

Intestinal Failure Referral Form

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Pre-submission checklist:

- Is the referral form completed as comprehensively as possible to minimise delays?
- Contact details for inpatient teams are vital to ensure clear lines of communication.
- Have you attached a full picture of the patient's abdomen?
- Have you linked all relevant CT/ MRI scans to UCH on the IEP?
- Have you scanned and e-mailed all relevant supporting documents?
- Outpatient clinic/referral letters.
- Operation notes.
- Laboratory reports.
- Radiology reports.
- Histology reports.
- TPN/Enteral feed prescription chart.
- Intensive Care admission summaries – if applicable.
- ECG/echocardiogram/CPEX reports – please look at patient's medical history to decide if these are warranted.

What happens after you submit this form?

- The case will be discussed at the Intestinal Failure MDT meeting (held every Tuesday) within 2 weeks of receiving the referral form – this is dependent on this form being fully completed and all supporting documents being sent with the form.
- The outcome of the MDT meeting will be communicated to the lead referrer on the day of the meeting.

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Reason for referral? (more than one box can be ticked)

IF surgery ☐

Home parenteral nutrition ☐

Transition from paediatric IF service ☐

Date of referral

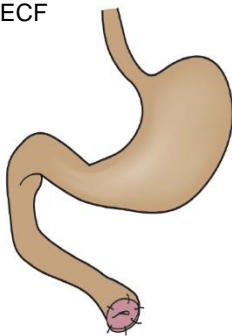
PATIENT INFORMATION	
Surname:	Title:
First Name/s:	Gender: Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Home Address:	Date of Birth:
	Postcode:
Contact Phone Number/s:	NHS no:
GP Name:	GP Postcode:
GP Address:	
Patient's Current Location:	
Hospital:	Switchboard Number:
Ward:	Direct Tel Number:
Side Room: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, why?
REFERRER INFORMATION	
Consultant Name:	Referrer's Bleep/Mobile Number:
Referrer's Name:	Referrer's e-mail address:
MEDICAL HISTORY	
Neurological: CVA/TIA <input type="checkbox"/> Dementia Neuropathy <input type="checkbox"/>	Endocrine: Diabetes mellitus <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid disease <input type="checkbox"/>

Cardiovascular: Hypertension <input type="checkbox"/> Ischaemic heart disease/MI <input type="checkbox"/> Congestive cardiac failure <input type="checkbox"/> Arrhythmias <input type="checkbox"/> Valvular heart disease <input type="checkbox"/> Peripheral vascular disease <input type="checkbox"/> DVT/ PE <input type="checkbox"/>		Renal: Acute renal failure <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic renal failure <input type="checkbox"/> Haemodialysis <input type="checkbox"/>	
Respiratory: COPD <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma <input type="checkbox"/> Lung cancer/Mesothelioma <input type="checkbox"/> Pulmonary Fibrosis <input type="checkbox"/>		Gastrointestinal: Oesophagitis/GORD <input type="checkbox"/> Peptic ulcer disease <input type="checkbox"/> Hiatus hernia <input type="checkbox"/> Liver cirrhosis <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis C <input type="checkbox"/> Inflammatory Bowel Disease <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other conditions not included above/notes:			
Performance status:		Predicted life expectancy >3 months? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
CURRENT MEDICATIONS (can attach a screenshot of drug chart)			
Including anticoagulation, insulin, subcutaneous infusions			
Drug	Dose	Route	Frequency
ALLERGIES:			
Drug	Reaction		
SURGICAL SUMMARY			
Date	Operation Performed*	Surgeon	Indication & Complications (inc. ITU admissions**)
* All operation notes must be e-mailed to us as part of the referral process			
** Any ITU discharge summaries must be e-mailed to us as part of the referral process			

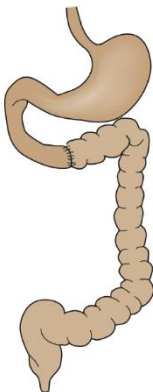
Brief Description of Current Problems:

