

BC's ECHOCARDIOGRAM REQUISITION

Outpatient Inpatient Unit/Ward _____

Bubble Contrast Definity Contrast

Standard (TTE) TEE Intra-Op TEE Stress

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone #: _____
 PHN #: _____
 DOB: _____
 Gender _____
 In-patient unique # _____

- Emergent (< 24 hrs)** (for out- patients call physician On-call or echo department)
 Urgent/Semi-urgent (7 days)
 Scheduled/Non-urgent (30 days)

Height _____ Weight _____

Latex allergy No Yes

Infections _____ (VRE/MRSA/C-Diff,TB)

APPOINTMENT:

Date Requisition received: _____

Date Ordered: _____ Time: _____
 month/day/year

Date Booked: _____ Time: _____
 month/day/year

Date Completed: _____ Time: _____
 month/day/year

**PLEASE IDENTIFY PERTINENT CLINICAL INFORMATION AND PATIENT HISTORY
[REASON FOR ORDERING ECHO]**

* REQUESTS WITHOUT CLINICAL INFORMATION WILL BE RETURNED *

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check all that apply
Murmur	
systolic	
diastolic	
Aortic	
stenosis	
regurgitation	
bicuspid	
Mitral	
stenosis	
regurgitation	
prolapse	
repair	
Pulmonary	
stenosis	
regurgitation	

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check all that apply
Tricuspid	
stenosis	
regurgitation	
Cardiomyopathy	
dilated	
hypertrophic	
restrictive	
Pulmonary Hypertension	
Systemic Hypertension	
Left Ventricular Hypertrophy	
Right Ventricular function	
Heart Failure	
Left Ventricular Function	
Previous EF _____% (if known)	
Date: _____	

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check all that apply
Diastolic function	
Myocardial Infarction Date: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> anterior <input type="checkbox"/> inferior <input type="checkbox"/> unknown	
Coronary Artery Bypass Graft	
Dysrhythmia	
<input type="checkbox"/> Atrial Fibrillation <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Source of embolus <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other Indications:	
<input type="checkbox"/> trauma <input type="checkbox"/> pericardial effusion	
<input type="checkbox"/> pregnant <input type="checkbox"/> chemotherapy	
<input type="checkbox"/> infective endocarditis <input type="checkbox"/> CAD	
<input type="checkbox"/> aortic aneurysm	
<input type="checkbox"/> transplant: type? _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> pericardial disease	
Symptoms	
<input type="checkbox"/> shortness of breath <input type="checkbox"/> chest pain	
<input type="checkbox"/> fatigue <input type="checkbox"/> palpitations	
<input type="checkbox"/> syncope	
<input type="checkbox"/> other _____	

Prosthesis	Type/Manufacturer	Size	Date Implanted
Aortic			
Mitral			
Tricuspid			

Congenital Defect: (attach operative report)

Other History:

Attending Physician _____ Signature _____
 MSC # _____ Phone # _____ Page # _____

Copies to: Preliminary Report with Patient

Benchmark Wait times for Accessing Echocardiography

Urgency Category	Recommended wait time	Defined by: Examples
Emergent	<24 hrs	Hemodynamically unstable patients with suspected certain cardiovascular conditions (eg. pericardial effusion with tamponade, mechanical complications, post myocardial infarction)
Urgent/semi urgent	Within 7 days	Critically ill patients who do not meet the definition of emergent and patients with a condition that could deteriorate rapidly (eg, symptomatic aortic stenosis)
Scheduled/Non urgent	Within 30 days	All patients who do not fall into the previous categories (eg, assessment of murmurs in asymptomatic individuals, assessment of left ventricle mass)

Adapted from: 2008, CCS Wait time benchmarks: Treating the Right Patient at the Right Time: Access to Echocardiography in Canada

Echocardiogram Sites in British Columbia

Health Authority	Facility
Fraser health	
	Abbotsford Regional Hospital
	Burnaby Hospital
	Eagle Ridge Hospital
	Jim Pattison Out Patient Center
	Langley Hospital
	Peace Arch Hospital
	Ridge Meadows Hospital
	Royal Columbian Hospital
	Surrey Memorial Hospital
Interior Health	
	Cranbrook Hospital
	Royal Inland Hospital (Kamloops)
	Kelowna General Hospital
	Penticton Hospital
	Salmon Arm
	Trail
	Vernon
Northern Health	
	Dawson Creek
	Ft St John
	Prince George University Hospital
	Prince Rupert
	Smithers
	Terrace
Vancouver Coastal Health	
	Lions Gate Hospital
	Mount St. Josephs Hospital
	Richmond Hospital
	St Pauls Hospital
	Vancouver General Hospital
Vancouver Island Health	
	Campbell River
	Nanaimo Regional Hospital
	Royal Jubilee Hospital
	St Josephs Hospital (Comox)
	Victoria General Hospital

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