## How to refer



## **General Surgery**

<b>Candidate</b> Who can be referred?	Adults (18+)  Doctor-to-doctor referral appreciated. Please fax any relevant chart notes, labs/tests and imaging if not in Epic. Imaging required for gallbladders. Prior endoscopy and colonoscopy results should be submitted.	
Work-up What is required?		
<b>Location</b> Where will the patient be seen?	MultiCare Rockwood Surgical Group (Downtown) 910 West 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave., Suite 801 Spokane, WA 99204 Phone: 509-530-3150 Fax: 509-755-5124	MultiCare Rockwood Valley Surgical Specialists 1414 North Houk Rd., Suite 208 Spokane Valley, WA 99216 Phone: 509-755-5551 Fax: 509-755-5553
Services What clinical services and procedures are offered?	<ul> <li>Adrenalectomy (removal of adrenal glands)</li> <li>Anti-reflux surgery</li> <li>Appendectomy</li> <li>Breast biopsy</li> <li>Cholecystectomy (gallbladder removal)</li> <li>Colon cancer surgery</li> <li>Cysts</li> <li>Diverticulitis</li> <li>Gastrointestinal bleeding</li> <li>Hemorrhoids</li> <li>Hernia repair (simple and complex)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Laparoscopic surgery</li> <li>Lipoma removal</li> <li>Liver biopsy</li> <li>Peritoneal dialysis catheter placements</li> <li>Pilonidal surgery</li> <li>Robotic assisted surgery</li> <li>Skin lesions</li> <li>Splenectomy (removal of the spleen)</li> <li>Surgical critical care</li> <li>Surgical oncology</li> <li>Temporal artery biopsy</li> <li>Trauma surgery</li> </ul>
Collaboration How will we coordinate care for the patient?	Our team uses the Epic electronic health record (EHR).  • For physicians and professional providers using Epic, you'll be copied on all notes related to the patient.  • For physicians and professional providers outside of Epic, notes will be faxed to you.	
Referral How do we refer?	<ul> <li>Epic users may refer directly to MultiCare Rockwood Surgical Group and MultiCare Rockwood Valley Surgical Specialists using Epic ID REF013.</li> <li>Outside referrals, fax or call the nearest clinic:         <ul> <li>Downtown: Fax 509-755-5124 or call 509-530-3150</li> <li>Valley: Fax 509-755-5553 or call 509-755-5551</li> </ul> </li> <li>TriCare, Medicare Advantage and US Family Health plans require prior authorization.</li> </ul>	



## Meet our specialists



Scott Hadley, MD

MultiCare Rockwood Valley Surgical Associates (Valley Clinic)

Certification: American Board of Surgery; Faculty, American College of Surgeons

Professional School: Loma Linda University School of Medicine

Residency: Loma Linda University Medical Center

Special Interests: Peritoneal dialysis catheters, robotic ventral hernias



**Anne Meslang, MD** 

MultiCare Rockwood Surgical Group (Downtown Clinic)

Certification: American Board of Surgery

**Professional School**: Eastern Virginia Medical School **Residency**: AHN Medical Education Consortium

Special Interests: Robotic and minimally invasive hernia and abdominal surgery



Stephen Reese, MD, FACS

MultiCare Rockwood Surgical Group (Downtown Clinic)

Certification: American Board of Surgery

Professional School: Saba University School of Medicine

Residency: Virginia Mason Medical Center

Special Interests: Robotic and minimally invasive approaches for abdominal hernias



**Damon Sheneman, DO** 

**MultiCare Rockwood Valley Surgical Associates (Valley Clinic)** 

Certification: American Board of Surgery

Professional School: Midwestern University Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine

Residency: New Hanover Regional Medical Center

Special Interests: Rectal prolapse



Colin Beacom, PA-C

MultiCare Rockwood Surgical Group (Downtown Clinic)

Certification: National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants

Professional School: Rocky Mountain College





Rachel Ghiorso, PA-C

**MultiCare Rockwood Valley Surgical Associates (Valley Clinic)** 

**Certification**: National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants; Fellow, WA Academy

of Physician Assistants; Fellow, American Academy of Physician Assistants

Professional School: South University, Physician Assistant Studies



**Deanna Lipps, PA-C** 

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**Certification:** National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants; Fellow, American Association of Surgical Assistants; Member, American Association of Physician Assistants

**Professional School**: MEDEX Northwest – University of Washington



Lucas Shulman, PA-C

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Professional School: MEDEX Northwest – University of Washington