

Place Patient Details Here:-

GENERAL SURGERY / VASCULAR PROCEDURES

BOPDHB SURGICAL / VASCULAR GRADING TOOL

Add to Treatment List	<input type="checkbox"/> 4			
Current Pathology	Benign stable / Structural <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Benign / progressive <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Suspicious of malignancy, but unproven (or moderate Vascular impairment) <input type="checkbox"/> 12	Malignancy proven (or severe Vascular impairment) <input type="checkbox"/> 16
Natural History	Likely to remain stable <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Likely to continue to deteriorate <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Likely to progress to major complication <input type="checkbox"/> 12	Life threatening <input type="checkbox"/> 16
Degree of Pain	Minimal / No pain <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Intermittent / Mild <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Moderate (persistent pain causing modification of daily living) <input type="checkbox"/> 12	Severe (dominates life and regularly interferes with sleep) <input type="checkbox"/> 16
Functional Impairment	No disturbance <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Minor disturbance <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Moderate disturbance <input type="checkbox"/> 12	Major disturbance <input type="checkbox"/> 16
Social Participation	Not threatened or difficult <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Not threatened but more difficult <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Threatened but not immediately <input type="checkbox"/> 12	Immediately threatened <input type="checkbox"/> 16
Likely Potential Benefit from Operation	Low <input type="checkbox"/> 4	Moderately Low <input type="checkbox"/> 8	Moderately High <input type="checkbox"/> 12	High <input type="checkbox"/> 16

Total Score

Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:-

Signature: _____

1. This has been adapted from the Central Health Generic Access Criteria Tool for General Surgery Procedures.
2. For each category tick the box that most closely fits your patients' current condition.
3. Add the scores and enter as the total score (NB. you can omit this step if you wish and the booking clerk will arrange for you).