



Acute Services Model of Care

In order to meet the requirements of diabetes NSF Standard 8, acute services for people with diabetes should be reconfigured in order to prevent admissions, to promote early discharge and reduce readmission rates.

This includes rapid access outpatient service, telephone support services, review of all admitted patients by the specialist team, continuing care by the specialist team for those admitted directly due to diabetes, liaison with community services for effective discharge planning and an out reach service to support dependent patients in the community.

