

Evaluation of Blacktown Australian Better Health Initiative Integration Project in Improving Continuity of Care in Chronic Cardiac, Respiratory and Aged Care Patients

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Status RECRUITING
Sponsor WentWest Ltd
Enrollment 100 participants

Plain Language Summary

This study is looking at how a care coordination program in Blacktown (NSW) affects the health of people with chronic heart, lung, or aged care conditions who are at high risk of coming back to hospital. Care navigators help guide patients through the healthcare system — from the emergency department to community services — to try to keep them healthier and out of hospital. The study will track hospital visits and how well community health services are working for these patients.

You may be eligible if:

- You have been admitted to Blacktown Hospital with a chronic heart or lung condition, or need aged care
- You have been identified as high risk of returning to hospital
- You received support from a care navigator during your hospital stay
- You live in the greater Blacktown area
- You are 18 years of age or older

You may NOT be eligible if:

- You are under 18 years of age (unless you have a chronic illness requiring aged care)

Talk to your doctor about whether this trial might be right for you.

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (1)

- Patients who present to Blacktown hospital with chronic cardiac, chronic respiratory or aged care and are classed high-risk of re-presentation to hospital and have had some form of care co-ordination from a care navigator in the emergency department or ward during their admission. Patients must also reside in the greater Blacktown area.

Exclusion (1)

- Patients under 18 years of age that are not chronically ill or not requiring aged care.

Locations (1 total)

Australia

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