

9th May 2025

Re: Transition to Electronic Referrals via Healthlink – Effective 1st July 2025

Dear Doctor,

We wish to inform you that from **1st July 2025**, St. Vincent's University Hospital (SVUH) will **transition fully to electronic referrals via Healthlink**. From this date, **we will no longer be in a position to accept paper or faxed referrals**.

This change supports our ongoing efforts to enhance patient safety, streamline referral pathways and improve communication efficiency between primary and secondary care. We believe that moving to a fully electronic system will provide significant benefits to both referring clinicians and their patients.

We kindly ask that all referrals to SVUH be submitted via the Healthlink platform from the **1st of July**. Please note that **any paper or faxed referrals received after 1st July 2025 will not be processed**.

If you are not yet registered with Healthlink or need support using the platform, please visit www.healthlink.ie or contact their support team directly for assistance.

We sincerely thank you for your ongoing support and collaboration as we implement this important step forward in improving our referral process.

Kind regards,



Cahal Flynn
Director of Operations