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## **New Patient Referral Guidelines**

## **General Requirements for All ENT Patients**

- Completed referral sheet, demographics page, current medication list and most recent progress notes reflecting the need for referral
- Previous otolaryngology records if seen by another provider
- Please note Dr. Sabnani does not treat maxillary fractures or TMJ

## **Diagnosis Specific Requirements**

| rinnitus, Hearing Loss, Dizziness/ Vertigo |  | <u>Obs</u>     | Obstructive Sleep Apriea                             |  |
|--|--|----------------|--|--|
|  | Hearing Test   |                | Sleep Study  |  |
| <u>Sinusitis</u>                           |  | Dys            | Dysphagia (Difficulty Swallowing)                    |  |
|  | Sinus CT- if possible                                |                | Barium Swallow Study                                 |  |
| Neck Mass                                  |  | Nas            | Nasal Fracture                                       |  |
|  | CT and/or MRI- if possible                           |                | CT/X-Ray of facial bones within 7 days               |  |
|  | Any labs within 6 weeks of appointment- if available |                | See within 10 days of injury                         |  |
| <u>Cancer</u>                              |  | Thyroid Issues |  |  |
|  | Pathology Report                                     |                | Thyroid Ultrasound                                   |  |
|  | Imaging Studies                                      |                | Any labs within 6 weeks of appointment- if available |  |
| Nasopharyngeal Mass                        |  | <u>For</u>     | Foreign Body (Ears/Nose)                             |  |
|  | CT and/or MRI- if possible                           |                | Must be marked STAT                                  |  |
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## **Other Treatable Conditions**

Requirements: Last in-person visit notes

- Otalgia (Pain in Ear)
- Chronic Tonsillitis
- Chronic Cough
- Vocal Cord Paralysis
- Otitis Media (Ear Infection)
- Impacted Cerumen
- Hoarseness
- Vocal Cord Lesion
- Peritonsillar Abscess
- Otitis Externa
- Epistaxis (Nosebleeds)
- Pharyngitis
- Deviated Nasal Septum