

REFERRAL FORM FOR CONSIDERATION OF PULMONARY REHABILITATION PROGRAMME OR UCOL UKINETICS PROGRAMME

STOP - CONSIDER BEFORE REFERRAL:

1. If patient has mild COPD – refer to Green Prescription or PAE (CPHO)
2. Assess for breathing dysfunction:
3. Moderate to severe COPD (FEV₁: ≤65% / Ratio: ≤75% / Perceived breathlessness) - Proceed onto referral form

Breathing Dysfunction Assessment

- Upper chest breathing and mouth breather
- Becomes breathless on anticipated activity (see node 15 of 'Management of Stable COPD' Pathway)

PATIENT INFORMATION

Name: _____ NHI #: _____ DOB: _____ Gender: _____

Phone #: _____ Ethnicity: _____

Address: _____

Referrer/Designation: _____ Date Referred: _____

Respiratory Diagnosis: _____

Smoking History: Current Ex-smoker Pack year history: _____

Co-morbidities: _____

Motivation/commitment level to attend: _____

Investigation	Date of Test	Results	
Spirometry <small>(Resp Services Referral Form)</small>	(pre bronchodilator)	FEV ₁ : . L (%)	FEV ₁ /FVC: %
	(post bronchodilator)	FEV ₁ : . L (%)	% Change: %

Attach the following to the referral form:

CXR Report	
ECG (MDHB ECG Request Form)	
FBC	

Investigation	Results	Date Taken	Investigation	Results	Date Taken
MMRC:			Blood Pressure:		
CAT Score:			Respiratory Rate:		
BMI:			SpO ₂ room air resting (5-10 mins):		
Weight:			Heart Rate:		
Lipids:			Breathing Pattern:		
Glucose:					

HISTORY

Inhaled Medications:

Name	Dose	Frequency Taken

Adherence

Takes inhalers every day as prescribed: YES NO

How many times a week do you forget to take your inhaler/s? _____

Technique

Technique for taking inhalers is correct: YES NO

Poor technique now corrected: YES NO

Takes inhalers via (*tick most appropriate*):

- Spacer
- Turbuhaler
- Accuhaler
- Handihaler

OTHER MEDICATIONS

Please list other medications patient is taking:

BARRIERS THAT MAY IMPACT ON ADHERENCE OR ATTENDANCE

Transport: YES NO

Not contactable: YES NO

Other (*state*): _____

Issues Resolved: YES NO

Is this patient clinically stable at time of referral: YES NO

PLAN/ACTION FROM MCH TEAM

DATE DISCUSSED: _____

Email completed referral form to: respiratory.services@midcentraldhb.govt.nz or fax to: (06) 350 8647