

Flowchart for access to Diabetes Eye Screening

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Newly Diagnosed Diabetes or New to Practice with Existing Diabetes

Fill in Proforma. (Even if diagnosed whilst in hospital or new patient to the practice)

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Eye screening appointments are offered within 14 weeks of the date of diagnosis or if new to the practice if not already screened recently.

Patient attends screening appointment. GP and patient receive results within 6 weeks.

Patient DNR's first appointment and receives a letter stating they have missed an appointment and invites them to make another appointment.

If the patient DNR /DNA's a second invitation letter is sent. That states if they do not respond we will re-invite them in 1 year.

GP also receives a letter at this point the patient has DNR/DNA's twice and we will re-invite them in 1 year

Potential Outcomes

1. Annual re-screen
2. Refer to HES (Hospital Eye Services) for DR
3. Refer to HES for Non-DR
4. Re-screen in 3/6/9/12 months in Digital Surveillance clinic as the patient has DR but doesn't Require care by HES. Images and Grade discussed with Patient as well as Risk factors.
5. Refer for Slit lamp biomicroscopy