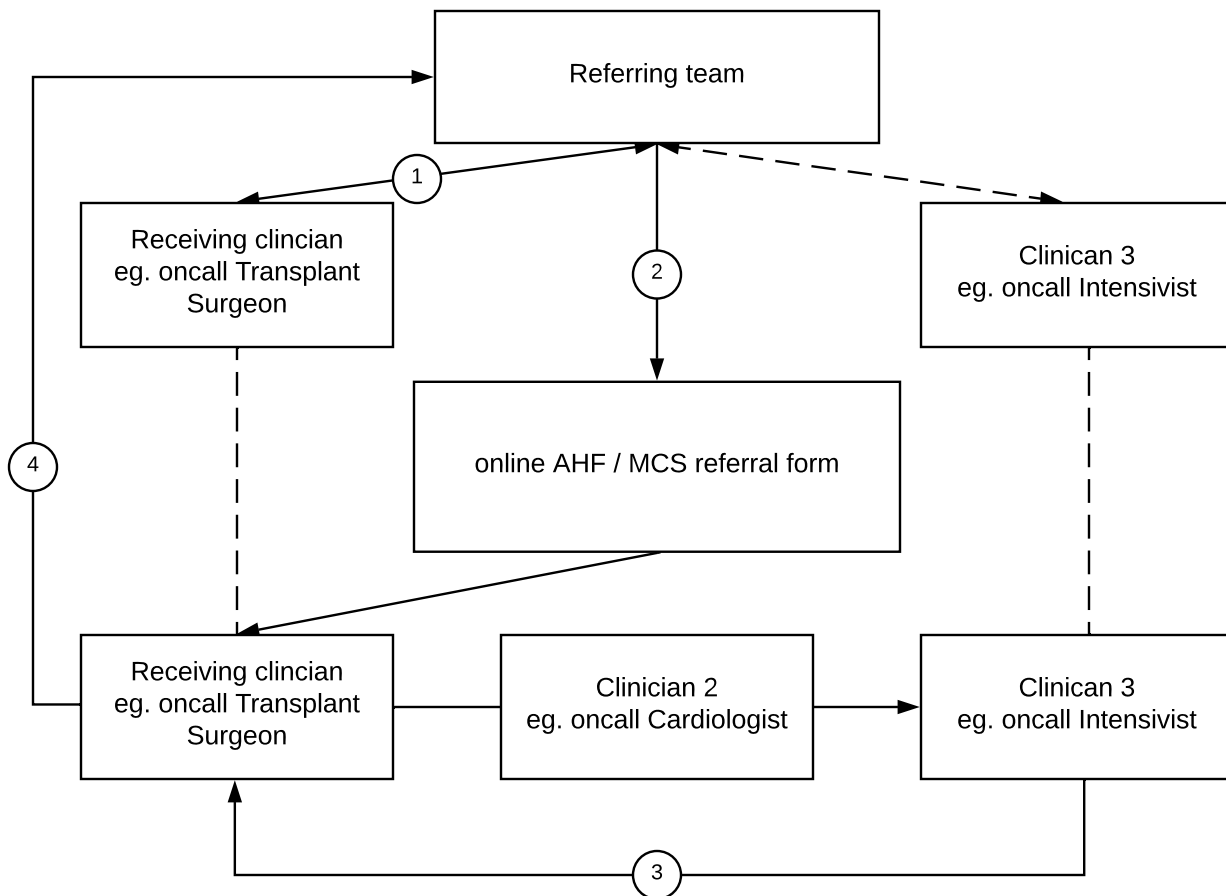




# Acute Heart failure / MCS referral pathway



1. Referring team contacts Receiving clinician via switchboard 0141 951 5000
2. Referring team completes and returns online referral form to Receiving clinician + cc. [transplantcoordinators@gjnh.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:transplantcoordinators@gjnh.scot.nhs.uk)
3. Receiving clinician will facilitate MDT discussion: Transplant surgeon / cardiologist / intensivist
4. Receiving clinician will contact referring team and return referral form with recommendations:
  - a. Further ICU-ICU discussion
  - b. Transfer GJNH
  - c. Re-referral if clinically indicated (criteria described)
  - d. No further follow up

The receiving clinician will ensure local team members are informed of referral details: cardiology / surgery / ICU / nursing. The Transplant coordinator will record referral details and the MDT recommendation. If re-referral is recommended criteria will be clearly stated and the patient details will be added to the ICU handover sheet or NSD patient board. Regular updates from the referring team are encouraged.