

A Practical Guide to Implementing the
New NICE Guidance & Quality Standard on

Diabetic Foot Problems

Prevention and Management

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"If we can ensure patients with diabetes have the appropriate, high quality care they deserve across the country then we can prevent amputations,..There are several steps we can take to ensure this happens, one of which is to ensure that those presenting with active diabetic foot disease have rapid access to a multidisciplinary diabetic foot service. Higher mortality rates are thought to be related to heart disease and therefore we also need to ensure the all-round health of the patient is cared for, including addressing their overall cardiovascular disease risk." Professor Jonathan Valabhji, NHS England's National Clinical Director for Diabetes and Obesity

This conference focuses on improving practice in the prevention and management of diabetic foot problems including implementing the 2015 updated NICE guideline and Quality Standard, and the implementation of the May 2016 operational framework to improve care for patients with diabetic foot disease. Through national updates, extended focus sessions and practical case studies the conference will update delegates on best practice in improving the care of patients with and at risk of diabetic foot problems.

"More than 135 people with diabetes have a leg, foot or toe amputated each week. This is shocking, especially as four out of five of these amputations are preventable." Diabetes UK
"100 diabetes related amputations take place in the UK each week. 80% of these could be prevented if people were more aware of the risk and knew how to minimise it." NHS England 2015

10.00 Chair's welcome and Introduction

10.10 Implementing the updated NICE guidance on the Diabetic Foot

Rachel Berrington

Senior Diabetes Specialist Nurse - foot lead University Hospitals of Leicester
& Member Guideline Development Group, *Diabetic foot problems*, NICE

- practicalities and challenges for implementation
- the new guidance and quality standard: what has changed?
- how can we ensure care within 24 hours of a person with diabetic foot problems being admitted to hospital, or the detection of diabetic foot problems
- implementation in practice: our experience in Ipswich
- is it possible to eliminate avoidable amputations? Should we be looking at the zero tolerance approach that has worked for infection and pressure ulcers?

10.40 Putting Feet First: communicating the importance of diabetic foot care

Catherine Gooday

Implementation Group Member
Putting Feet First Implementation Group Diabetes UK
Principal Podiatrist Norfolk & Norwich University Hospitals NHS
Foundation Trust & Member
Guideline Development Group Diabetic foot problems NICE

- how do we educate people with diabetes know how to look after their feet and know what to expect from their health service
- ensuring local health services provide an integrated footcare pathway – the right treatment at the right time in the right place
- raising awareness in health professionals and in people with diabetes
- the Diabetes UK 'Putting Feet First Campaign'

11.10 Question and answers, followed by tea & coffee 11.20

11.45 Learning from the National Diabetes Foot Care Audit (NDFA)

Professor William Jeffcoate

Steering Group Chair
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- learning from the national diabetes foot care audit (NDFA)
- does referral and treatment comply with national recommended guidance?
- are the outcomes of treatment as good as they can be?
- using the findings to improve care at a local level

12.15 EXTENDED SESSION: Effective Risk Assessment and Identification of the at risk foot

Dr Matthew Young

Consultant Diabetologist
Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh
& Editor
Diabetic Foot Journal

- developing effective screening for early identification of problems
- risk assessment, risk stratification and identification of the foot at risk
- moving from risk assessment to action: ensuring appropriate referral
- developing effective foot protection services

13.00 Question and answers, followed by lunch at 13.10

14.00 EXTENDED SESSION: Types and management of active foot disease

Dr Marie-France Kong

Consultant Physician & Diabetologist,
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust

- types and management of active foot disease
- advanced assessment
- diabetic foot infections
- Charcot Neuroarthropathy in the Diabetic Foot
- management of painful neuropathy

14.45 EXTENDED SESSION: The principles of effective foot ulcer care

Tina Chambers

Immediate past Chair
Tissue Viability Society
Tissue Viability Consultant
Educator and Advisor

- effective management of foot ulcers
- TVN role within the multidisciplinary team
- what works? The evidence

15.30 Question and answers, followed by Tea & Coffee at 15.40

16.00 EXTENDED SESSION: Conducting and learning from Root Cause Analysis & Legal Update

Simon Robinson

Barrister Accredited Mediator
Five Paper Chambers

- developing your skills in effective root cause analysis and investigation
- conducting an effective root cause analysis for a foot amputation
- note keeping and legal implications
- learning from RCA

16.30 Questions and answers, followed by close at 16.40

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