

Paediatric 2 week wait (2WW) referral pathway for GPs

This new pathway is for suspected childhood cancer cases and is available **Monday – Friday, 9am – 5pm**.

Service meets the guidance from the
Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group (CCLG)

Before accessing the service

Symptoms and signs which may or may not require a referral have been suggested below. However, [please also read the Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group \(CCLG\) guidance](#).

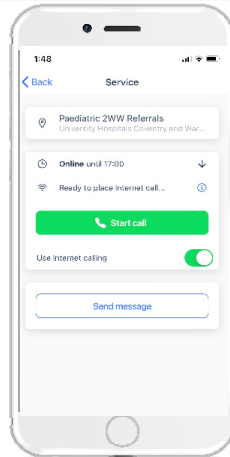
- **GREEN:** Reassuring features - consider watchful wait.
- **AMBER:** Concerning features - consider referral or discussion with a paediatrician.
- **RED:** High-risk features - requires referral (please find full details in [CCLG guidance](#) to distinguish the different levels of urgency):
 - Urgent referral (2WW)
 - Very urgent referral (48 hours) e.g., paediatric rapid access clinic or acute paediatric service according to local service arrangements
 - Immediate referral (telephone referral within a few hours) to acute paediatric service

Only if your patient is showing **AMBER** or **RED** symptoms, please access the Paediatric 2WW referrals service following the steps below.

How to access the service

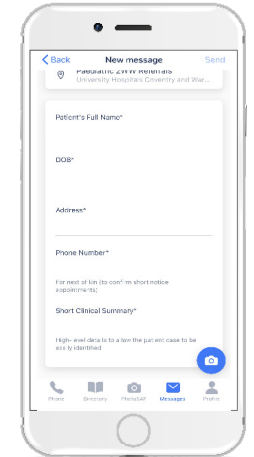
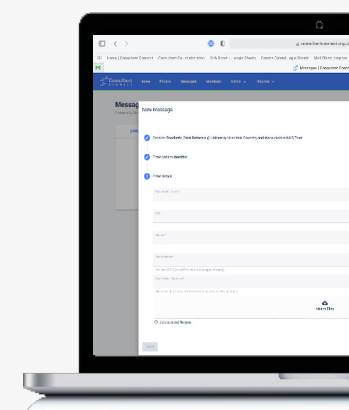
- 1 Call 'Paediatric 2WW Referrals' using the free Consultant Connect App (download from any app store) or via your practice's unique Dial-In Number.

All calls are recorded for medico-legal purposes. Calls will be answered by acute paediatric consultants at UHCW.



- 2 At the end of a call, please remember to leave an outcome e.g. '2WW Referral Made'.
- 3 **Only if the referral is accepted**, by the consultant on call, use the 'Messages' function within the app or [Consultant Connect dashboard](#) to request an appointment.

This service is your new pathway for all Paediatrics 2WW referrals and the team only accepts appointments if they are requested via Consultant Connect.



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Watch our short demonstration videos:

[Telephone Advice & Guidance via the Consultant Connect App](#) and [Photo Messaging Advice & Guidance via the Consultant Connect App](#)

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