Cardiology Referral Guidelines

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Atrial Fibrillation:

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH, CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Echocardiogram (within 3 months)

Consider referral to sleep studies (REF99) or pulmonary consult (within 1 year)

Cardiomyopathy

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH, CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Echocardiogram (within 3 months)

Congestive Heart Failure

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH, CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Chest Pain/Angina Persistent

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH, CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Chest x-ray (within 1 month)

Fasting Lipid (within one year)

Consider stress test (within 6 months)

Murmur:

ECG (within 30 days)

Echocardiogram (within 3 months)

Based on results follow-up is considered

Palpitations:

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH, CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Ambulatory monitoring (Holter Monitor/Zio Patch 3 day study) (within 6 months)

Shortness of Breath

ECG (within 30 days)

CMP, CBC (within 3 months)

Chest x-ray (within 30 days)

Consider PFT with DLCO (within one year)

Consider Echocardiogram (within 3 months)

Symptomatic Bradycardia

ECG (within 30 days)

TSH (within 3 months)

Holter Monitor (within 3 months)

Syncope

ECG (within 30 days)

CMP and CBC (within 3 months)

Echocardiogram (within 3 months)

Consider Stress Test (within one year)

Provider Decision Support

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