

Pathway:	Rosacea
Referral Criteria/Commissioning position:	
<p><i>Refer to Dermatology if:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • diagnostic uncertainty • severe disease • not responding to primary care management <p>Refer to Ophthalmology if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ocular symptoms not responding to primary care management • keratitis suspected i.e. blurred vision, eye pain or sensitivity to light via an urgent referral <p>Refer to Head & Neck if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • treatment of rhinophyma is required <p>Investigations prior to referral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
Information to include in referral letter:	
<p><i>The GP referral letter should contain:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treatments already tried in primary care and response to these • Relevant past medical/surgical history • Current regular medication • BMI • Smoking status 	
References & Additional information:	
<p>Patient Information Leaflet: http://www.patient.co.uk/health/Rosacea.htm</p> <p>References: http://www.pcids.org.uk/clinical-guidance/rosacea http://www.patient.co.uk/doctor/Rosacea-and-Rhinophyma.htm</p>	
CCG GP sign off:	SRCCG Business Committee (Delegated to Dr Greg Black)
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