

Subspecialty Medicine Admissions

Patients with unique subspecialty needs will be admitted to the appropriate subspecialty services rather than CTU, in order to better meet their care needs.

Subspecialty Medical Service	Patient Criteria
Endocrinology	Radioactive Iodine (RAI) treatment
Gastroenterology	Advanced / Complex IBD management, procedural complications, Medication access
Hematology	Acute leukemia, In-patient Chemotherapy, Incident (NEW) Stem Cell Transplant, Complicated Febrile Neutropenia (Feb Neut in patients with aplastic anemia, SCT, acute leukemia, MDS on systemic treatment)
Nephrology	Incident (NEW) Renal Transplants, Dialysis access issue (NOT line sepsis), Medication access, Admission for renal biopsy
Palliative Care	Complex Palliative symptom issues
Respirology	Cystic Fibrosis with exacerbation, Iatrogenic pneumothorax caused by an <u>outpatient</u> procedure done or ordered by Respirology (e.g. CT guided lung biopsy, bronchoscopy, pleural space clinic procedures)

- Between 8am-10pm Monday- Sunday, the relevant subspecialty service should be contacted for the admission directly by the ED team/ERP.
- Overnight, from 10pm to 8am, the ED Medicine team will complete the admission for the subspecialty service. The patient will be admitted directly TO the subspecialty service (not medicine/CTU) and reviewed directly with the subspecialty Attending or Fellow in the morning.