

# The Roles and Responsibilities of Care Coordinators in DHC

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# Care Coordinator (CC)

- Who is s/she?
- What does s/he do?
- Who isn't s/he?
- What does s/he not do?

# Key questions

- Why DHC?
- Why the involvement of different stakeholders?
- Why CC?

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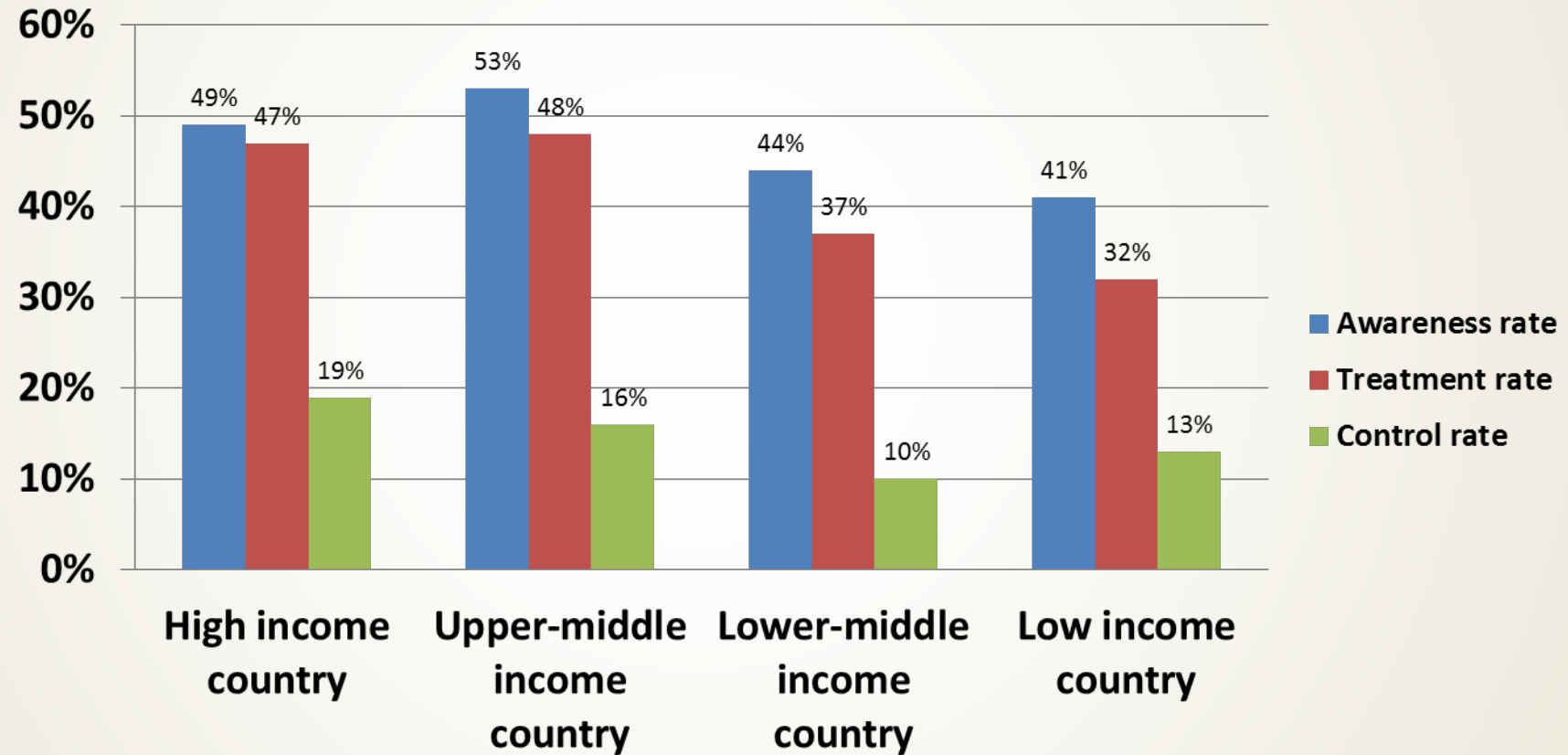
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**Table 1: Prevalence of hypertension in Hong Kong by age groups<sup>2</sup>**

