

Dear Dr. Reid,

Re: Referral for Patient with Hoarseness

I am writing to refer Ms. Emma Green, a 34-year-old female patient under my care, for further evaluation and management of her persistent hoarseness.

Ms. Green has been experiencing hoarseness of voice for the past two months. She reports that her voice sounds raspy and strained, particularly after prolonged speaking or singing. She denies any associated pain, cough, or difficulty swallowing. Ms. Green leads a healthy lifestyle and does not smoke or consume excessive alcohol.

Past Medical History:

- Seasonal allergies, managed with cetirizine 10 mg once daily during allergy season
- No history of significant surgical procedures

Current Medications:

- Cetirizine 10 mg once daily during allergy season

On examination, I noted mild erythema and edema of the vocal cords during a laryngoscopy. No obvious masses or lesions were observed. Given the persistent nature of Ms. Green's hoarseness and the absence of any obvious benign causes, I believe referral to your expertise is necessary to explore potential underlying causes.

I kindly request your assessment, investigations, and advice regarding the management of Ms. Green's hoarseness. Please keep me informed of your findings and recommendations, and I am available for any further discussion or clarification.

Thank you for your attention to this referral. I greatly appreciate your expertise in managing this complex case.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Garcia