

PHOTO TRIAGE UPDATE
BHSCT
FEBRUARY 2024

For the period October - December 2023

Total Referrals

11062

across all Trusts via the Red Flag Pathway (since March 2022) & Urgent BCC Pathway (since October 2023)

143 referrals in Oct
93 referrals in Nov
82 referrals in Dec

breakdown of referrals to BHSCT (including referrals from Action Cancer)

Uptake to the Pathway

88%

67/76 GP Practices in BHSCT area contracted to the Pathway

Actual referring Practices

47/67

70% having actively referred to BHSCT

Triaged Priority

of **272** Red Flag referrals made to BHSCT:

185 triaged as Red Flag
24 downgraded to Urgent
3 downgraded to Routine
60 provided with advice & discharged

Triage Outcomes

of 185 referrals triaged as Red Flag:

4 returned to GP (wrong photos attached; duplicate)
1 investigation
180 Pool (***105 of which have no triage comments***)

Triaged Priority

of 46 Urgent referrals made to BHSCT:

17 upgraded to Red Flag
27 triaged as Urgent
2 provided with advice & discharged

47 suboptimal referrals received necessitating an appointment due to:

(blurry photos; no photos; incorrect photos attached to referral)

Report compiled by Dermatology Photo Triage Team