Age Group (Years)	Self-reported, doctor diagnosed hypertension (%)	Undiagnosed but measured (%)	Total (%)
15-24	1.0	3.4	4.5
25-34	0.4	5.2	5.6
35-44	3.9	11.3	15.2
45-54	10.5	16.2	26.7
55-64	27.0	19.4	46.4
65-84	43.8	20.9	64.8
All age groups	14.6	13.2	27.7

# Hypertension

Rates of awareness, treatment, and control in different regions



(Chow et al., 2013)



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Primary care is the first point of contact in the healthcare system and is easily accessible to the majority of the population. With support and training, primary care practitioners form an invaluable workforce in the community to deliver coordinated care to hypertensive patients, especially those with clinically stable conditions and to identify high risk subjects for referral to other experts. By applying the principles of family medicine and working in partnership with other healthcare professionals such as dietitians, nurses, occupational therapists, optometrists, pharmacists and physiotherapists, primary care practitioners are in a prime position to provide patient-centered, continuing and comprehensive care taking into account individual patients' needs and values.



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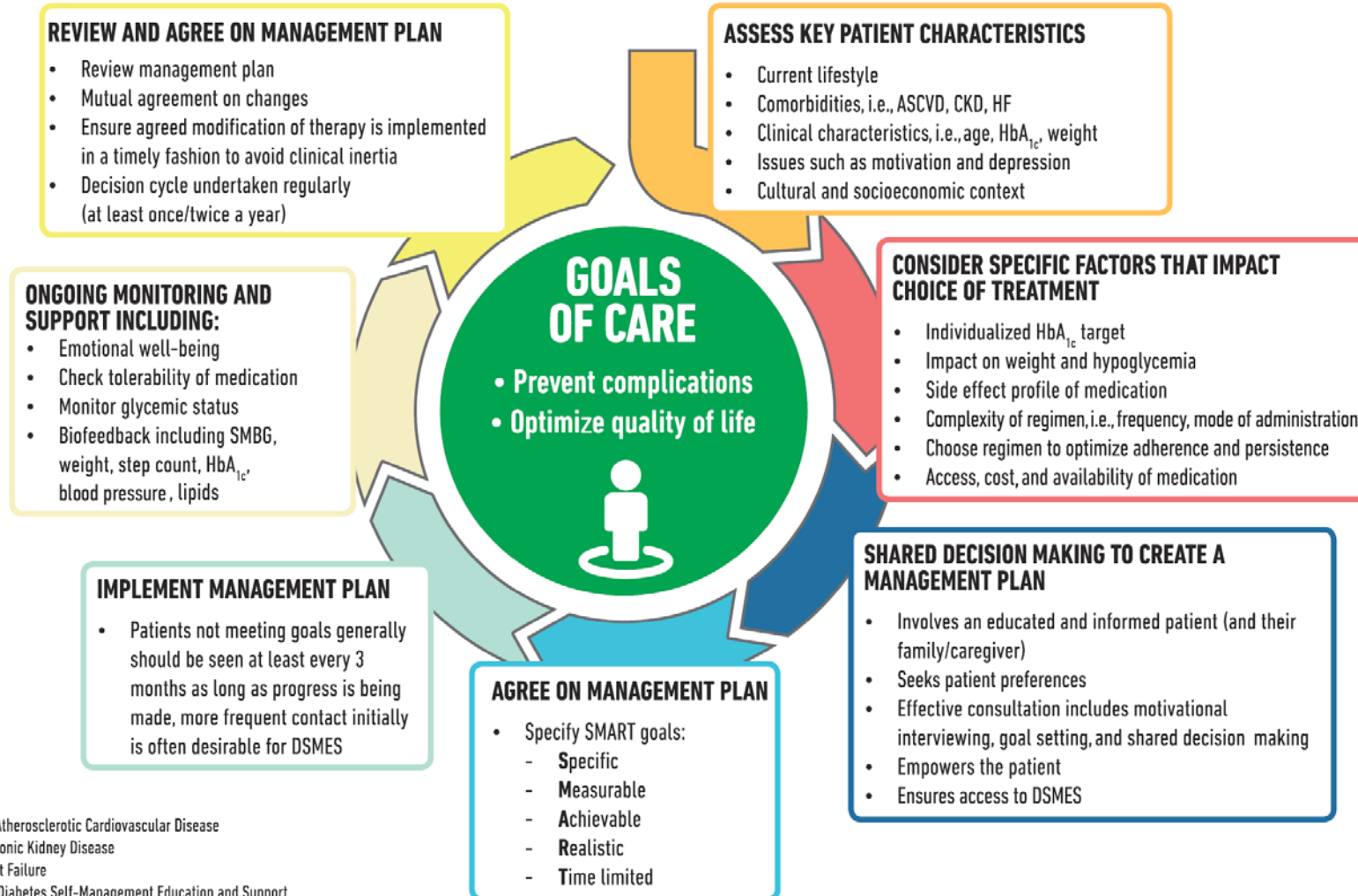


