

Heart Function Clinic (HFC) Referral Form

☐ **Victoria Heart Function Clinic**

Cardiology
Phone: 250-519-1601
Fax: 250-370-8267

☐ **Nanaimo Heart Function Clinic**

Cardiology/Internal Medicine
Phone: 250-740-6989
Fax: 250-716-1852

☐ **Campbell River Heart Function Clinic**

Internal Medicine
Phone: 250-286-7153
Fax: 250-850-2127

Referral Date: <i>dd/mmm/year</i>	Referral Source: ☐ PCP ☐ Internal Medicine ☐ Cardiology ☐ ED/Hospital ☐ Walk In Clinic
Referral Physician: MSP Number:	Primary Care Provider:
Patient Name: <i>patient label</i>	DOB: PHN:
Patient Address:	
Best Contact Number:	Email:
Support Person/ Relationship:	Support Person Contact:

Reason For Referral: (select one)		
	Category	Clinical Scenarios
☐	URGENT (2 weeks)	- Progressively worsening heart failure - Post hospitalization heart failure - New diagnosis of heart failure & unstable - Post MI heart failure
☐	Semi-urgent (4 weeks)	- New diagnosis of heart failure and stable - Heart failure with symptoms, but not decompensated

HF education and resources will be offered to all accepted referrals
www.islandhealth.ca/our-services/heart-health-services

Prior to acceptance, all referrals are reviewed and triaged according to available clinical information.

Due to resource constraints patients may experience longer wait times than indicated

Please initiate therapy in advance of initial HFC appointment

BC HF guidelines available on Pathways, and online at: <https://ccs.ca/pocket-guides/>

SPECIFIC QUESTION THE REFERRING PROVIDER WOULD LIKE ADDRESSED:

Consider RACE Line Cardiology for immediate support

All referrals require:

- ☐ Echocardiogram (in past 6 months)
- ☐ CBC, urea, creatinine, eGFR, Na+, K+, BNP/NTproBNP (in the past 3 months)
- ☐ Current medication list

Supporting documents outside of Island Health:

- ☐ Consultants notes
- ☐ Labs and diagnostics not available life labs or Cerner

If suspected/confirmed cardiac amyloidosis:

- ☐ Troponin, SPEP, UPEP with immunofixation, serum free light chains (in the past 3 months)
- ☐ Technetium PYP Scan
- ☐ Cardiac MRI

HFC will acknowledge receipt of referral via Island Health Cerner Medical Record, and will include Primary Care Provider
HFC to inform patient of appointment