

Key

- No time specified
- Routine
- Suspected cancer referral
- Within 2 weeks
- Within 48h

- Breast
- Lower GI*
- Gynae
- Head and neck
- Haematology
- Lung
- Sarcoma
- Skin
- Urology
- Upper GI
- Abdominal and pelvic USS
- Appointment with dentist within 2w

Bleeding

- Unexplained bruising, bleeding, petechiae: 22
- Haematemesis: 31
- Haemoptysis 40+: 6
- Post-menopausal: 3
- Rectal bleeding with abdominal pain/weight loss <50: 24
- Rectal 50+: 24
- Vulval: 5

Lumps/Masses

- Anal: **2**
- Axillary 30+: **1**
- Breast 30+: **1**
- Breast <30: **2**
- Lip/oral cavity: **12**
- Lump increasing in size: **20**
- Neck (unexplained) 45+: **4**
- Neck (persistent and unexplained): **4**
- Penile (STI excluded): **9**
- Thyroid: **4**
- Vaginal/vulval (unexplained): **5**

Lymphadenopathy

- Unexplained in adults: **5**
- Supraclavicular/persistent cervical 40+: **15**
- Generalised in adults: **22**

Pain

Alcohol induced lymph node pain with lymphadenopathy: 5

Back with weight loss 60+: 18

Back (persistent) 60+: 23

Chest (unexplained) 40+ ever smoked/asbestos exposed: 19

Chest (unexplained) with cough/fatigue/SOB/weight loss/appetite loss 40+: 19

Skeletal Symptoms

Back pain with weight loss 60+: 18

Back pain (persistent) 60+: 23

Bone pain (persistent) 60+: 23

Fracture (unexplained) 60+: 23

Skin or surface symptoms

- Anal ulceration: 2
- Bruising: 22
- Nipple: unilateral changes (including those "of concern": 50+): 1
- Penile lesion/mass (STI excluded): 9
- Penile symptoms affecting the foreskin/glands: 9
- Petechiae (unexplained): 22
- Skin change suggesting breast cancer: 1
- Pigmented lesion with a weighted 7 point score 3+: 8
- Lesion suggestive of nodular melanoma: 8
- Lesion suggestive of SCC: 8
- Lesion suggestive of BCC: 32
- Lesion suggestive of BCC & concern that treatment delay may have a significant impact: 8
- Vulval lump/ulceration (unexplained): 5

- Unexplained with abdominal pain 40+ : ②
- Unexplained with rectal bleeding <50 : ②
- Unexplained 50+ : ②
- Ever smoked/asbestos exposed 40+ : ①
- With cough/fatigue/SOB/chest pain/appetite loss 40+ never smoked : ①
- With unexplained splenomegaly/lymphadenopathy 16+ : ⑤
- With upper abdominal pain/GOR/dyspepsia 55+ : ①
- Unexplained in women : ⑦
- With diarrhoea/nausea/vomiting/constipation 60+ : ①
- With back pain/abdominal pain/new onset diabetes 60+ : ①
- With 'platelets/nausea/vomiting 55+ : ①

Appetite loss
Unexplained: consider: lung, upper GI, lower GI, pancreatic, urological: 15
Ever smoked/asbestos exposed 40+: 15
With cough/fatigue/SOB/chest pain/weight loss 40+: 15
Or early satiety persistent/ >12x per month in women especially in 50+: 15

DVT:
Consider urogenital/breast/ lower GI/lung cancers: 15

Diabetes
New onset with weight loss 60+: 15

Fatigue
Ever smoked/asbestos exposed 40+: 15
With cough/SOB/chest pain/ weight loss/appetite loss (unexplained) 40+: 15
Persistent 16+: 20
Unexplained in women: 15

fever

Unexplained: **22**

Unexplained with
splenomegaly/
lymphadenopathy 16+: **5**

Finger clubbing 40+: **15**

Infection

Unexplained and persistent/
recurrent 16+: **22**

Night sweats

With unexplained
splenomegaly/
lymphadenopathy 16+: **5**

Pallor: **22**

Pruritus:

