility?  Yes  No

Mobility: \_\_\_\_\_ Assistance required: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobility aids: \_\_\_\_\_ WB status: \_\_\_\_\_

Current physical activity level:  Low  Moderate  High

Toileting/incontinence: \_\_\_\_\_

Hygiene/showering/dressing: \_\_\_\_\_

Sensory impairment:  Vision  Hearing  Speech  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Dementia: \_\_\_\_\_

Cognitive function: \_\_\_\_\_

Mental health: \_\_\_\_\_

Skin integrity: \_\_\_\_\_

Behaviour/pain/mood issues: \_\_\_\_\_

Communication: \_\_\_\_\_

Swallowing difficulties \_\_\_\_\_

Nutrition/diet/fluids \_\_\_\_\_

Carer's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Carer stress?  Yes  No

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Chronic Condition Risk Calculator Part C Summary:

Refer to RAH5 for assessment calculator

Level of Risk:  Urgent (score 39-49)  Medium (score 11-23)  
 High (score 24-38)  Low (score 1-10)

Referral accepted **Prioritisation:**  1  2  3

Referral declined

Reason referral declined/ineligible: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

ADMINISTRATION USE ONLY

Ineligibility letter  Waitlist letter  
 Phone Appointment  1<sup>st</sup> Appointment letter  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Client advised verbally of appointment?  Yes  No

DNA protocol discussed?  Yes  No

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Clinical notes prior to initial appointment:

Add signature, printed name, staff category, date & time to all entries.

DATE & TIME

Table with 2 columns: DATE & TIME, Clinical notes area with horizontal lines.

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