

## Fast Track Colonoscopy

### Colon Cancer Screening Diagnostic Assessment Unit

Dear Colleagues,

Michael Garron Hospital | Toronto East Health Network offers **Fast Track Colonoscopy Screening** to all patients referred to our unit with:

1. a positive Fecal Occult Blood Test (FOBT) between the ages of 50 and 75
2. a Family History of colon cancer in a first degree relative (age 40 or 10 years younger than the relative)
3. concerning symptoms or findings (i.e. rectal bleeding, change in bowel habits, abnormal imaging findings)

#### **Referral is easy!**

**Step 1:** 1 page Referral Form to fill out at MGH website [www.tehn.ca/DAU](http://www.tehn.ca/DAU)

**Step 2:** Simple Patient instructions at MGH Website [www.tehn.ca/DAU](http://www.tehn.ca/DAU)

**Step 3:** Fax to our Navigator **416-469-6361**

**We will make all further arrangements with the patient including any colorectal surgical or GI medical follow-up.**

Cancer Care Ontario (CCO) wants patients to get colonoscoped within 8 weeks of the positive FOBT date and within 6 months for Family History.

Fax us right away!

#### ***The Endoscopy Unit Physicians***

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