FAX PATIENT REFERRAL TO: **REFERRAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES**
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PROVINCIAL - Hip & Knee Arthroplasty

This referral form is for patients who may require hip or knee joint replacement or revision surgery. Emergent referrals should follow standard process through SFCC. For **ALL** other orthopedic consultation and surgery, please contact a specialist directly.

PATIENT INFORMATION:	Last Name:		First Name:
Date of Birth:	Age:	Address:	
City:	Prov:	PC:	HSN:
Primary phone:	Alternate Phone:		

REFERRING PRACTITIONER & CLINIC INFORMATION:

☐ Family Doctor	Name:	
☐ Nurse Practitioner	Address:	
☐ Specialist	Phone:	
☐ Other (Specify)________	Fax:	

PATIENT AWARENESS:

Is the Patient aware of this referral?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Is the Patient interested in surgery?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Is the Patient aware of pooling options?	☐ Yes ☐ No

REFERRAL TO:

Step One: Choose location(s)

☐ **NORTH**	☐ Saskatoon ☐ Prince Albert ☐ Lloydminster	If **no location(s) selected**, patient will receive surgeon in or closest to home location.
☐ **SOUTH**	☐ Regina ☐ Moose Jaw	

Step Two: Choose Next Available or choose a Specific Surgeon

☐ Next Available Surgeon

☐ Specific Surgeon Dr: ______________________

Note: Selecting a specific surgeon may increase patients wait time for surgery

Are there surgeons the patient does not want to see?
If **yes**, specify: Dr. _______________________

Step Three:
Is this a revision?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Original Surgeon (if known):

Dr: ______________

REASON FOR REFERRAL:

☐ Hip Arthritis	☐ Right	☐ Left	**Required X-ray views**: AP Pelvis/Standing, Lateral Hip
☐ Knee Arthritis	☐ Right	☐ Left	**Required X-ray views**: AP Standing/Lateral and Skyline of Knee
Are there medical conditions that may preclude or delay surgery?	☐ Yes ☐ No		If yes, please explain below.

Describe orthopedic complaint: For triage purposes, if space is too limited on the form, attach supporting information.

MEDICAL INFORMATION:

Height:		☐ ft ☐ in ☐ cm	**Weight:**		☐ lbs ☐ kgs	**Smoker:**	☐ Yes ☐ No

NON-OPERATIVE MANAGEMENT ATTEMPTED:

☐ Weight Loss	☐ Tylenol	☐ Exercise/Physio	☐ GLAD program
☐ Brace	☐ Anti-inflammatories	☐ Joint Injections	☐ Other (specify):________________________

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS: **(Note: Referrals missing these attachments will be returned to referring provider)**

- A summary of the patient's health history and medication list
- X-ray reports(not MRI) completed within 6 months by joint
- Relevant subspecialist consults, if available

Referring Physician Name (print) and Signature:	Date:

POOLED REFERRAL INFORMATION: Patients offered the pooled referral option will be contacted by the surgeon who can perform the procedure soonest (including combined wait to consult and wait to surgery). This service shares de-identified referral information with all the specialists in this group to aid in reducing patient wait times and improve the patient experience.

Receiving Specialist / RMS Use Only:

Redirecting Specialist: ☐ Pooled ☐ Specific Dr.____________________	Date: