

# HOSPITAL AT HOME



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ED

## IDENTIFY PATIENT:

Edinburgh city council resident  
Use criteria in H@H poster  
Patient and/or NOK consent

## CHECK AVAILABILITY:

Two slots daily in H@H clinic – please check and book your patient into this clinic if space allows

## BEFORE DISCHARGE:

1. Give H@H leaflet with our contact number to patient and/or NOK
2. Ensure a contact number for patient and/or NOK documented in your clinical note
3. Document all drugs given/changed in clinical note and give prescription chart of any IV antibiotics administered to patient to be kept at home

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H@H

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Nurse coordinator will check H@H clinic daily between 8 – 9am

They will review the case, if appropriate they will:

1. Admit to H@H ward and arrange review
2. Contact patient and/or NOK to confirm details of home assessment
3. Generate letter to GP informing of them of admission under H@H

Any patient felt not to be appropriate should be discussed with consultant of the day as soon as possible. They will arrange alternative follow up if required and complete a letter to GP

Please also keep details of these patients for review and feedback – in H@H diary\*