

Tamworth Rural Referral Hospital
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Dear Doctor,

RE: Geoff Hendricks
DOB: 04/11/1962

I am referring to you a somewhat complicated patient, whom I believe would benefit from a multidisciplinary team approach of surgery and medical oncology.

Geoff is a 55-year-old male who lives in Armidale. He attended his GP with a 2-day history of frank haematuria on a 4-month background of right flank discomfort and weight loss (6kgs). On CT imaging there was a well-defined lobulated mass, with heterogeneous enhancement, which appeared to be infiltrating the upper and middle pole of the right kidney. Histopathology revealed a renal cell carcinoma - clear cell type, ISUP nucleolar grade 3.

Other imaging revealed lung metastases and no disease at any other sites.

Geoff is ECOG 1, has adequate organ function and his lung metastasis are asymptomatic. I think Geoff should be considered for cytoreductive surgery and systemic chemotherapy.

Geoff has well-controlled asthma and hypertension. He has had a right THR in 2014. He is a current smoker (1.5 packs/day) and drinks 9 schooners of beer each night. I have strongly encouraged Geoff to quit smoking.

Geoff lives with his wife in Armidale and runs a successful farrier business.

I appreciate you being involved in the further care of this patient.

Dr Frank Perreti
Staff Specialist Urologist
Tamworth Rural Referral Hospital