



Postmenopausal Bleeding

Pre-Referral Considerations:

1. Unless there is major trauma bleeding after 1 year of no menses requires pelvic with cervical cytology and then endometrial biopsy
2. The biopsy can be done in PCP office or after referral

Red Flags:

1. Consider imaging, alternate referral or emergent referral
2. Persistent bleeding despite negative workup, Low hemoglobin

Lab Studies:

1. CBC, if perimenopausal
2. Check Beta Human Chorionic Gonadotropin (B HCG) levels

Imaging Studies:

None

What to Avoid Ordering:

1. Routine transvaginal ultrasound
2. A normal endometrial stripe doesn't preclude need for biopsy. Leave this up to gynecologist