

## Neurosurgery Department Referral to Spinal Outpatients

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FMC Patient UR Number (if available):	Date:/				
Personal Details					
$\square$ Mr $\square$ Mrs $\square$ Miss $\square$ Ms $\square$ Dr $\square$ Property					
Last Name:					
Given Names:					
Previous Surnames:					
Address:					
Phone (home): Mobile:					
DOB:/ Gender Identity: $\square$ <i>Male</i> $\square$ <i>Female</i> $\square$ <i>Other</i> Identifies as Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islander: $\square$					
Interpreter required:   Yes  No Language:					
General Practitioner Details					
Name:					
Clinic:					
Address:					
Phone: Fax:					
Email:					
Signature:					
Clinical Information					
Spinal Area:   Cervical Thoracic Lumbar					
Symptom duration: $\square$ 0-6 weeks $\square$ 6-12 weeks $\square$ 3-9 months $\square$ 9-18 months $\square$ >18 months					
Clinical Assessment:	Pathology:	Radiology:			
☐ Myelopathy or spasticity	☐ Neoplastic malignant	☐ Cord signal change/syrinx/cavitation			
☐ Numbness, perianal and both legs	☐ Acute high impact trauma	☐ Instability			
Dermatomal distribution:	☐ Infection	☐ Spinal cord compression			
☐ Weakness – arm/leg	□ Neoplastic benign	☐ Spondylolisthesis			
Myotomal distribution:	☐ Congenital	☐ Severe canal stenosis			
☐ Pain/Numbness – arm or leg Predominant side: Right / Left / Bilateral	☐ Degenerative / Arthritic☐ Remote or Low impact trauma	Deformity			
		☐ Root compression			
☐ Neurogenic claudication	☐ None of the above	<ul><li></li></ul>			
☐ Midline pain neck or back	"	☐ None of the above			
☐ None of the above	None of the above				

Dominant symptoms						
□ Neck □ Low back □ Limb (arm/leg)						
Provisional diagnosis						
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Previous Spinal Injections	Response					
☐ Epidural	□ Nil	☐ Short-term	Sustained			
☐ Nerve block (foraminal)	□ Nil	☐ Short-term	☐ Sustained			
☐ Facet joint	□ Nil	☐ Short-term	Sustained			
Pain medication used	☐ Simple Analgesia	☐ Opioids	☐ Neuropathic agents			
Additional information required						
Investigations:						
Please attach copies of all relevant:						
☐ Xrays ☐ Scans ☐ Specialist rep	oorts					
Past Medical History:						
Please attach summary of:	"	P - 2 - P -				
☐ Medical history/comorbidities (including BMI) ☐ Current medication list						
Office use only (triage)						
Clinical Score:						
Category:		Fax to: (08) 8204 4059				
Date:/		Mail address: Outpatient Clinic C & D,				
Signature: Level 2, Flinders Medi						
		Bedford Park, SA 5042				
Name and designation: Is this a re-referral?			□ Yes □ No			
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