

## CLINICIAN'S GUIDE TO PATHWAYS FOR INTERVENTIONS WITHIN THE SOUTH YORKSHIRE AND BASSETLAW COMMISSIONING FOR OUTCOMES POLICY

	INTERVENTION	PATHWAY
<b>NO LONGER ROUTINELY COMMISSIONED</b>	Snoring surgery in the absence of OSA	If the clinician feels that a case is exceptional they should send a referral letter to the IFR team via the secure email address below:  <a href="mailto:sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net">sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net</a>
	Knee arthroscopy for OA	
	Injections for non-specific back pain	
	Acupuncture(except for chronic tension headache/migraine)	
	Vasectomy under general anaesthetic	
	Cosmetic plastic surgery procedures	
<b>COMMISSIONED ACCORDING TO THE COMMISSIONING FOR OUTCOMES POLICY CRITERIA</b>	Removal of benign skin lesions	PATIENT MEETS CRITERIA  Complete the appropriate checklist and submit with referral via eRS Prior approval via IFR is not required
	Grommets in children	
	Haemorrhoid surgery	
	Hysterectomy for heavy menstrual bleeding	
	Chalazia removal	
	Arthroscopic shoulder decompression	
	Carpal tunnel release	PATIENT DOES NOT MEET CRITERIA  If there is evidence of exceptionality provide this in a referral letter , complete the checklist and send to the IFR team via the secure email address below  <a href="mailto:sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net">sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net</a>
	Dupuytren's contracture surgery	
	Ganglion surgery	
	Trigger finger release	
	Varicose vein surgery	
	Grommets for adults	
	Benign perianal skin tags	
	Cholecystectomy	
	Hernia repair	
	Blepharoplasty	
	Cataract surgery	
	Hallux valgus correction	
	Hip/knee replacement	
	Ingrown toenail removal	
Male circumcision		
Tonsillectomy for both adults and children	Send referral letter and completed checklist to the IFR team for prior approval via the secure email address below. IFR approval confirmation must be submitted with the referral via eRS  <a href="mailto:sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net">sheccg.sybifr@nhs.net</a>	

**BOTH PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CARE CLINICIANS MAY APPLY FOR EXCEPTIONAL FUNDING**

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<https://www.healthandcaretogethersyb.co.uk/about-us/useful-documents>