

Non-acute Direct Access GP CT KUB

- Positive Ultrasound demonstrating possible stone
- Unilateral intermittent 'grumbling' loin pain +/- Loin to groin pain. **Must state this on the request.**

YES

NO

Exclusion Criteria for this pathway

- Loin to groin pain with uncontrolled pain
- Loin to groin pain with a temperature
- Ultrasound detected hydronephrosis
- Patient is in shock/sepsis/ DM / immunosuppressed or compromised patient
- Has a solitary or single functioning kidney

Not eligible for pathway

Consider alternative diagnosis

EXCLUSION
CRITERIA PRESENT

Not eligible for pathway

Refer to A&E

*Patient has no
EXCLUSION
CRITERIA*

Further Exclusion Criteria

- Acute onset of symptoms
- Visible and non-visible haematuria
- Atypical pain (i.e., not loin to groin)
- No ultrasound recorded
- Pregnancy status
- Has had a CT KUB within last year
- Child (under 18)

EXCLUSION CRITERIA
PRESENT

Not eligible for pathway

Consider alternative diagnosis or referral.

NO EXCLUSION
CRITERIA
PRESENT

Refer to non-acute direct access GP CT KUB pathway

Send referral via tQuest **ONLY**. If your practice does not have tQuest, please email bhnt.radiologyit@nhs.net for further guidance on how to become set up.

Patient will be booked to have a CT KUB within 6 weeks at Whipps Cross Hospital. Appointment letter and/or a phone call confirming appointment

NB: For incidental findings such as indeterminate masses which require further urgent investigations, the report will be sent back to the referring team with the request to upgrade using the Trust's usual upgrade request document. This will then join the relevant stream for advice and guidance and eventual urology review.