





# PRIMARY CARE ACCESS TO RESPIROLOGY

### NON-URGENT ADVICE

Call Specialist LINK or make an eReferral Advice Request



Local: 403.910.2551 | Toll free: 1.844.962.5456 (LINK) specialistlink.ca

Get a call-back within one hour!

✓ Clinical advice ✓ Confidence ✓ Clarity ✓ Conversation ✓ Collaboration

Log into Alberta Netcare eReferral Advice Request and submit your questions electronically, via albertanetcare.ca/ereferral.htm



Get a response within five calendar days!

✓ Supports patients ✓ Secure ✓ Specialty-specific ✓ Submit online

#### **OUTPATIENT RESPIROLOGY CLINICS**

Patient may not need to be seen within one week



\*Indicate a clear reason for referral and any confirmed diagnosis to assist in directing your referral

- ✓ Fax 403.944.1250 or call 403.943.4718 for Pulmonary Central Access & Triage (PCAT)
- ✓ Submit eReferral Consult Request (as of December 1, 2018) via albertanetcare.ca/ereferral.htm
- ✓ Provide all required information and specific tests/investigations
- ✓ See QuRE Referral Consult Checklists for high-quality referrals: ahs.ca/QuRE

### **URGENT RESPIROLOGY CHOICES**

Patient may need to be seen within one week



✓ Call **403.943.4718** | Fax **403.944.1250** for Pulmonary Central Access & Triage (PCAT)

## **EMERGENCY RESPIROLOGY CHOICES**

Patient needs to be seen immediately



Hemoptysis (Active ≥2 TBSP per day); Hypoxemia (if resting 02 SAT ≤85%); Pulmonary Embolism (acute)

- ✓ Send patient to Emergency Department via **911** or;
- ✓ Call RAAPID and ask for the on-call Respirologist (phone: 1.800.661.1700)