

JHH Perioperative Service Local Guideline

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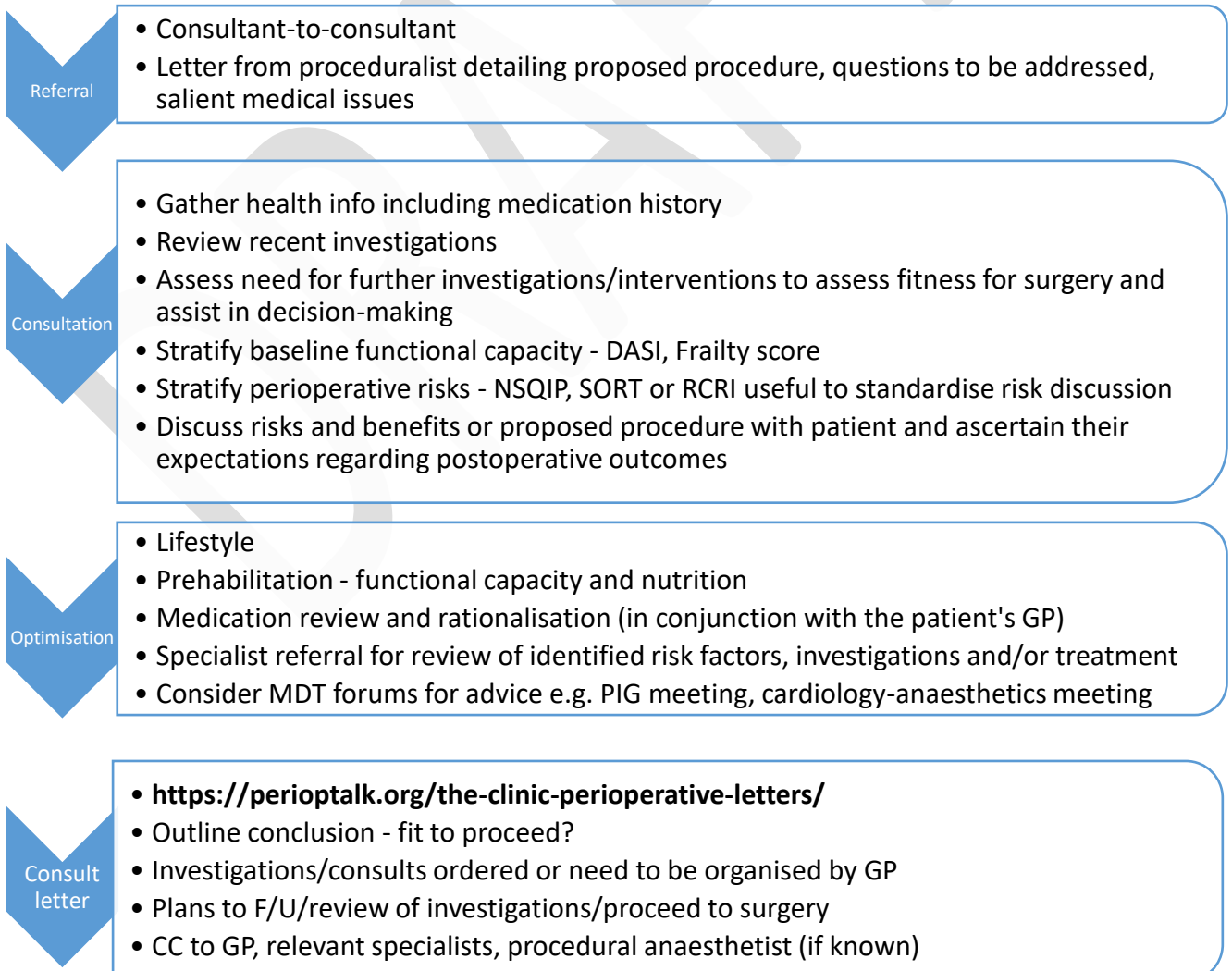
Consults in the peri-operative clinic – A guide for consultants

Background

Consults to the peri-operative clinic usually come in the form of a letter from a surgeon, outlining the proposed procedure and asking for specialist input into the suitability of the patient for the procedure. These are usually higher risk patients (ASA 3 or above) with multiple co-morbidities and complex medical and pharmacological needs.

The decision to operate and which procedure to perform will often depend on the outcome of the peri-operative consult.

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