### **RADIUS**



# Rapid Assessment Diagnosis & Intervention Unit Sutherland



#### What is RADIUS?

RADIUS is a community-facing unit within the Sutherland Hospital for complex medical patients who are not critically unwell, to receive rapid assessment and intervention from a multidisciplinary team, prior to supported discharge back into the community or admission for further treatment.

Open from 0930 to 1800 Monday to Friday RADIUS offers an alternate pathway for your patients to receive prompt assessment and management of general medical conditions.

#### What type of patients can I send to RADIUS?

The list includes but is not limited to:

- Dizziness
- UTI's and pyelonephritis
- Back pain
- Uncomplicated falls
- Cellulitis
- DVT
- Hypertension
  - Oedema
- Non-surgical wound infections
- Pneumonia/Chest infection
- Reduced mobility/function, lethargy

For advice regarding appropriate referrals please contact the RADIUS Consultant directly or search RADIUS on Health Pathways

## To Refer, call <u>0427 609 378</u> and speak to the RADIUS Consultant on duty

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