The management of diabetic ketoacidosis in adults.

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Overview

Guideline Objective

To advise the treatment and management of diabetic ketoacidosis (DKA) in adults

Patient Population

- Adult inpatients with DKA
- Inpatients aged 16-18 years admitted to an adult unit with DKA

Recommendations

Recommendation Statements

Major interventions covered in this guideline include:

- Diagnosis interventions
- Management with fluid administration, insulin therapy, metabolic treatment targets, and intravenous glucose concentrations
- Treatment of complications
- Management in people with end stage renal failure or on dialysis

Note: Full recommendation statements have not been provided because this guideline does not meet EGT's systematic review of the evidence criteria. Refer to the original guideline for more information.

Evidence Rating Scheme

Refer to the original guideline documentation for more information.

Recommendation Rating Scheme

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Related Content

Supporting Documents

No supporting documents available.

Implementation Tools

- Intravenous Insulin Prescription and Fluid Protocol for Diabetic Ketoacidosis (DKA); 2018 Apr.
- Condensed Adult Diabetic Ketoacidosis (DKA) Management Chart; 2017 Aug.
- Nursing Management for Diabetic Ketoacidosis (DKA) Supplement; 2022 Dec.
- Diabetic Ketoacidosis: A Practical Guide to the Nursing Care Processes; 2022 Dec.

Patient Education

No patient education materials available.

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