



Ontario Breast Screening Program Updates

Breast Density Notification Project

- As of summer 2023, all OBSP patient normal result letters will include the Breast Imaging Reporting and Data System (BI-RADS) breast density classification (A-D) and will include a breast density fact sheet.
- Patients with abnormal results do not receive letters from Ontario Health, PCPs are advised to provide these patients with their density information
- PCPs may receive additional questions about breast density, as letters will suggest that patients speak with a healthcare provider for additional information about their result.
- BI-RADS D will be recalled yearly for screening mammograms
- For more information: [Participant information](#) and [Provider information](#)

What to do for Dense Breasts

- ✓ Address modifiable factors i.e. hormone exposure, alcohol, smoking and sedentary lifestyle
- ✓ Explain the increased risk of breast cancer
- ✓ Explain the reduced effectiveness of screening mammography
- ✓ Encourage breast awareness
- ✓ Do not be reassured by a recently normal mammogram in the setting of a new clinical finding
- ✓ Order yearly mammogram screening for women with ACR category D breasts
- ✓ Consider supplemental screening with ultrasound or MRI
- ✓ Use the IBIS tool. Lifetime risk >15% consider supplemental MRI or ultrasound. Lifetime risk ≥20-25% may qualify for high-risk screening program

Is it time for your next Covid 19 Booster?

Follow this link: <https://www.ottawapublichealth.ca/en/public-health-topics/resources/Documents/5a.-COVID-19-Booster-Decision-Flow-Chart-AODA-EN.pdf>

High Risk Breast Cancer Screening- Expanded Referral Criteria

The referral criteria for the High-Risk Ontario Breast Screening Program (OBSP) have been significantly expanded: [High Risk Referral Form](#). Find more information [here](#)

Who is high risk? Who should I refer?

Refer women 30-69 who have:

- BRCA mutation personally or in relatives
- Had radiation therapy to chest before age 30 (>8 years ago)
- **Significant personal history of cancer**
- **Significant family history cancer**
- A lifetime risk of $\geq 25\%$ of developing breast cancer

- **Category A** → enter directly into the High Risk OSBP program.
- **Category B** → will be assessed by genetics and if deemed eligible will be automatically entered into the High Risk OBSP

What is a personal history of cancer?

- Breast cancer diagnosed at:
 - ≤ 45 yrs
 - ≤ 50 yrs with unknown family history
 - Triple negative breast cancer ≤ 60 yrs

What is a significant family history?

- Family/personal history of breast or ovarian cancer + ≥ 1 case of breast, ovarian, prostate or pancreatic on same side of family, 1st or 2nd degree relative
- ≥ 1 breast cancer in the same person
- Breast + ovarian cancer in same person
- Breast cancer < 35 yrs of age
- Breast +/- ovarian cancer in Ashkenazi Jewish
- Breast cancer in person male at birth
- Invasive ovarian cancer

How is screening different for High Risk OBSP women?

- High risk screening includes yearly mammogram and MRI for women ages 30-69 years

How can I determine lifetime risk?

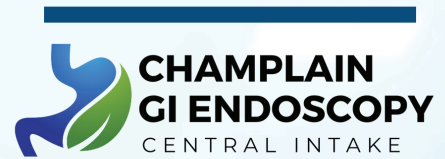
The [IBIS online tool](#) can be used to establish eligibility for screening.

A lifetime risk of $\geq 25\%$ qualifies a woman for High Risk OBSP.

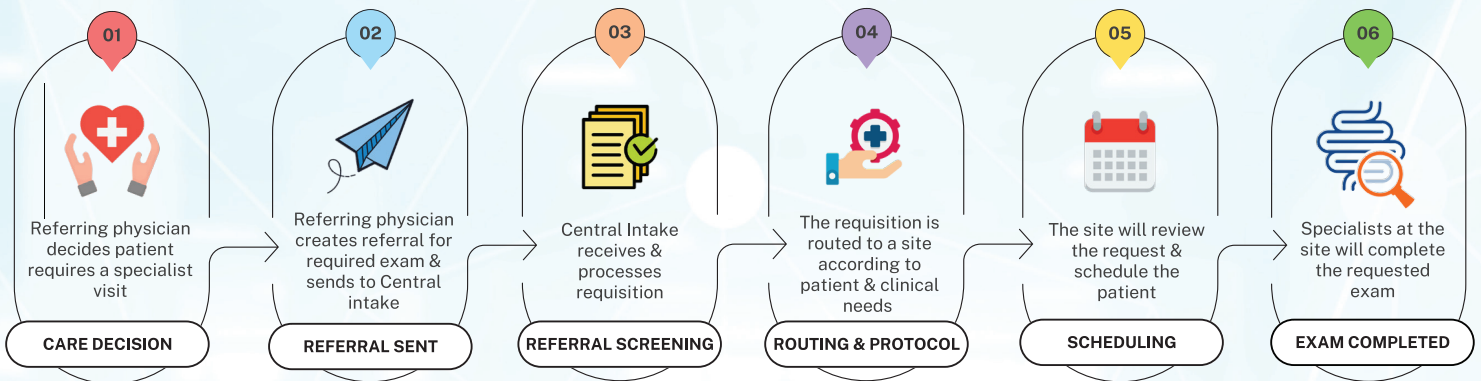
Why MRI?

- More effective for higher breast density often seen in younger women
- Mammography appears to be less sensitive for women with a genetic predisposition to breast cancer due to the faster growth of breast cancers in these women.
- Breast cancers in women at high risk may exhibit features that appear benign on mammography.

