

Appendix 5: DCH Renovascular Access Pathway

Reno-Vascular Access Pathway

The aim of the pathway is to standardize care of all patient undergoing elective peritoneal or haemo dialysis access.

A shift in practice towards a single point of contact and co-ordination through the Renal Access Specialist Nurse role.

Removal of bureaucratic steps and an emphasis on rapid access with a move towards emed and email communication

Providing Access creation from referral in less than 4 week.

Improving education; governance, audit and accountability with an overarching reno-vascular MDT.

For urgent Access advice/ creation which cannot be dealt with inside this pathway please inform the Duty Vascular Surgeon on 07770813854.

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