Open Access Procedure Referral

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Patient details

Name _____ Date of birth _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Medicare no. _____

Health fund _____ Interpreter needed (language) _____

Procedure requested (tick all that apply)

- ☐ Gastroscopy
- ☐ Colonoscopy
- ☐ Gastroscopy + colonoscopy
- ☐ Video capsule endoscopy
- ☐ High-resolution oesophageal manometry
- ☐ 24-hour pH impedance
- ☐ Bravo wireless pH monitoring (48-96 h)

pH testing off acid-suppressing tablets (usual) or on tablets: ☐ Off ☐ On

Clinical indication

Reason for procedure _____

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Positive bowel screening (iFOBT)? Date / result _____

Relevant history, family history of bowel cancer, previous endoscopy _____

Suitability for open access (please answer every question)

Aged 18 to 80?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Taking warfarin, a DOAC (apixaban, rivaroxaban, dabigatran) or clopidogrel/ticagrelor?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Significant heart, lung or kidney disease, or home oxygen?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Diabetes on insulin or SGLT2 inhibitor (e.g. empagliflozin, dapagliflozin)?	☐ Yes	☐ No
BMI over 40?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Pregnant?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Previous problems with sedation or anaesthesia?	☐ Yes	☐ No
Needs help with mobility or care at home after the procedure?	☐ Yes	☐ No

If any answer other than the first is "Yes", Dr Zad will usually arrange a consultation before the procedure.

Medications and allergies

Current medications _____

_____

Allergies _____

Referring GP

Name _____ Provider number _____

Practice _____ Phone _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Send to: fax (07) 3521 5947 or email reception.gasteroenterology@gmail.com. Please attach recent blood tests and relevant reports.
Our rooms will contact the patient, check suitability, and send preparation instructions. The report is sent to you after the procedure.
Procedures are done in accredited private hospitals in Brisbane and Moreton Bay. refluxandswallowingcenter.com.au/open-access-endoscopy/