Referrals/consent pathway – Prioritisation of referrals

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Neurology & Rehabilitation – Inpatients

HIGH

- New patients (stroke and neurological).
- Neurological patients with respiratory problems.
- Neurological patients that are falling or are at risk of falling.
- Patients needing assessment in preparation for discharge.

MEDIUM

- Rehabilitation on ITU or following ITU stay
- Progression of mobility to facilitate discharge
- Neurological patients (with tonal changes) at risk of losing joint ROM
- General progression of function and mobility in the rehabilitation phase

LOW

- Patients requiring maintenance exercise
- Patients awaiting Nursing Home placement
- Patients carrying out functional activities with nursing staff
- Patients that are medically unstable but could still have input