

GIPPSLAND SUBACUTE CARE REFERRAL PATHWAYS GUIDE

Does the patient meet the criteria for Inpatient Subacute Care?
 The following link details the criteria.
 * [Criteria listed below / over page](#) *

Yes

No

Not appropriate for subacute referral.
 Consider other discharge planning options.

What level of care does the patient require?

Service Level 4
 Patient is able to actively participate in a Rehabilitation program
 Patient requires complex specialist care
 Patient may have some manageable acute conditions ongoing
 OR
 Patient may require specialist amputee rehabilitation

Service Level 3
 Patient is able to actively participate in a Rehabilitation program
 Patient does not require complex specialist care
 Patient is medically stable, and does not require any active complex medical management

Service Level 2
 Patient is medically stable, requiring no further medical interventions
 Patient does not require any active rehabilitation
 Patient is likely suitable for Maintenance Care Program
 Patient is able to complete and sign consent form to state understanding of program

Patient usually resides in Latrobe City

Patient usually resides in East Gippsland Shire

Patient usually resides in Wellington Shire

Patient usually resides in Baw Baw Shire

Patient usually resides in Bass Coast

Patient usually resides in South Gippsland

Referral to Latrobe Regional Hospital

Referral to Bairnsdale Regional Health Service

Referral to Central Gippsland Health Service

Referral to West Gippsland Healthcare Group
(GEM Program Only, Rehabilitation refer to LRH)

Referral to Bass Coast Health

Depending on the location within South Gippsland, if patient resides close to Latrobe City border, some may be referred to Latrobe Regional Hospital

Referral to Gippsland Southern Health Service Maintenance Care Program