

23 October 2023

Dear Dr. Prens,

I am writing to refer my patient, John Smith (DOB: 10/05/1965), to your care for further investigation and management of his gastric reflux symptoms.

Mr. Smith has been experiencing heartburn, regurgitation, and dysphagia for the past 6 months. These symptoms occur several times per week, often worse at night. He also complains of hoarseness in the mornings. Mr. Smith has tried over-the-counter antacids and H2 blockers without relief.

Past medical history is significant for hypertension, controlled with atenolol. Surgical history includes appendectomy in childhood. He has no known drug allergies. Current medications include atenolol 50mg daily and omeprazole 20mg daily.

I would be grateful if you could assess Mr. Smith for possible laryngopharyngeal reflux and provide recommendations for further treatment. Please let me know if you require any additional information. I appreciate you seeing my patient.

Sincerely,
Dr Craig

