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## REFERRAL CRITERIA

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- Burns greater than 10% of total body surface area (TBSA)
- Full thickness burns greater than 5% of TBSA
- Circumferential burns of the limbs or chest
- Burns to special areas of the body – face, hands, feet, genitalia, perineum and major joints
- Burns in people with pre-existing medical disorders that could complicate management, prolong recovery, or increase mortality
- Burns in the very young or very old
- Burns with associated trauma
- Burns caused by non-accidental injury
- Burns with an associated inhalation injury
- Electrical burns
- Chemical burns