

## היחידה לאבחון מהיר של מחלות מורכבות

### The Unit for Rapid Diagnosis of Complex Diseases

*At Ichilov, we understand that the process of diagnosing a complex illness can be upsetting and exhausting.*

The medical diagnosis of symptoms can take a great deal of time – sometimes lasting weeks or even several months. The waiting period is critical to patients and their families and can make all the difference between a rapid return to routine and a real, severe impact on health and quality of life.

For this reason, we have established the Unit for Rapid Diagnosis of Complex Diseases at Ichilov Hospital.

#### The services we provide:

- ✓ The creation of a **personalized** diagnostic plan covering all stages of the work up until the final diagnosis is made.
- ✓ Treatment by the best senior specialists at the Tel Aviv Medical Center.
- ✓ Rapid and efficient service.
- ✓ Assistance in the full exercise of your rights.
- ✓ Emotional support by a dedicated team specialized in complex illnesses.

#### The service is provided free of charge.

#### Advantages of the Unit for Rapid Diagnosis:

Rapid diagnosis leads to precise care administered as early as possible, which can improve quality of life and significantly increase the chances of recovery, even from severe illnesses; at times, it can even be lifesaving.

Referral to the Unit avoids many delays as well as unnecessary and nerve-wracking waits.

#### Steps in the diagnostic process:

- ✓ Upon admission of the patient to the Unit for Rapid Diagnosis, an introductory and diagnostic conversation will be held with the coordinating nurse, at the end of which the diagnostic plan will be determined.
- ✓ The coordinating nurse will assist the patient in making appointments as soon as possible and provide support throughout the diagnostic process.
- ✓ Upon receipt of the test results and the diagnosis, the patient will be referred for further treatment at the Ichilov Medical Center and receive all the services required under one roof.

#### The team at the Unit:

Medical Director: Prof. Yitzhak Shapira.

Medical Consultant: Prof. Ido Wolf

Coordinating Nurse: Ms. Shira Namimi.

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- ✓ Patients who need translation services in foreign languages / sign language or accessibility services are asked to let us know when coordinating their appointment at the Unit for Rapid Diagnosis, and we will provide the desired service.