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# Standards of Medical Care in Diabetes—2019 Abridged for Primary Care Providers

American Diabetes Association



ASCVD = Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease

CKD = Chronic Kidney Disease

HF = Heart Failure

DSMES = Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support

SMBG = Self-Monitored Blood Glucose

**FIGURE 1.** Decision cycle for patient-centered glycemic management in type 2 diabetes. Adapted from Davies MJ, D'Alessio DA, Fradkin J, et al. *Diabetes Care* 2018;41:2669–2701.

**ESC**European Society  
of CardiologyEuropean Heart Journal (2018) 39, 3021–3104  
doi:10.1093/eurheartj/ehy339**ESC/ESH GUIDELINES**

## 2018 ESC/ESH Guidelines for the management of arterial hypertension

The Task Force for the management of arterial hypertension of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) and the European Society of Hypertension (ESH)

### New concepts

#### BP measurement

- **Wider use of out-of-office BP measurement with ABPM and/or HBPM, especially HBPM**, as an option to confirm the diagnosis of hypertension, detect white-coat and masked hypertension, and monitor BP control.

#### Less conservative treatment of BP in older and very old patients

- **Lower BP thresholds and treatment targets for older patients**, with emphasis on considerations of biological rather than chronological age (i.e. the importance of frailty, independence, and the tolerability of treatment).
- Recommendation that **treatment should never be denied or withdrawn on the basis of age**, provided that treatment is tolerated.

#### A SPC treatment strategy to improve BP control

- **Preferred use of two-drug combination** therapy for the initial treatment of most people with hypertension.
- **A single-pill treatment strategy for hypertension** with the preferred use of SPC therapy for most patients.
- **Simplified drug treatment algorithms** with the preferred use of an ACE inhibitor or ARB, combined with a CCB and/or a thiazide/thiazide-like diuretic, as the core treatment strategy for most patients, with beta-blockers used for specific indications.

#### New target ranges for BP in treated patients

- **Target BP ranges for treated patients** to better identify the recommended BP target and **lower safety boundaries for treated BP**, according to a patient's age and specific comorbidities.

#### Detecting poor adherence to drug therapy

- A strong emphasis on the **importance of evaluating treatment adherence** as a major cause of poor BP control.

#### A key role for nurses and pharmacists in the longer-term management of hypertension

- **The important role of nurses and pharmacists** in the education, support, and follow-up of treated hypertensive patients is emphasized as part of the overall strategy to improve BP control.



