

Date:	June 6, 2017
To:	NH Primary Care Providers, Internal Medicine Specialists, and Surgeons
From:	Dr. Paul Mullins, Medical Lead, NH Colonoscopy and Colon Screening Program Jessica Place, Interim Regional Director, Chronic Diseases
Re:	EGD (Esophagogastroduodenoscopy) and Colonoscopy Referral Form visibility issue corrected

- Endoscopists have alerted the NH Colonoscopy Working Groups that the shaded sections of the *EGD and Colonoscopy Referral Form* were difficult to read when forwarded to them via fax.
- The Working Groups reviewed this concern and opted to remove the shading immediately. In place of the shading we have **bolded the print** to indicate required sections.

A **NEW Revised EGD (Esophagogastroduodenoscopy) and Colonoscopy Referral Form** is now available.

- ❖ We are requesting that this **form be completed by all NH Primary Care Providers and Internal Medicine Specialists when referring a patient to an endoscopist for an EGD or Colonoscopy.**

Access Information:

<i>EGD (Esophagogastroduodenoscopy) and Colonoscopy Referral Form - Electronic</i>	For users of MOIS: AIHS Forms Exchange in a PDF fillable format
	If not currently using MOIS: The PDF fillable form can be forwarded to the vendor of your electronic system for adaptation as required. For assistance with this process contact Colleen Bowers at colleen.bowers@northernhealth.ca
<i>EGD (Esophagogastroduodenoscopy) and Colonoscopy Referral Form - Paper</i>	Northern Health Document Source - Document # 10-021-5018 Telephone: 250.649.7550 Fax: 250.564.9189 Email: document.source@northernhealth.ca
	Northern Health Physician website located under 'News' https://physicians.northernhealth.ca and through Community MOIS.