Patient Referral Summary

Patient Details	Attendance & GP Details
Patient name: Mr. Nicholas Bottom	Date of appointment/contact: 08/09/2025
Date of Birth: 23/04/1960	Contact Type: GP Referral
Gender: Male	Consultation method: Letter
NHI Number: BO81960	Seen by: Dr. Toby Belch (Referring GP)
Hospital ID: A6OPRC	Outcome of patient attendance: Urological assessment requested to guide further management.
Patient address: Quince Cottage, 1 Cobweb Lane, Elsinore Heights, Auckland	GP Practice Details
Patient Email: bottom.the.weaver@email.com	GP practice identifier: 1602
Patient telephone number: (555) 555-0162	GP name: Dr. Toby Belch
	GP Address: The Garter Inn Medical Practice, 1 Falstaff Street, Windsor, Auckland

Full Referral Letter

From:

The Garter Inn Medical Practice 1 Falstaff Street, Windsor Auckland

Phone: (09) 987 6543 **Date:** 08 September 2025

To:

Urology Department Auckland City Hospital 2 Park Road, Grafton Auckland 1023

RE: Patient Referral

Patient: Mr. Nicholas Bottom

DOB: 23/04/1960 NHI: BOT1960

Dear Urology Team,

I am writing to refer Mr. Nicholas Bottom, a 65-year-old weaver, who has presented with some longstanding lower urinary tract symptoms.

Mr. Bottom reports that for the last couple of years, he has experienced a noticeable decline in the force of his urinary stream and a sensation that his bladder doesn't quite empty completely. He has been managing this himself, but it is beginning to affect his confidence. He also mentions, with some reluctance, a parallel decline in his ability to maintain sufficient firmness for intercourse, which is causing some personal distress.

His PSA is stable at 3.5 μ g/L, and a digital rectal examination reveals a moderately enlarged but smooth and benign-feeling prostate.

Of note, he described a single, isolated incident three months ago following a long coach journey where he had a very troublesome hour where he felt unable to pass urine despite a strong urge. This resolved spontaneously, and he has not had a similar episode since.

Given the chronicity of his symptoms combined with the impact on his quality of life, I feel he would benefit from your expert assessment and advice on management options.

Thank you for your time.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Toby Belch MBChB, FRNZCGP The Garter Inn Medical Practice

Provider No: 1602