

Newly Diagnosed Type 2 Diabetes, REQUIRING URGENT intervention (Symptomatic) pathway

Community / GP



G.P to call Hackney Diabetes Centre and send the patient to the HDC with letter (and insulin/ needles if needed). Hospital Admission/ A&E



Confirm Diabetes diagnosis with endocrine registrar/ diabetologist





Referral to Diabetes Specialist Nurse (DSN) on ward or at HDC

Assess patient and initiate treatment as per NICE guidance for Type 2 Diabetes

First Appointment

- What is Diabetes
- What care to expect
- Treatment initiation or review
- Glucometer teaching if applicable





REFER to

- 1. EDDI if English literate
- Diabetes Specialist Dietitian (DSD) at G.P practice if
 - Cannot attend EDDI
 - starting insulin therapy
 - Non-English speaking

If commencing OHA, referral to be seen by DSD in MOPD or at G.P clinic

3. Retinal screening

Follow up appointments with DSN

- Either at HDC OR GP clinic.
- If starting on insulin OR Sulphonylurea follow up to be given in 1 week

