

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
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Adult genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Cancer genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Cardiovascular genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Metabolic genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Pediatric genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Clinical and Metabolic Genetic Services	Prenatal genetic issue	Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones
Dermatology	Dermatology issue	North, Edmonton and Central (north of Red Deer) Zones – use Dermatology – Northern Alberta Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones – use Dermatology – Southern Alberta
Dermatology	Paediatric dermatology issue	North, Edmonton and Central (north of Red Deer) Zones – use Dermatology – Northern Alberta Calgary, South and Central (Red Deer and south) Zones – use Dermatology – Southern Alberta
Family Medicine	Menopause symptom	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





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Internal Med – Cardiology	Cardiology issue	Central
Internal Med – Clinical Pharmacology	Drug discontinuation syndrome	All Zones
Internal Med – Clinical Pharmacology	Drug interaction	All Zones
Internal Med – Clinical Pharmacology	Medication regimen/management issue	All Zones
Internal Med – Clinical Pharmacology	Polypharmacy/overprescribing	All Zones
Internal Med – Clinical Pharmacology	Suspected adverse drug event	All Zones
Internal Med – Endocrinology	Diabetes	Calgary
Internal Med – Endocrinology	Endocrinology issue	Calgary
Internal Med – General Internal Med	Medical issue	Calgary
Internal Med – Geriatric Medicine	Geriatric medicine health issue	Calgary, Edmonton, North (use Internal Med – Geriatric Medicine – Northern Alberta)
Internal Med – Infectious Disease – STI	Sexually transmitted infection (STI) issue	All Zones
		All Zones Calgary, Central, South
STI Internal Med – Pulmonary Medicine	issue Long COVID-19	Calgary, Central, South
STI Internal Med – Pulmonary Medicine Nephrology	issue Long COVID-19 Acute kidney injury	Calgary, Central, South Central
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OBS-GYN	Colposcopy procedure	Calgary, Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Gynecological issue	Calgary, Edmonton
OBS-GYN	High risk obstetrics	Calgary
OBS-GYN	Obstetrical issue	Calgary, Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Pelvic floor issue	Calgary
OBS-GYN – Urogynecology	Urogynecology issue	Edmonton
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Ophthalmology	Ophthalmology issue	All Zones
Ophthalmology	Paeds ophthalmology issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Ankle issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Elbow issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Foot issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Hip issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Knee issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Shoulder issue	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Wrist issue	All Zones
Otolaryngology	Otolaryngology issue	Calgary, Central
Otolaryngology	Paeds otolaryngology issue	Calgary
Paediatrics – Community	Decidiotric behavioural finding	Colgon
Paediatrics	Paediatric behavioural finding	Calgary
Paediatrics – Community Paediatrics	Paediatric medical issue	Calgary
Paediatrics – Community	Plagiocephaly (headshape) issue	Calgary
Paediatrics		
Paediatrics – Gastroenterology	Paediatric gastroenterology issue	Edmonton
Pain Medicine – Chronic Pain Med	Chronic pain issue	Calgary
Palliative Care – Palliative Medicine	Palliative medicine issue	Calgary, Central
Psychiatry – Child and Adolescent	Child and adolescent psychiatric health issue	Calgary, Central, South

Specialty	Reason For Referral	Zone
Surgery – General Surgery	Benign breast tumor issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Breast health issue	Calgary
Surgery – General Surgery	Colorectal issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Gallbladder issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Other abdominal hernia	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected breast cancer issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected gastrointestinal cancer issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – General Surgery	Other general surgery issue	Calgary, North, South
Surgery – Podiatry	Podiatry issue	Calgary
Urology	Urology issue	Calgary, Central, Edmonton



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 a consult request.

For example, if you wish to create a consult request for a patient experiencing knee pain, you could enter the search word "knee" or "pain" into the **Reason for Referral** field. All of the reasons for referral containing the search word will be presented for selection.

