

FACT SHEET

Patient Condition	Colour
Immediately life threatening (Eg. Cardiac Arrest)	Purple
Immediately life threatening or time critical (Eg. Chest Pain)	Red
Urgent / Potentially serious, but not immediately life threatening (Eg. Abdominal Pain)	Orange
Non-urgent (not serious or life threatening) (Eg. Sprained Ankle)	Yellow
Non-urgent (not serious or life threatening). Possibly suitable for treatment at scene ** NOT Being implemented immediately	Green
Non-urgent (not serious or life threatening) Further clinical telephone triage and advice Referrals to HealthLink BC (8-1-1 calls)	Blue

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