**Early Pregnancy Assessment Clinic Referral Form**

**We are sorry that we cannot accept patients without a referral form**

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| **One box should be ticked to be eligible for this emergency clinic:** | |
|  | Positive pregnancy test & less than 6+0 weeks where there is significant pain (with or without bleeding) and you suspect ectopic |
|  | Positive pregnancy test, more than 6+0 weeks and less than 18 + 0 weeks with bleeding (with or without pain) |
|  | Previous ectopic or molar (hydatidform mole) pregnancy |
| * **Refer via the Gynaecology SHO on-call all patients not meeting the criteria, postnatal women and women with problems following medical or surgical TOP and all women with severe pain and/or bleeding who require direct admission.** * **Known dates and less than 6 weeks pregnant with bleeding and no pain**   NICE guidance 2012 advises repeat pregnancy test in one week. Consider referral if the pregnancy test is still positive.   * **Current Anti D guidelines.**   Anti D 500 IU is considered for all rhesus negative women with vaginal bleeding after 12+0 weeks of pregnancy. If bleeding continues intermittently, Anti D 500 IU is repeated after 6 weeks. If bleeding is heavy or there is significant pain, Anti D 500 IU is repeated after 2 weeks   * Please tell your patient that this is an emergency clinic for women with suspected miscarriage or ectopic pregnancy. Your patient will be triaged, may have blood tests, but not always a scan. There is no need to have a full bladder | |

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| Clinics in both hospitals are open daily Monday to Friday.  * Please send in Referrals via email and someone from EPC team will be in contact with your patient within 24hours (unless the weekend). * USS are performed on those whom are clinically indicated, and these scans will be booked only by the EPC team. New COVID-19 guidelines are in place for this clinic. * Women should be referred to their booking hospital if this is possible  Saturday & Sunday, please refer to the ‘on-take’ hospital: EPCs can only be accessed via the on-call Gynae SHO. | | | |
| **Southmead Hospital: Cotswold Centre** | | **St Michael’s Hospital: Early Pregnancy Clinic** | |
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| **Date of referral:** |  | | |
| **Patient’s name:** |  | **GP’s name:** |  |
| **Date of birth:** |  | **GP address for correspondence:** |  |
| **Telephone number:** |  |