CENTRAL INTAKE FOR GI ENDOSCOPY REFERRALS



THE PROCESS



WHAT IS IT? ???

- Central HUB for Cancer Screening endoscopy referrals
- Leverages Ocean eReferral integration of hospital EMRs (fax option remains available)
- Receives & distributes non-emergency referral to hospital GI programs to improve access
- Provides end-to-end electronic flow of referrals w/ patient notification when eReferral is used

WHAT & WHEN?

- Phase 1 of the program is initially limited to colorectal cancer screening referrals for:
 - a) Abnormal FITs b) Screening c) Surveillance
- **LIVE:** PRH, CCH & GMH
- **GO LIVE JUNE 20, 2023:** Monfort & QCH
- **GO LIVE JUNE 23, 2023:** TOH & HGH
- **TBD:** KDH, WDMH, RVH, CPDMH & ARH

THE BENEFIT?

- Standardizes & streamlines referral process
- Ensures fair & equitable access for patients
- Eliminates referral ambiguity
- Optimizes patient access to specialists
- Provides referral progress updates
- Provision of coordinated care

HOW TO REFER?

- For those already on Ocean eReferral, visit our [Healthmap Listing](#).
- For FREE eReferral access, please email: contact@erferralontarioeast.ca
- For those unable to use eReferral, contact us at:
 - (613) 721-2000 x 2061
 - centralintakegastroendoscopy@qch.on.ca

Champlain Regional Imaging Dashboard

Diagnostic Imaging: CT Wait Times February 2023

Ontario
Provincial
Average



Priority 4 Patients
Waited on average
66 Days

Priority 3 Patients
Waited on average
23 Days

Priority 2 Patients
Waited on average
1 Days

Site	Overall wait CT Patients scanned within target time	Priority 4 patients waited on average	Priority 3 patients waited on average	Priority 2 patients waited on average
CHEO	100%	11 days	N/A	N/A
Cornwall	80%	30 days	9 days	2 days
HGH	92%	16 days	9 days	1 day
Montfort	83%	115 days	10 days	1 day
Pembroke	64%	65 days	6 days	1 day
Perth	46%	58 days	26 days	1 day
QCH	74%	118 days	6 days	0 days
RVH	43%	128 days	24 days	1 day
TOH - Civic	67%	126 days	49 days	1 day
TOH - General	79%	180 days	30 days	1 day
TOH - Riverside	13%	311 days	62 days	LV
UOHI	47%	71 days	31 days	0 day
WDMH	67%	90 days	60days	0 days

Source: <https://www.ontariohealth.ca/public-reporting/wait-times-results-di>

Diagnostic Imaging: MRI Wait Times February 2023

Ontario
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Priority 4 Patients
Waited on average
73 Days

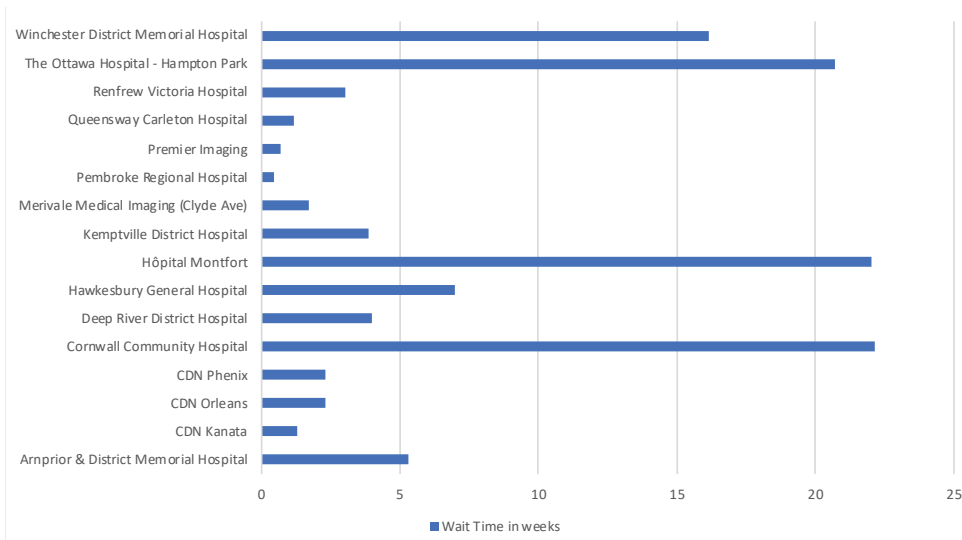
Priority 3 Patients
Waited on average
28 Days

Priority 2 Patients
Waited on average
3 Days

Site	Overall wait MRI Patients scanned within target	Priority 4 patients Waited on average	Priority 3 patients Waited on average	Priority 2 patients Waited on average
CHEO	12%	76 days	LV	N/A
Cornwall	88%	19 days	4 days	1 day
HGH	74%	28 days	21 days	1 day
Montfort	84%	25 days	8 days	2 days
Pembroke	42%	85 days	7 days	LV
QCH	80%	36 days	7 days	1 day
TOH - Civic	60%	93 days	27 days	3 days
TOH - General	55%	81 days	21 days	2 days
UOHI	22%	119 days	27 days	2 days

Source: <https://www.ontariohealth.ca/public-reporting/wait-times-results-di>

OBSP Wait Times



Ontario Lung Screening Program (OLSP) Baseline LDCT scan bookings Wait Times

- Renfrew Victoria Hospital: 4-6 weeks
- TOH-Riverside Campus: 15 weeks
- Cornwall Community Hospital: all OLSP Scans on hold given IT security incident