Specialty	Reason For Referral	Zone
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Celiac disease (suspected or refractory symptoms)	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Dyspepsia	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Endoscopy for iron deficiency anemia	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Fecal Immunochemical Test (FIT) positive finding	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD)	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Helicobacter pylori (H. pylori) infection	Edmonton
Internal Med – Adult Gastroenterology	Hepatitis C	Edmonton
Internal Med – Pulmonary Medicine– ATOP	Mediastinal mass	Calgary
Internal Med – Pulmonary Medicine– ATOP	Suspected lung cancer (primary or metastatic) – lung nodule(s)	Calgary
Nephrology	Acute nephrotic syndrome	Edmonton
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Nephrology	Unexplained decline in eGFR greater than or equal to 5 mL/min/1.73m ² that occurs over 6 months	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Adenocarcinoma in situ of cervix	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	ASCH on pap smear	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	ASCUS on pap smear (includes persistent)	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	ASCUS on pap smear with positive HPV test	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Atypical glandular cells on pap smear	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	HSIL on pap smear	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Lesion of vulva	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	LSIL on pap smear (includes persistent)	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	LSIL on pap smear with positive HPV test	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Malignant tumor of cervix	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Malignant tumor of vagina	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Malignant tumor of vulva	Edmonton
OBS-GYN	Colposcopy related procedure consult	Edmonton
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Ductal carcinoma in situ - post segmental resection breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Locally advanced breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Lymphangitic carcinomatosis (symptomatic) breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Metastases asymptomatic breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Metastases bone (symptomatic)	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Metastases brain	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Metastases visceral (symptomatic +/- life-threatening) breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Node negative breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Node positive breast cancer	South
Oncology – Breast Cancer	Superior vena cava obstruction	South

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Orthopaedic Surgery	Arthritis of elbow	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Arthritis of hand (including thumb and fingers)	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Arthritis of hip	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Arthritis of wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Avascular necrosis of hip	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Back pain	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Benign bone tumor	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Bone deformity of hip	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Carpal tunnel syndrome	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Chronic soft issue pain of elbow	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Deformity of hand and wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Elbow mass	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Entrapment neuropathy at elbow	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Foot and ankle deformity	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Foot and ankle instability	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Foot and ankle ulcer	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Fracture of bone	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Hip dysplasia	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Hip impingement	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Hip pain	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Inflammatory arthritis	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Instability of knee	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Knee arthritis	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Knee joint valgus deformity (finding)	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Knee joint - varus deformity (finding)	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Knee pain	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Leg length inequality (finding)	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Legg-Calve-Perthes disease	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Ligament pathologies - hand	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Ligament pathologies - wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Loose body in joint	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South

Specialty	Reason For Referral	Zone
Orthopaedic Surgery	Mass of hand and wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Mechanical knee symptoms	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Median nerve entrapment	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Myelopathy	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Neck pain	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Neurogenic claudication	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Non-degenerative elbow joint pathology	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Olecranon bursitis	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery Orthopaedic Surgery	Osteoarthritis of hip Osteoarthritis of knee	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Osteonecrosis	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Pain - hand	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Pain - wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Pain of foot and ankle	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Prosthetic joint infection	Calgary, Edmonton, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Radial nerve entrapment	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Radiculopathy	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Residual childhood hip disorder	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Retained orthopaedic hardware of hip	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Retained orthopaedic hardware of knee	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Retained orthopaedic hardware of shoulder	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Shoulder instability	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Shoulder pain	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Shoulder stiffness	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Spinal deformity	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Suspected tendon rupture	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Swelling of foot and ankle	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Symptomatic hip arthroplasty	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Synovial disorder of hip	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Tendon pathology of hand and wrist	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Toxic effect of metal	Calgary, Edmonton, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Traumatic arthritis	Calgary, Edmonton, North, South
Orthopaedic Surgery	Ulnar nerve entrapment	All Zones
Orthopaedic Surgery	Consultation by Orthopaedic Surgery service	All Zones

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Otolaryngology	Airway problem	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Chronic hoarseness	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Chronic otitis media (otorrhea)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Chronic refractory cough	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Chronic sinusitis	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Deviated nasal septum	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Disorder of eyelid	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Disorder of nasal sinus (sinusitis)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Dysphagia	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Ear problem	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Face injury (includes fractures)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Facial deformity	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Facial lesion	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Facial nerve palsy	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Facial scar	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Foreign body of ear (include ear lesions)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Head and/or neck mass	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Hearing loss	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	HHT related epistaxis	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Hyperparathyroidism	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Lesion of mouth and/or pharynx	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Malignant neoplasm of head/neck (head/neck cancer)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Mohs skin defect reconstruction	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Nasal CSF leak	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Nasal deformity	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Nasal mass	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Nasal polyp	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Oropharyngeal dysphagia (progressive dysphagia)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Recurrent acute tonsillitis	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Recurrent epistaxis	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Revision nasal sinus procedure	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Rhinosinusitis (severe complex sinusitis)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Salivary gland mass	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Skin cancer	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Sleep apnea	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Sudden hearing loss (urgent within 72hrs)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Thyroid mass	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Tinnitus	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Tracheostomy disorder	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Tympanic membrane perforation	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Vertigo	Edmonton