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**Table 6** Risk modifiers increasing cardiovascular risk estimated by the Systemic COronary Risk Evaluation (SCORE) system<sup>35</sup>

Social deprivation, the origin of many causes of CVD
Obesity (measured by BMI) and central obesity (measured by waist circumference)
Physical inactivity
Psychosocial stress, including vital exhaustion
Family history of premature CVD (occurring at age <55 years in men and <60 years in women)
Autoimmune and other inflammatory disorders
Major psychiatric disorders
Treatment for infection with human immunodeficiency virus
Atrial fibrillation
LV hypertrophy
CKD
Obstructive sleep apnoea syndrome

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BMI = body mass index; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CVD = cardiovascular disease; LV = left ventricular.

## Lifestyle interventions for patients with hypertension or high-normal BP

Recommendations	Class <sup>a</sup>	Level <sup>b</sup>
Salt restriction to <5 g per day is recommended. <sup>248,250,255,258</sup>	I	A
It is recommended to restrict alcohol consumption to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Less than 14 units per week for men.</li> <li>• Less than 8 units per week for women.<sup>35</sup></li> </ul>	I	A
It is recommended to avoid binge drinking.	III	C
Increased consumption of vegetables, fresh fruits, fish, nuts, and unsaturated fatty acids (olive oil); low consumption of red meat; and consumption of low-fat dairy products are recommended. <sup>262,265</sup>	I	A
Body-weight control is indicated to avoid obesity (BMI >30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> or waist circumference >102 cm in men and >88 cm in women), as is aiming at healthy BMI (about 20–25 kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) and waist circumference values (<94 cm in men and <80 cm in women) to reduce BP and CV risk. <sup>262,271,273,290</sup>	I	A
Regular aerobic exercise (e.g. at least 30 min of moderate dynamic exercise on 5–7 days per week) is recommended. <sup>262,278,279</sup>	I	A
Smoking cessation, supportive care, and referral to smoking cessation programs are recommended. <sup>286,288,291</sup>	I	B

