

Stroke and Transient Ischaemic Attack (TIA):



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Act FAST - Make Every Contact Count

New toolkit and e-learning to support community pharmacy in recognising risk, responding confidently, to improve patient outcomes



WHY THIS MATTERS

- Stroke is a leading cause of adult disability – 80% are preventable
- Pharmacy plays a vital frontline role in managing risk and supporting prevention
- Early recognition and rapid action can save lives and reduce long-term disability
- Effective medicines management improves patient quality of life and outcomes



WHAT'S IN THE TOOLKIT AND E-LEARNING?

- Clear guidance on recognising stroke and TIA – Act FAST
- Immediate management advice and when to escalate urgently
- Post-stroke care and secondary prevention support
- Local Greater Manchester pathways and referral guidance
- Tips to better support patients with hidden disabilities including cognition and communication needs
- Information has been tailored to community pharmacy needs

Scan the QR code to access the toolkit and free e-learning package



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