

# Discharge to Assess (D2A) Based on 2020 national guidelines

**Aims: To facilitate safe and timely discharge for patients.**

**To enable assessment and follow up in the most appropriate environment for patients.**

**To provide patient centred care.**

## Pathway 0

Less complex discharge, no formal input from health or social care needed once home. Including patients who return home with no change in their care needs.

## Pathway 1

Support to recover at home; able to return home with support from health and/or social care.

## Pathway 2

Rehabilitation or short-term care in a 24-hour bed-based setting.

## Pathway 3

Require ongoing 24-hour nursing care, often in a bedded setting. Long-term care is likely to be required for these individuals.