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Otolaryngology	Vocal cord problem (professional voice concerns)	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Zenker's diverticulum	Edmonton
Otolaryngology	Consult for Otolaryngology Surgery (other)	Edmonton
Surgery – General		Calgary,
Surgery (Breast)	Abnormal findings on breast exam	Edmonton
Surgery – General	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging	Colgony
Surgery (Breast)	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging	Calgary
Surgery – General	Benign findings on diagnostic imaging	Calgary
Surgery (Breast)		
Surgery – General	Breast cancer invasive	Calgary
Surgery (Breast) Surgery – General		
Surgery (Breast)	Ductal carcinoma in SITU (DCIS)	Calgary
Surgery – General		
Surgery (Breast)	High risk lesion found on breast biopsy	Calgary
Surgery – General	Increased risk of breast cancer	Colgony
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Surgery – General	Suspicious abnormality found on breast exam	Calgary
Surgery (Breast)		
Surgery – General Surgery	Abnormal imaging of GI tract	All Zones
Surgery – General		• • • –
Surgery	Adrenal mass	All Zones
Surgery – General	Anal low-grade squamous intraepithelial lesions	
Surgery – General Surgery	(LSIL)/high-grade squamous intraepithelial lesions	All Zones
	(HSIL)	
Surgery – General	Benign breast disease	All Zones
Surgery		
Surgery – General Surgery	Chronic abdominal pain	All Zones
Surgery – General	Disorder of the anal region (fissures, fistulas,	·
Surgery	hemorrhoids)	All Zones
. .	Disorder of the GI tract (chronic constipation, chronic	
Surgery – General Surgery	diarrhea, irritable bowel syndrome (IBS), dyspepsia,	All Zones
	gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), dysphagia)	
Surgery – General	Diverticulitis	All Zones
Surgery Conoral		
Surgery – General Surgery	Esophageal mass	All Zones
Surgery – General		• • • •
Surgery	Family history of colorectal cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General	Fecal Immunochemical Test (FIT) Positive Finding	All Zones
Surgery		
Surgery – General	Fecal incontinence	All Zones
Surgery		
Surgery – General	Gallbladder mass	All Zones
Surgery		

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Surgery – General Surgery	Gallbladder polyps	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	High risk lesion found on breast biopsy	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Incisional hernia	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Inguinal hernia	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Lymph node biopsy	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Muscle biopsy	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Neck mass	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Other abdominal hernia	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Pancreatic mass	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Personal history of colorectal neoplasia	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Pilonidal disease	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Rectal bleeding (bright red blood)	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Rectal prolapse	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Rectal/anal cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Sebaceous cyst excision	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Sural nerve biopsy	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected neuroendocrine tumor (mesenteric mass, carcinoid, other)	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected parathyroid disease (hypercalcemia or elevated PTH or incidental imaging finding)	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected/known breast cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected/known colon cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected/known soft tissue cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Suspected/known stomach cancer	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Symptomatic gallstones	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Symptomatic lipoma excision	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Temporal artery biopsy	All Zones

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Surgery – General Surgery	Thyroid mass	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Umbilical hernia	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Venous disease - complicated (ulceration or bleeding)	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Venous disease - uncomplicated (varicose veins)	All Zones
Surgery – General Surgery	Consult for General Surgery (other)	All Zones
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Arthritis of hand (including thumb and fingers)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Arthritis of wrist	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Asymmetrical breasts	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Breast implant complications	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Carpal tunnel syndrome	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Chronic wound	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Complex wound	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Congenital breast deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Craniofacial bone deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Craniofacial osseointegration consult (implant)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Craniofacial soft tissue deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Deformity after injury (post-traumatic)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Deformity of hand and wrist	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Diabetic foot ulcer (wound)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Ear deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Entrapment neuropathy at elbow	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Excess abdominal skin (panniculectomy)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Excess eyelid skin	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Excessive weight loss (body contouring)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Eyelid deformity	Edmonton

