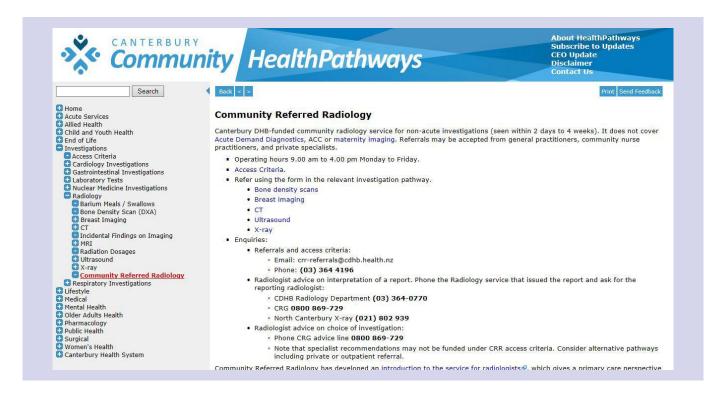
Community Referred Radiology



WHAT IS IT?

Community Referred Radiology (CRR) provides access to publicly funded radiology for general practice teams to support locally agreed clinical pathways.

Note: CRR does not cover accident related radiology or maternity scans which should be arranged directly with a private provider. It also does not cover acute demand radiology which should be arranged via the Acute Demand Coordination Service.

WHAT DOES IT DO?

CRR coordinates radiology requests to ensure our limited radiology resources are targeted to those with greatest clinical need. Referral instructions and locally agreed access criteria are published on Community HealthPathways, in the Radiology section under Investigations.

Requests are reviewed by a team of GPs. Accepted requests are forwarded to a public or private service provider for booking. Some requests will be returned if there is a more appropriate pathway, insufficient information, or the test is not available in the public system. Returned referral messages are delivered electronically to the patient inbox in your PMS. The request may be resubmitted with more information.

MORE INFORMATION

Search 'CRR' on Community HealthPathways for a summary of the service and links to access criteria and referral.

