

STROKE DISTINCTION: ACUTE ISCHEMIC STROKE CARE PATHWAY

The Canadian Stroke Best Practice Recommendations and the Stroke Distinction Standards give clear guidance for the **delivery of care in the early stages of the continuum of care**.

The Acute Stroke Management recommendations are found: Acute Stroke Management

The Stroke Distinction Standards are available by request: provincialstrokecoordinator@ihis.org

EARLY PHASES OF STROKE CARE

The **Acute Ischemic Stroke Care Pathway** contains the essential components for the early phases of stroke care – *Emergency Phase, Post Thrombolytics, Acute Care Phase* – including:

- Assessment (Observations/Measurements)
- Diagnostics/Laboratory
- Treatments/Interventions
- Medications
- Mobility/Activity
- Patient Safety Cues
- Nutrition
- Consults
- Psychosocial Support/Education
- Transition Planning



For details regarding the present Acute Ischemic Stroke Care Pathway visit: <u>Health PEI OSCP</u> at the Hyperacute Acute Unit tab

Questions Surveyors May Ask Staff:

What is your role in acute ischemic stroke care?

Where do you find information regarding acute stroke care?

Please contact provincialstrokecoordinator@ihis.org for more information.