



Dear Medical Provider:

We are pleased to serve you and your patients at PENRAD Imaging. We continue to offer the full range of medical imaging services to assist you in the diagnosis and management of your patients. We strive to provide the finest services in medical imaging, with state-of-the-art equipment and outstanding support and technical staff. We have recently added digital breast tomosynthesis (3-D mammography) to complement our other breast imaging services. Our radiologists thank you for your continued support and utilization of our services.

We have been developing and refining our patient navigator program to be an integral part of our breast imaging services. The intent of this program is to guide patients through the breast imaging system, from screening to diagnosis. Our navigators assist patients in understanding the process and results as they undergo various tests in the diagnostic process. The patient navigator program has been very well received by our patients.

We are now expanding our patient navigator program by helping to facilitate the referral process when a patient is in need of breast surgery or other breast treatment services. We have a close working relationship with Southern Colorado Breast Care Specialists, who is prepared to initiate the evaluation and treatment phase for your patients within 24-48 hours of the referral. As a result, we can offer your patients an expedited, seamless transition from the diagnostic process to the treatment phase, when necessary. This can be necessitated by a biopsy result that is positive for cancer, a biopsy result that is not cancerous but needs further evaluation with surgery, or a situation in which an imaging-guided biopsy is not possible and further evaluation with a surgical biopsy must be considered. These situations are all stressful for patients, and expediting and simplifying the referral process for patients can alleviate some of that stress. This new program also has the potential to make you and your office staff more efficient by decreasing the demands for communication and coordination of services.

In expanding our program to include the referral process, we want to honor the desires of our individual referring providers. Those who would like to participate in this expanded service may elect to do so, while those who prefer the traditional process of making their own referrals when the need arises can continue in that manner.

I have enclosed a form on which you may indicate your preference with regard to the above. Please return this form to our office as soon as possible, so that we may assist you in the manner you prefer.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Steven P. Jensen".

Steven P. Jensen, MD

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PENRAD Imaging
Breast Specialist Referral Program

_____ I would like to participate in PENRAD Imaging's breast specialist referral program.

When my patients need breast surgery or consultation with a breast surgeon,
PENRAD Imaging is authorized to assist in making the appropriate referral on my behalf.

PENRAD Imaging's Nursing Department will be calling patients with Positive Results and
the referrals will be made to Southern Colorado Breast Care Specialists.

_____ I prefer to continue to make my own referrals when the need arises.

Provider Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Office Phone: _____ Fax number: _____

Please fax completed form to: 719-265-3794 or email Marketing@PENRAD.org