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Dear colleague,

## **Re: Radioactive Iodine Treatment for Hyperthyroidism**

Thank you for calling us to refer a cat to the Queen Mother Hospital for Animals (QMHA) for radioactive iodine treatment.

We enclose:

- A brief overview of what the treatment entails.
- A check-list of requirements that need to be met before cats can be seen for treatment.

Please read this carefully to make sure that your patient is a suitable candidate for radioactive iodine treatment. It is really important that a clinical history and relevant blood work are available to us at the time of the appointment. Please ensure that this is either sent ahead of time, or sent with the clients on the day.

The demand for treatment with radioactive iodine is high and unfortunately we often have a long waiting

## Radioactive Iodine Treatment

involved?

A single dose of radioactive iodine (I



