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To Whom it may Concern,

## **Yorkshire Health Solutions Community Ultrasound Service**

YHS offers an ultrasound service for NHS patients available at or near your practice. This service is commissioned and funded by your local CCG to provide increased patient choice and access to diagnostic tests closer to home.

Our expert sonographers perform scans with supervision and specialist advice from NHS consultant radiologists in our team. We provide an accessible, local service and ensure **results and images can be available to a hospital** specialist if necessary.

We aim to perform all non-obstetric ultrasound scans within 4 weeks of receipt of referral and run at national tariff, so there is no extra cost to NHS. All reports are back with the practice within 3 working days.

Procedures Performed	Exclusions
<ul> <li>Abdomen</li> <li>Renal tract</li> <li>Pelvis</li> <li>Neck</li> <li>Achilles</li> <li>Wrist</li> <li>Tendons/Ligaments</li> <li>Lumps and Bumps</li> <li>Biliary Tree</li> <li>Pancreas</li> <li>Fingers/Toes</li> <li>Testes</li> <li>Hip</li> <li>Ankle</li> <li>Knee</li> <li>Elbow</li> <li>Foot</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cancer - suspected cancer should be referred through the 2WW referral pathway.</li> <li>Breast and axilla</li> <li>Vascular/DVT</li> <li>Cardiac imaging (other than aorta)</li> <li>Chest (other than chest wall)</li> <li>Ophthalmology</li> <li>Children under 18</li> <li>Obstetrics care</li> <li>Echocardiogram</li> <li>Non-NHS patients</li> <li>Ultrasound guided procedures</li> <li>Housebound or requiring patient transport</li> <li>Groin ?Hernia</li> </ul>



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If you would like an electronic copy of the referral form to add onto your clinical system, please let me know or if you would like to speak with our dedicated booking staff please contact us on 0345 095 0245.

Yours sincerely

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