**Specialty Pathways and Action Plan for COVID-19 - Surg Plan**



Semi - Elective Surgery action: vascular access

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| Action | Owner | Date |
| Review patients booked – cancel those who can wait 3 to 4 months  | Dr Lawman | 19/03/2020 |
| Convert pts who were to have blocks if possible to LAs | Dr LAwman | 19/03/2020 |
| Majority of cases are day cases via renal day case unit – if day case unit required for decant of pts due to COVID19 then these will be cancelled | Dr lawman | 19/03/2020 |
| Cases requiring admission only to be done if urgent | Dr lawman | 19/03/2020 |
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Elective Surgery pathway

Emergency pathway action: renal access

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| Action | Owner | Date |
| renal emergency pathway – pts will be admitted to renal ward ideally direct from renal opd area | Dr LAWman/ Mr El SAkka | 19/03/2020 |
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Elective Surgery pathway

Outpatients

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| Action | Owner | Date |
| Consider Telephone clinic appointments for all vascular access pts | Dr Lawman | 19/03/2020 |
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Outpatients pathway – all come through renal

Diagnostics

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| Action | Owner | Date |
| Vascular scanning to be done on level 8 for the few pts when urgent  | Dr LAwman | 19/03/2020 |
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Pathway

Equipment

Any essential requirement that maybe required due to COVID-19 – no additional equipment

Staffing

* Including access problems for patients that are in London
* Using SPA for consultant time
* Changes to rotas to manage

No issues currently