
PATIENT DETAILS:

Title:

Date of birth:

Name:

Health fund:

Phone no:

Medicare Number:

Address:

Email address:

TESTS REQUIRED:

- Complex lung function testing (Spirometry, Diffusion and Lung volumes)
- Spirometry with reversibility
- Respiratory muscle strength testing (MIPS/ MEPS/ Supine FVC/ SNIP)
- Fractional Exhaled Nitric Oxide (FeNO) & Spirometry
- Bronchoprovocation Challenge Testing (Mannitol / Exercise)
- 6 Minute Walk Test
- Nasal resistance testing (nasal rhinomanometry)

CLINICAL URGENCY:

- Urgent
- Routine

CLINICAL NOTES:

MEDICATIONS:

REFERRING DOCTOR INFORMATION:

Name:

Date:

Practice:

Provider no:

Email:

Fax:

Referring Doctor Signature:

(In signing, I have reviewed the contraindications for this patient (overleaf))

Lung Function Referral

Dr Budhima Nanayakkara FRACP

Dr Karanvir Singh FRACP

Phone: 02 5350 4690

Fax: 02 6311 1561

Please email referrals to:

reception@thelaborange.com.au

Level 3, 1521 Forest Road

Orange NSW 2800

TESTS AVAILABLE:

- **Spirometry:** Measurement of inspiratory & Expiratory flows with flow-volume loop
- **Diffusion measurement:** Assessment of CO transfer in lungs to assess gas-exchange membrane characteristics
- **Lung volumes:** Measurement of lung size: TLC/ FRC/ RV
- **Respiratory muscle strength testing:** Measurement of respiratory muscle strength
- **Bronchoprovocation testing:** Assessment of bronchial hyper-responsiveness in diagnosis of asthma, including exercise induced asthma, and effectiveness of current medications
- **FeNO:** Fraction exhaled nitric oxide. Marker of eosinophilic inflammation in the airways

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

- Abdominal, thoracic, neuro, ocular surgery in past 6 weeks
- Pneumothorax in past 6 weeks
- Haemoptysis of unknown origin
- Open pulmonary TB
- Thoracic, abdominal, or cerebral aneurysms
- Angiogram in past 24h
- Transbronchial biopsy in past 24h
- Chest drains in situ
- Recent myocardial infarction
- Recent pulmonary embolus
- Unstable cardiovascular status
- Presence of acute illness or symptoms that might interfere with test performance (nausea, vomiting)
- Severe, uncontrolled hypertension (systolic >200mmHg and/ or diastolic >120mmHg)



STAFF:

Dr Budhima Nanayakkara FRACP 4630268T

Dr Karanvir Singh FRACP

Dr Ben Nguyen FRACP 4744083Y

Mr Clinton Jarman CRFS