

Melanoma Automated Triage:

- Patient is within appropriate catchment area (if patient is from Kitchener/Waterloo, Cambridge, Windsor, Owen Sound and Sarnia referring physician should be directed to closest cancer center).
- If requirements met patients should be booked into next available medical oncology consultation slot without medical oncologist triage required.
- If outstanding items missing note sent back to referring physician to complete.
- If uncertain review referral request with triaging oncologist.

If all criteria present then book in next available consult slot, otherwise return to referring physician to complete indicated investigations/documentation.

There must be a pathology report confirming the diagnosis of melanoma to triage.

Non-Metastatic Cutaneous or Mucosal Melanoma:

- The Pathology Report must indicate one of the following:
 - pT3b-4b N0 (sampled lymph nodes are negative) or
 - pTX N1a-3c (lymph node positive).
- Staging CT of the thorax, abdomen, and pelvis within past 3 months.
- BRAF testing must be requested, but not required to be completed.

Metastatic Cutaneous or Mucosal Melanoma to Sites Other Than Lymph Nodes:

- Pathology report if initial diagnosis.
- Staging MRI of the brain with CT thorax, abdomen, and pelvis **or** PET-CT.
- BRAF testing must be requested, but not required to be completed.

Ocular Melanoma:

- Referral must come from a specialized centre that diagnoses ocular melanoma (ie. PMH)
- Full body imaging with MRI head, CT thorax, abdomen, and pelvis **or** PET-CT with past 3 months
- Cytogenetics report