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GYN REFERRALS UL GUIDELINE

Urgency Levels	
UL 1	STAT - within 1 week
UL 2	2-3 weeks
UL3	Routine/Next Opening

INTERNAL ORDER SYSTEM	
GYNECOLOGY	Both
GYN-MIN. INVASIVE SURG	Doneza

Tips prior to assigning urgency level:

* If questionable, can go over with provider
* If we are pending documentation prior to scheduling send comm. tool back to office. If internal, send workload
* UL for OB patients will be determined on patients dates.
* STAT requires peer to peer - if marked STAT, review with provider.
* Initial OB appts are scheduled as Ammenorhea appointments until ultrasound is done to confirm pregnancy. Only after it is confirmed can you book pt as OB pt and us OB document.
* When scheduling ask if provider preference

*****These are just guidelines, for any questions on any referrals, please ask providers for assistance*****

UL 1 - STAT REFERRALS TO BE SEEN WITHIN A WEEK

*STAT referrals require a **peer to peer conversation**, however, if a referral is marked STAT or meets the following diagnoses, staff will alert provider to triage referral ASAP.*

HEAVY MENSES	ANEMIA	RECENT ER VISIT
ACUTE/CHRONIC BLEEDING HYSTERECTOMY OR SURGERY CONSULT	RECENT SURGERY	POST MENOPAUSAL BLEEDING

UL 2 - SEEN IN 2-3 WEEKS

FIBROIDS	PELVIC PAIN	ENDOMETRIOSIS w/ PAIN
PELVIC MASS	ABNORMAL PAP	

UL 3 - ROUTINE/NEXT OPENING

PROLAPSE, CYSTOCELE, RECTOCELE	INCONTINENCE, URGENCY, OVERACTIVE BLADDER	CHRONIC ENDOMETRIOSIS W/O PAIN
WELL WOMAN EXAMS *need to include last PAP and well woman exam*	RECURRENT UTI	MICROHEMATURIA *need to include micro UA*
INTERSTITIAL CYSTITIS	VESTIBULODYNIA	VAGINISMUS
PAINFUL INTERCOURSE	DYSMENORRHEA	INFERTILITY *primary and secondary*
AMENORRHEA	LICHEN SCLEROSIS AND VULVULAR DISORDERS	VAGINITIS
BIRTH CONTROL *including Tubal Ligation*	MENOPAUSE/PERIMENOPAUSE	ATROPHY SYMPTOMS(HOT FLASHES)

We do not see:

* GYN Cancer will need to be referred to GYN Oncologist

REQUEST DOCUMENTATION FROM PCP - LAST WWE AND PAP NEEDED FOR ALL PTS

* Any imaging (sono, CT, MRI, mammogram)
* Any pathology (pap smear, EMB, surgical pathology results)
*Operative report and last note, if possible
* When was last Well Woman Exam