



# Temporo-Mandibular Joint Referral Form

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Name:

Date of Birth: DD / MM / YYYY

MRN Number:

NHS Number:

(OR AFFIX HOSPITAL LABEL HERE)

**Please advise your patients that treatment will most likely be performed at Cirencester Hospital.  
Please tick [ ] to confirm patient informed.**

The Faculty of Dental Surgery (RCS Eng) published detailed guidance in 2013 regarding the primary care management of Temporomandibular Disorders. It is clear from this guidance that secondary care intervention is only needed in a small number of cases.

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[www.gloshospitals.nhs.uk/glosmaxfax/tmj](http://www.gloshospitals.nhs.uk/glosmaxfax/tmj)

As a result we will now only accept TMJ referrals when there are the following (please tick)

Intractable TMJ pain or persistent closed lock (less than 20mm trismus) that has not responded in 3 months to physio / jaw exercise, analgesia and a BRA / splint if indicated by the above guidance

Diagnostic doubt (see 'Key Fact' section of above document)

## Patient details

Name

D.O.B

Gender

Male

Female

NHS No (Mandatory)

Address

Postcode

Home telephone

Mobile telephone

Any medical conditions, allergies/reactions and medications

Name of referring dentist (print name)

Signature

Date

DD / MM / YYYY

Address of referring dentist