

# Orders – Referring to Allied Health Walk-in Clinics



## This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to:

Indicate that a patient is for an allied health walk-in clinic in a Referral Order

### Important

In EMR, the same referral order is used for a patient who is being referred to a Western Health clinic that will require triage and also for a patient who is being referred for a Western Health walk-in clinic

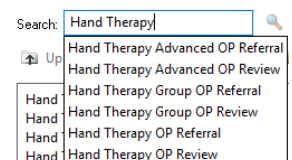
To ensure that admin staff can easily differentiate which patient's require triage versus a walk-in clinic, medical officers need to make this clear in the referral.

Below are the medical units that refer to allied health walk-in clinics

Medical Unit	Allied Health Walk-in Clinic	Referral Order
Orthopaedics – Adult and Paediatric	Physio Fracture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physiotherapy Fracture OP Referral</li> <li>Physiotherapy Paediatric Fracture OP Referral</li> </ul>
ENT – Adult and Paediatric	Audiology or Speech Pathology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Audiology OP Referral</li> <li>Audiology Paediatric OP Referral</li> <li>Speech Pathology OP Referral</li> <li>Speech Pathology Paediatric OP Referral</li> </ul>
Plastics – Adult and Paediatric	Hand Therapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hand Therapy OP Referral</li> <li>Hand Therapy Paediatric OP Referral</li> </ul>
Renal	Nutrition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dietitian Renal OP Referral</li> </ul>
UGIG	Nutrition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dietitian Upper GI Surgery (UGIG) OP Referral</li> </ul>

## Referring to a Walk-In Clinic

- In Powerchart, Orders and Referrals, search for the required Referral Order
- The Referral order will appear, complete the mandatory fields (indicated in yellow) and Sign



### Important

Make sure to include **Walk in clinic** in **Reason for Referral** and also in **Additional Information** fields

Details for **Hand Therapy OP Referral**

Details | Order Comments | Diagnoses

\*Referring Clinician: Cemertest, Allied Health - Physiothe

Referred To (Named Referral):

\*Background / Assessment:

Suggested Appointment Method: Face-to-face

\*Order Replacement?: No

\*Referring Unit:

\*Reason For Referral: Walk in clinic - #4th MCP

\*Urgency:

Additional Information: Walk in Clinic

\*Clinician Callback Number:

\*Diagnosis / Current Problem:

\*Preferred Site:

Interpreter Required:

Interpreter Language:

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