

EXAMPLE OF REFERRAL FORM

Specialist Palliative Care Services Referral Form
Please return to address/fax number at the bottom of the page

Referral can be made for patients, age 18 and over, with a life limiting illness if they have:

- Uncontrolled pain or other distressing symptoms
- Complex physical, psychological, spiritual or family needs that cannot be met by the staff in that care setting
- Information and advice relating to diagnosis, disease process, treatments and symptom management
- Specialist Rehabilitation to maximise self care
- Complex end of life care needs

Referrers Name.....
Designation
Contact Telephone Number.....
Date Referred

Admission for In patient Care: Please Tick	Other Services	
Symptom control <input type="checkbox"/>	Community McMillan CNS <input type="checkbox"/>	Day Services <input type="checkbox"/>
End of life care <input type="checkbox"/>	Hospital Palliative care team <input type="checkbox"/>	Symptom control clinic <input type="checkbox"/>
Rehabilitation <input type="checkbox"/>	Domiciliary visit (medical) <input type="checkbox"/>	Palliative OT/Physio <input type="checkbox"/>
Palliative procedure <input type="checkbox"/>		Lymphoedema management <input type="checkbox"/>

Patient details:

Patient consent to referral Y/N GP tel:

Patient Location: Home ☐ Hospital ☐ Other ☐

Main Carers Details:

Relationship to patient.....

History of illness and Treatments:

Diagnosis..... Date of Diagnosis

Site of known Metastases:

Relevant Treatment to date:

Please attach a current list of medications (*this should include any allergies or drug intolerance*)

- Patient awareness of diagnosis/prognosis and their expectations
- Reason for referral with recent History Included
- Relevant Past medical History
- DNACPR status..... MRSA Status
- Implantable Defibrillator in situ: Y/N C.Diff Status:.....
- Pacemaker in situ: Y/N

Please send completed form to: Macmillan centre, Royal Infirmary, XXXXXXXXXX,
Tel: xxxxxxxx Fax: xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx