Uncontrolled COPD contributes to higher readmission rates compared to other chronic illness³

9.8 days is the average length of a COPD patient’s hospital stay²

Self management strategies for COPD can reduce ER visits and hospital admissions⁴

The Canadian Thoracic Society 2008 guidelines recommends spirometry for anyone over 40 who smokes or has smoked and has just one symptom such as breathlessness, wheezing, cough, or persistent phlegm.¹

RANA offers Pulmonary Consultation with a Respirologist

A recent Pulmonary Function Test is required (within less than 6 months). If no recent PFT is included, then a complete test will be performed as per respirologist.

Appointments available for:

- Asthma/COPD Education*
  Education provided by a Certified Respiratory Educator (CRE)

- Smoking Cessation*
  Education provided by a Certified Tobacco Educator (CTE)

* Spirometry will be performed at the time of appointment. Education is provided by a Certified Respiratory Educator.

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