

## **Stroke care after leaving the hospital**

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Recovery after a stroke can take a long time and is different from one person to another. After leaving the hospital, your family member may have returned to their home, or been moved to a transitional care bed program or long-term care home. If you notice an improvement in your family member's condition, contact the doctor providing care to your family member.

The doctor can send a referral to the Stroke Navigator at the Hamilton General Hospital. The Stroke Navigator will discuss the referral with your family doctor and stroke doctors. The stroke doctors will determine if ongoing care and management will help improve your family member's recovery.

If you have questions, please contact the Stroke Navigator.

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