MEDICAL INVESTIGATION FOR STUDENTS WITH OR SUSPECTED EATING DISORDER:

Depending on how severe the student’s symptoms are alongside the disorderly behaviours and mindset, the following tests and investigation will serve to determine the suitability of student remaining at school, leaving for treatment or being admitted to an ED inpatient unit urgently:

Blood Pressure
Us and E’s
Calcium
Magnesium
Phosphate
Potassium
Urinalysis
ECG
Liver Function Test
Temperature
Serum proteins

Full Blood count (see attached sheet with explanation) Blood Pressure
• Plasma lipid profile
• Total Cholesterol
• HDL and LDL cholesterol levels
• Serum TSH levels
Fasting blood glucose levels

!!** Some tests may need to be carried out, regardless of the student’s BMI being below or above the healthy range, if we are to administer early intervention – ideal **!!