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Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Eyelid ptosis	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Facial asymmetry	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Facial nerve palsy	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Gender affirmation top surgery	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Gynecomastia	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Hidradenitis suppurativa	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Hyperhidrosis	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Hypertrophic scar	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Inverted nipple	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Keloid scar	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Large breasts (breast reduction)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Ligament pathologies - hand	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Ligament pathologies - wrist	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Lymphedema	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Mass of hand and wrist	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Median nerve entrapment	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Muscle biopsy	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Nasal deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Nerve biopsy	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Nerve mass	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Orbital deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Pain - hand	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Pain - wrist	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Post burn deformity	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Post cancer resection of head/neck deformity	Edmonton

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Surgery – Plastic	Pressure ulcer (decubitus ulcer)	Edmonton
Surgery Surgery – Plastic		
Surgery	Radial nerve entrapment	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Scar revision	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic		E due e este a
Surgery	Skin cancer	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Skull deformity (cranioplasty)	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Suspected benign skin tumor	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Suspected benign soft tissue mass	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Suspected skin cancer	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Suspected soft tissue cancer	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic	Tendon pathology of hand and wrist	Edmonton
Surgery Surgery – Plastic		
Surgery	Ulnar nerve entrapment	Edmonton
Surgery – Plastic Surgery	Consult for Plastic Surgery (other)	Edmonton
	Abdominal antia angunyam (AAA) madarata	
Surgery – Vascular	Abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) moderate (asymptomatic with AP or transverse diameter female: 4.0-4.9 cm, male: 4.0-5.4 cm)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) severe (asymptomatic with AP or transverse diameter female: 5.0-5.9 cm, male: 5.5-6.4 cm)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Asymptomatic peripheral artery disease or intermittent claudication	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Carotid stenosis (asymptomatic, greater than 50 percent)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Chronic limb threatening ischemia - arm	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Chronic limb threatening ischemia - leg	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Mesenteric occlusive disease	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Peripheral aneurysm (asymptomatic)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Renal vascular occlusive disease	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Thoracic aortic aneurysm (TAA)(asymptomatic)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Vascular thoracic outlet syndrome	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Venous disease - complicated (ulceration or bleeding)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Venous disease - uncomplicated (varicose veins)	All Zones
Surgery – Vascular	Visceral/renal aneurysm (asymptomatic)	All Zones

Specialty	Reason For Referral	Zone
Urology	Abnormal DRE (new diagnosis)	All Zones
Urology	Adrenal mass	All Zones
Urology	Bladder fistula	All Zones
Urology	Bladder mass	All Zones
Urology	Bladder stone	All Zones
Urology	BPH (Benign prostatic hyperplasia) **Use Lower urinary tract symptoms (LUTS)**	Edmonton, North
Urology	Elevated PSA (no previous prostate cancer)	All Zones
Urology	Elevated PSA (with previous cancer)	All Zones
Urology	Epididymal cyst	All Zones
Urology	Erectile dysfunction	All Zones
Urology	Female voiding dysfunction	All Zones
Urology	Fistula – female urinary genital tract	All Zones
Urology	Foreskin problems	All Zones
Urology	Hematuria gross	All Zones
Urology	Hematuria microscopic (greater than 3 rbc/hpf)	All Zones
Urology	Hydrocele	All Zones
Urology	Hydronephrosis	All Zones
Urology	Hypospadias	All Zones
Urology	Kidney stone (acute/ureteric)	All Zones
Urology	Kidney stone chronic (non-obstructing)	Edmonton, North
Urology	Kidney stone non-obstructive	All Zones
Urology	Lower urinary tract symptoms (LUTS)	All Zones
Urology	Male infertility	All Zones
Urology	Neurogenic bladder	All Zones
Urology	Overactive bladder (OAB)	All Zones
Urology	Penile mass	All Zones
Urology	Peyronie's Disease	All Zones
Urology	Phimosis ** Use Foreskin problems**	Edmonton, North
Urology	Renal cyst	All Zones
Urology	Renal mass	All Zones
Urology	Testicular mass	All Zones
Urology	Undescended testicle	All Zones
Urology	Urethral disorder (female)	All Zones
Urology	Urinary incontinence	All Zones
Urology	Urinary retention acute (with indwelling catheter)	All Zones
Urology	Urinary tract infection (UTI)(recurrent)	All Zones
Urology	Vaginal prolapse	All Zones
Urology	Varicocele	Edmonton, North
Urology	Vasectomy	All Zones
Urology	Vasectomy reversal	All Zones