AOD and MH Comorbidity Referral Pathways for General Practitioners

Client Presentation

Depression/ Anxiety Symptoms with Risk	Depression/Anxiety Symptoms with no risk	Bi-Polar/Psychosis Schizoid or other mental health symptoms with no risk	Inability to cope, Life difficulties	AOD Issues with no risk	AOD Issues with Risk
Referral to Psychiatric Triage 1300 363 322	Referral to psychologist via better outcomes/ ATAPS/ Better Access Item No: 2710	Referral to Psychiatric Triage 1300 363 322	Referral to psychologist via better Outcomes/ ATAPS/Better Access Item No: 2710	Referral to local AOD Service	Contact Police or Emergency Department in the event of significant risk
AND	*OR*	*OR*	*AND*	*OR*	*AND*
Arrange follow up Appointment	In house management with medication	Referral to Psychiatrist	Screen for other health issues including AOD issues (AUDIT/ASSIST)	Devise medicated detoxification regime with patient	Make follow up appointment or liaise with ER Doctor
AND	*OR*	*AND*		*AND*	*AND*
Where possible screen for AOD issues (AUDIT/ASSIST)	Referral to Primary Mental Health team for assessment, review and secondary consultation PMH or EII Form FAX: 5143 8971	Arrange follow up appointment		Screen for Mental health Issues (K10)	Advise Local AOD Service of referral to ER
	AND	*AND*			
	Screen for AOD Issues (AUDIT/ASSIST)	Screen for AOD Issues (AUDIT/ASSIST)			