

HQ Mental Health Referral Form for Physicians/Nurse Practitioners

*****You can use your standard template for referral letter if it has the below information.**

Patient Information (or sticker with same):

Last Name: _____ First: _____

D.O.B. dd/mm/yyyy Age: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____ Postal: _____

OHIP #: _____ VC: _____

OHIP Sex designation: _____ Gender: _____

Preferred Name: _____ Pronouns: _____

Contact #: _____

*E-mail: _____

Referring Contact Information (or stamp)

Name: _____

Role: ☐ Family Physician ☐ Psychiatrist

☐ Nurse Practitioner

☐ Other physician:

Billing Number: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Our clinic serves gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men, and all trans, non-binary and 2 spirit community members. Please confirm your patient is a member of one of these communities. ☐ Confirmed

* We use email to contact patients to complete our initial self-assessment, please include email above.

Consent to Contact Patient (our clinic uses text messaging to communicate with patients)

Please obtain consent from your patient regarding the use of phone/voicemail, text messages and email communication for the purposes of contacting them regarding this referral, arranging appointments and the use of eForms (online self-assessment forms through secure portal). Phone/Voicemail/Email ☐ Yes ☐ No ; Text messages ☐ Yes ☐ No

Interpreter: _____

Other Accessibility Concerns: _____

Reason for Referral: _____

Select primary need:

Addiction Medicine ☐ Psychiatric Consultation ☐ Psychotherapy Groups* ☐ Name group: _____

This option (*) is intended for referral to a specific modality based on a psychiatric/addictions medicine recommendation (please attach consult note describing needed modality), otherwise patients can come to clinic to self-refer and we will assess for the most appropriate groups.

Other question/comments: _____

Optional

Please consider adding any additional information that may be helpful in completing the most useful consultation for you and your team. This may include:

1. Specific symptoms or problems of concern
2. Previous psychiatric consultation reports
3. Previous and/or ongoing treatment (psychotherapy, medication)
 - a. For medications, consider past and current trials, max dose/duration, and any adverse events.
4. Current substance use (not an exclusion)
5. Specific safety concerns such as those related to risk of suicide, self-harm or harm towards others. (not an exclusion)
6. Relevant past medical history

Completed by: _____

Signature: _____

Date (dd/mm/yyyy): _____

For any questions regarding the referral process, please email us at mh@hqtoronto.ca

For non-physician referrals, please see our website: <https://hqtoronto.ca/mhreferral/>