Nephrotic Syndrome

Proteinuria, low serum albumin edema, elevated cholesterol

What can you do?

We prefer that all cases of nephrotic syndrome be referred prior to treatment. We try to see all referrals for new cases of nephrotic syndrome within 24 hours. In some cases, however, treatment may need to be initiated before we can see the patient.

Please call the on-call pediatric nephrologist using Seattle Children’s Provider-to-Provider Line at 206-987-7777 to discuss the case and arrange for the child to be seen.

What can you send? (please fax to 206-985-3121)

- Relevant chart notes, including growth charts and vaccination records
- Blood pressure readings
- All labs you have obtained, especially urine results

The above clinical data are not required prior to the visit, but if they have been obtained, they will help make the visit more efficient.

Tips for an effective visit:

- Talk with your patient and family about the reason for the referral and the questions to be answered.
- Our providers appreciate having the information ahead of time.

Our Provider-to-Provider Line is available 24/7 at 206-987-7777.