With unexplained
splenomegaly/
lymphadenopathy 16+: **5**

Weight loss

Unexplained: consider: lung, upper GI, lower GI, pancreatic, urological: **15**

Neurological
Loss of central neurological function (progressive): 17

Oral lesions
Ulceration (unexplained, >3w):
4
Oral red / red & white patches:
12

Respiratory

- Chest infection (persistent or recurrent) 40+: 19
- Chest pain (unexplained) 40+ ever smoked/asbestos exposed: 19
- Chest pain (unexplained) with cough/fatigue/SOB/weight loss/appetite loss 40+: 19
- Cough (unexplained) 40+ ever smoked/asbestos exposed: 19
- Cough (unexplained) with chest pain/fatigue/SOB/weight loss/appetite loss 40+: 19
- Hoarseness (unexplained and persistent) 45+: 4
- Chest signs consistent with cancer/plural disease 40+: 19
- Finger clubbing 40+: 19

Shortness of breath

- Ever smoked/asbestos exposed 40+: 19
- With cough/fatigue/chest pain/weight loss/appetite loss 40+: 19
- With unexplained lymphadenopathy: 5
- With unexplained splenomegaly: 5

Urological Symptoms

- Erectile dysfunction: ⑩
- Haematuria (visible and unexplained) without UTI 45+: ⑨
- Haematuria (visible and unexplained) with persistence/recurrence after treatment for UTI 45+: ⑨
- Haema turia (non visible and unexplained) with dysuria/▲blood test wbc 60+: ⑨
- Haematuria (visible) ▲ blood Hb/▲platelets / ▲ blood glucose/ unexplained vaginal discharge in women 55+: ⑩
- Haematuria (visible) in men: ⑩
- Testicular enlargement/shape change/texture change (non-painful): ⑨
- Testicular symptoms (unexplained/persistent): ⑨
- UTI (unexplained and recurrent/persistent) 60+: ②
- LUTS in males: ⑩
- Urinary urgency (persistent or >12x per month) in women especially 50+: ⑩

Gynaecological

Cervix - cancerous appearance: 5

Vaginal discharge – first presentation/^platelets/haematuria in 55+: 39

Vaginal mass (unexplained and palpable) in or at entrance to vagina: 6

Vulval bleeding/lump/ulceration: 3

Anaemia (IDA) 1
Unexplained IDA: 2
Without rectal bleeding <60: 24
Anaemia (normocytic)
Unexplained anaemia 60+: 24
Visible haematuria women 55+: 25
Upper abdominal pain 55+: 51
BJP suggests myeloma: 5
^Blood glucose with visible haematuria in women 55+: 25
CA-125 35 IU/ML: 51
CA-125 <35IU/ml or >35IU/ml with normal ultrasound: 51
^CA2+/low wbc and consistent with myeloma 60+: 24
CXR suggests lung cancer/ mesothelioma: 6
Dermoscopy suggests melanoma: 6
New onset diabetes with weight loss 60+: 10
DRE suggests prostate cancer: 9
^ESR/PV and consistent with myeloma: 54
FIT+ve: 2
Jaundice 40+: 10
^platelets with GOR/ dyspepsia/upper abdominal pain 55+: 51
^platelets with nausea/ vomiting/ weight loss 55+: 51
^platelets 40+: 15
^platelets with visible haematuria/unexplained vaginal discharge 55+: 25
PSA above age specific range: 9
Urine protein electrophoresis suggests myeloma: 5
USS suggests ovarian cancer: 5
USS suggests soft tissue sarcoma: 7
Xray suggests bone sarcoma: 7

Abdominal symptoms 26
Hepatosplenomegaly: 26
Abdominal mass or enlarged abdominal organ: 29
Splenomegaly: 29

Bleeding/bruising/rashes
Petechiae: (unexplained): 26
Bruising/bleeding (unexplained): 22

Lumps/masses
Lymphadenopathy (unexplained): 29
Lymphadenopathy (generalised): 22
Lump (unexplained) increasing in size: 35

Neurological
New abnormality of cerebellar or CNS function: 26

Non-specific symptoms
Fatigue (persistent): 22
Fever with lymphadenopathy/splenomegaly (unexplained): 29
Fever (unexplained): 22
Infection (unexplained and

splenomegaly: 29)
Pruritus with lymphadenopathy/splenomegaly: 29
Weight loss with lymphadenopathy/splenomegaly: 29
Parental concern (persistent): 15

Primary Care Investigations
USS/CXR suggest sarcoma: 29
Absent red reflex: 26

Respiratory
SOB with lymphadenopathy: 29
SOB with splenomegaly (unexplained): 29

Skeletal
Bone pain (persistent or unexplained): 22
Bone pain/swelling (unexplained): 36

Skin/surface
Bruising (unexplained): 22
Pallor: 22

Urological
Haematuria (visible and unexplained): 29