Anatomical IF classification

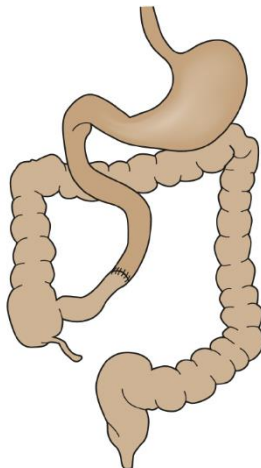
Please addend with additional information as needed eg ECF



Type I
Jejunostomy



Type II
Jejunocolonic anastomosis



Type III
Ileocolonic anastomosis

Fistula (entero-cutaneous or other)

Colon ☐ SB ☐ Other ☐ Output (7-day average): mls/24hrs

Bowel length

Proximal: cm Distal: cm Don't know ☐

Laparostomy wound ☐ Gastrostomy tube ☐ Persistent intra-abdominal sepsis ☐

BLOODS

Latest Laboratory Investigation (ideally attach a screenshot of the last 7-days)

Hb	Na ⁺	ALP	Mg ²⁺
WCC	K ⁺	ALT	Corrected Ca ²⁺
Platelets	Urea	AST	PO ₄ ²⁻
INR	Creatinine	GGT	CRP
APTTR	eGFR	Bilirubin	
Fibrinogen		Albumin	



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NUTRITIONAL ASSESSMENT (To be completed by Dietitian)

Current Routes of Nutrition: Oral ☐ NG ☐ NJ ☐ Gastrostomy ☐ Jejunostomy ☐ Parenteral ☐
(Tick all in use)

Dietary information (to be completed by a dietitian)

Patient NBM: Yes ☐ No ☐
Estimated oral intake (if applicable):
Does the patient have any dietary restrictions (if applicable):
Estimated enteral feeding intake (if applicable):
If failed enteral feeding, why (including feeding regimens provided)?
If has a feeding tube in situ, what is the size and make of the tube (inc date of insertion)?

Current Artificial Nutrition Prescription: (please attach the last 7 days prescriptions)

Date started PN:
Has the patient been receiving any IV fluids +/- IV electrolytes? Yes ☐ No ☐
If so, please provide a summary of the previous 7 days prescriptions

Anthropometry:

Date measured: Weight (kg): Height (cm):
BMI: kg/m² Oedema: Yes ☐ No ☐
Previous weights (kg) (inc. dates):
 % weight change in previous 3-6 months

MUAC/ Handgrip strength: Dominance Right Hand Left Hand





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To be completed by Nutrition Nurse or NIC

VENOUS ACCESS	
Form(s) of IV access: None <input type="checkbox"/> CVC: Temporary <input type="checkbox"/> Tunnelled <input type="checkbox"/> Implanted Port <input type="checkbox"/> PICC <input type="checkbox"/> For CVCs Number of lumens: Site: R <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> IJ <input type="checkbox"/> Femoral <input type="checkbox"/> Subclavian <input type="checkbox"/> Date Inserted: Any Thrombosed Veins? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Details:	
NURSING ISSUES	
Is the patient or family able to be trained administer PN or IV fluids independently? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes who will it be?
Pressure Areas Intact: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Details:	
INFECTION STATUS	
PLEASE NOTE: A laboratory report confirming the patient's infection status is a mandatory requirement when referring to this service, and should therefore be attached to this referral when sent. Without this, forms will be deemed incomplete, and returned to you.	
Is the patient currently in isolation: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, why:
MRSA Status: Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Pending <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of last MRSA test: (within last 2 weeks)
C.diff Status: Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Pending <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of last C.diff test:
Carbapenemase-producing Organism: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of last positive test: Site:
Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of last positive test: Site:
Is the patient positive for any infection: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	List:
Last covid19 test date, type of test, and result:	





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MOBILITY		
Bed bound: Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Transfer details:
Mobilising with aid: Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details:
Mobilising independently: Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details:
SOCIAL INFORMATION		
Living situation? Alone <input type="checkbox"/> With family <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
Discharge destination:		
Package of care details (if applicable):		

