



REFERRAL GUIDELINE

Pediatric Advanced Care Team	
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Background	<p>For patients and families with chronic, progressive, debilitating conditions which are life-limiting or life-threatening. Multiple diagnoses, frequently access health care. Multiple specialists or health care systems, polypharmacy; integrative approach to care. Ongoing home health/DME needs.</p>	
Initial Evaluation	Case-specific	
Initial Management	Case-specific	
Pre-Visit Work Up	Identification of areas for potential improvement	
When to Refer	When additional resources (time), integrative therapies, may be useful	
Co-management Strategy (as appropriate)	Specialist scope of care Case specific	Primary care scope of care Case and provider specific
Return to Primary Care	Varies	
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