

Referral Form: Community Podiatry (Foot Health)

Our service is available to anyone with a Lambeth or Southwark GP (our emergency clinics are open to all)
 We accept self-referrals as well as those from GPs and other Healthcare Professionals.
 You can either complete the form yourself or on behalf of the patient.

Patient details

Title		First name		Last name	
Date of birth			NHS Number (if known)		
Address (including Post Code)					
Main contact tel number			Email address		
Interpreter required?			If yes, which language?		

Patient's General Practitioner

GP name	Dr
Practice address	

Referral Reason / Foot Problem – please include as much detail as possible such as duration of symptoms and any treatment received to date

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General Health – please list any medical conditions / surgical procedures

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Current Medication - you can attach a prescription sheet if easier

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Known Allergies

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Date Referral Form Completed

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Referrer details (if completing on behalf of the patient)

Name	
Address/Organisation	
Contact number	

Returning your form:

- Please email your completed form to: **gst-tr.communityfoothealth@nhs.net**
- For paper copies please send a scan/clear photo of each page to the email address above
- You can also deliver your completed form in person to one of our clinics
- Alternatively, you can post your completed form to:
The Podiatry Centre, Artesian Building, 94 Alscot Road, London, SE1 3GG
- Healthcare professionals may also return completed forms via e-RS
- Please note that incomplete or illegible forms will be returned

If your foot problem is urgent, please do not return this form. Instead take this completed form with you to the next available Emergency clinic (please see details below).

What happens next?

Your referral form will be reviewed by a podiatrist. It is therefore important that you provide as much information about your foot problem as possible in order to be offered the correct type of clinic appointment.

Once your form has been reviewed, we will contact you within two weeks with details of how to arrange your appointment. Please note that some of our specialist services are not available at all locations.

Emergency clinics

These clinics are open to anyone who has a foot problem that is **urgent** e.g. foot ulceration, open wounds, bleeding/pus in nails or feet, red/hot/swollen infected foot, and foreign body injuries (for a full list of criteria see our website or contact us for advice). The emergency clinics can become busy so please be prepared to wait. Please complete this form and take it to the reception desk at your preferred location. Please note that non-urgent foot problems will be refused treatment and a booked appointment will be offered instead.

Day	Time	Emergency Clinic	Address
Monday	1:30pm -3:40pm	Gaumont Surgery	153 Peckham High St Peckham SE15 5SL
Monday	1:20pm -3:40pm	Manor Health Centre	86 Clapham Manor St Clapham SW4 6EB
Tuesday	1:20pm -3:40pm	Gracefield Gardens	2-8 Gracefield Gardens Streatham SW16 2ST
Wednesday	9:40am -12:00pm	Elmcourt Health Centre	214-218 Norwood Road Norwood SE27 9AW
Wednesday	1:30pm -3:40pm	The Podiatry Centre	94 Alscot Road Bermondsey SE1 3GG
Thursday	1:20pm -3:40pm	Mawbey Brough Health Centre	39 Wilcox Close Vauxhall SW8 2UD
Friday	1:20pm -3:40pm	Mawbey Brough Health Centre	39 Wilcox Close Vauxhall SW8 2UD
Friday	1:30pm -3:40pm	The Podiatry Centre	94 Alscot Road Bermondsey SE1 3GG

If you have any general queries or would like to speak to someone you can call us on **Tel: 0203 049 7900**
Alternatively, for more details on our service or to download a copy of this form please visit our website:
www.guysandstthomas.nhs.uk/our-services/community-podiatry