

Urology Northwest

<p>Candidate Who can be referred?</p>	<p>Adults (18+)</p>						
<p>Work-up What is required?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Micro hematuria: Must have micro-urinalysis • Any masses: Imaging to confirm • ED: Must try and fail two medications 						
<p>Location Where will the patient be seen?</p>	<p>MultiCare Urology Northwest Located in Frank S. Baker Center on the corner of MLK 316 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Suite 312 Tacoma, WA 98405 Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm Phone hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4:30pm multicare.org/urology</p>						
<p>Services What clinical services and procedures are offered?</p>	<table border="0"> <tr> <td data-bbox="479 869 1019 1436"> <p>Treatable conditions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prostate cancer • Bladder cancer • Testicular cancer • Kidney cancer • Gross & micro hematuria • Testicular pain • BPH/enlarged prostate • Prostate nodule • Urinary retention • Urinary frequency • Urinary incontinence • Vasectomy • Erectile dysfunction • Kidney stone • Hydrocele • Recurrent UTI • Elevated PSA </td> <td data-bbox="1036 869 1305 961"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overactive bladder • Hematospermia • Premature ejaculation </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1036 995 1414 1024"> <p>Technology & on-site procedures</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1036 1031 1312 1402"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urethral dilation • Cystoscopy • Prostate biopsy • No-scalpel vasectomy • da Vinci robot • Laser lithotripsy • Shockwave lithotripsy • Reconstructive surgery • Prostate fusion biopsy • Rezum • Botox • Interstim </td> </tr> </table>	<p>Treatable conditions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prostate cancer • Bladder cancer • Testicular cancer • Kidney cancer • Gross & micro hematuria • Testicular pain • BPH/enlarged prostate • Prostate nodule • Urinary retention • Urinary frequency • Urinary incontinence • Vasectomy • Erectile dysfunction • Kidney stone • Hydrocele • Recurrent UTI • Elevated PSA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overactive bladder • Hematospermia • Premature ejaculation 	<p>Technology & on-site procedures</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urethral dilation • Cystoscopy • Prostate biopsy • No-scalpel vasectomy • da Vinci robot • Laser lithotripsy • Shockwave lithotripsy • Reconstructive surgery • Prostate fusion biopsy • Rezum • Botox • Interstim 	
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<p>Collaboration How will we coordinate care for the patient?</p>	<p>We offer same-day and next-day appointments for urgent needs. All other appointments will be scheduled within five to seven days. Our team uses the Epic electronic health record (EHR).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For physicians and professional providers using Epic, you'll be copied on all notes related to the patient. • For physicians and professional providers outside Epic, notes will be faxed to you. <p>Our physicians may be contacted at 253-403-0040.</p>						
<p>Referral How do we refer?</p>	<p>Courtesy referral is required for all patients.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Epic providers, refer to MultiCare Urology Northwest (Epic ID REF061). • Providers outside Epic, fax 253-272-5177 or call 253-403-0040. • TriCare, MedAdvantage, United Healthcare NPN and US Family Health plans require prior authorization. 						

Meet our specialists



Basil Ferenczi, MD

Professional school: Sidney Kimmel Medical College

Residency: Virginia Mason Medical Center, Urologic Surgery

Fellowship: City of Hope, Urologic Oncology and Robotic Surgery



Francis (Frank) Kim, MD

Professional school: University of Chicago

Internship & residency: Cornell Teaching Hospital

Certification: American Board of Urology

Professional training: Robotic surgery

Languages: English, Korean



Kevin Tsai, MD

Professional school: Jefferson Medical College

Internship & residency: University of Rochester

Professional training: Robotic surgery



Neal Olarte, PA-C

Professional school: Medex NW / University of Washington

Certification: Physician assistant