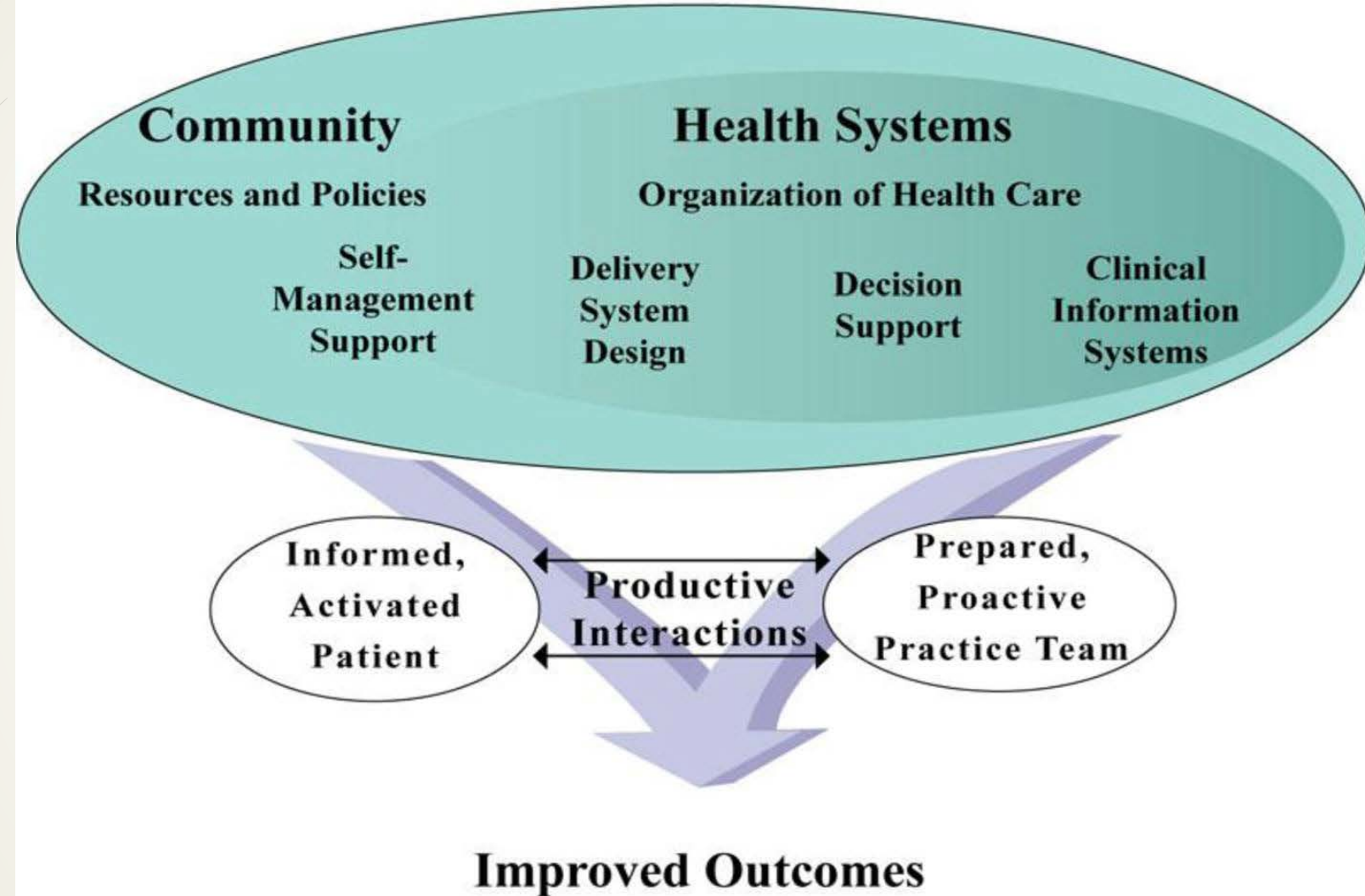
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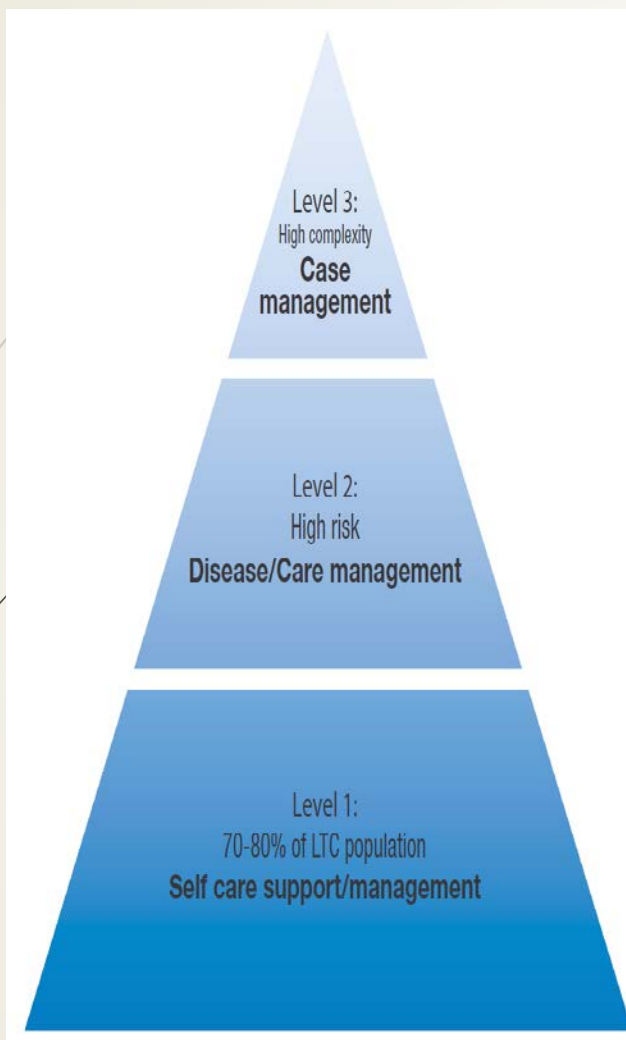
BMI = body mass index; BP = blood pressure; CV = cardiovascular.

<sup>a</sup>Class of recommendation.

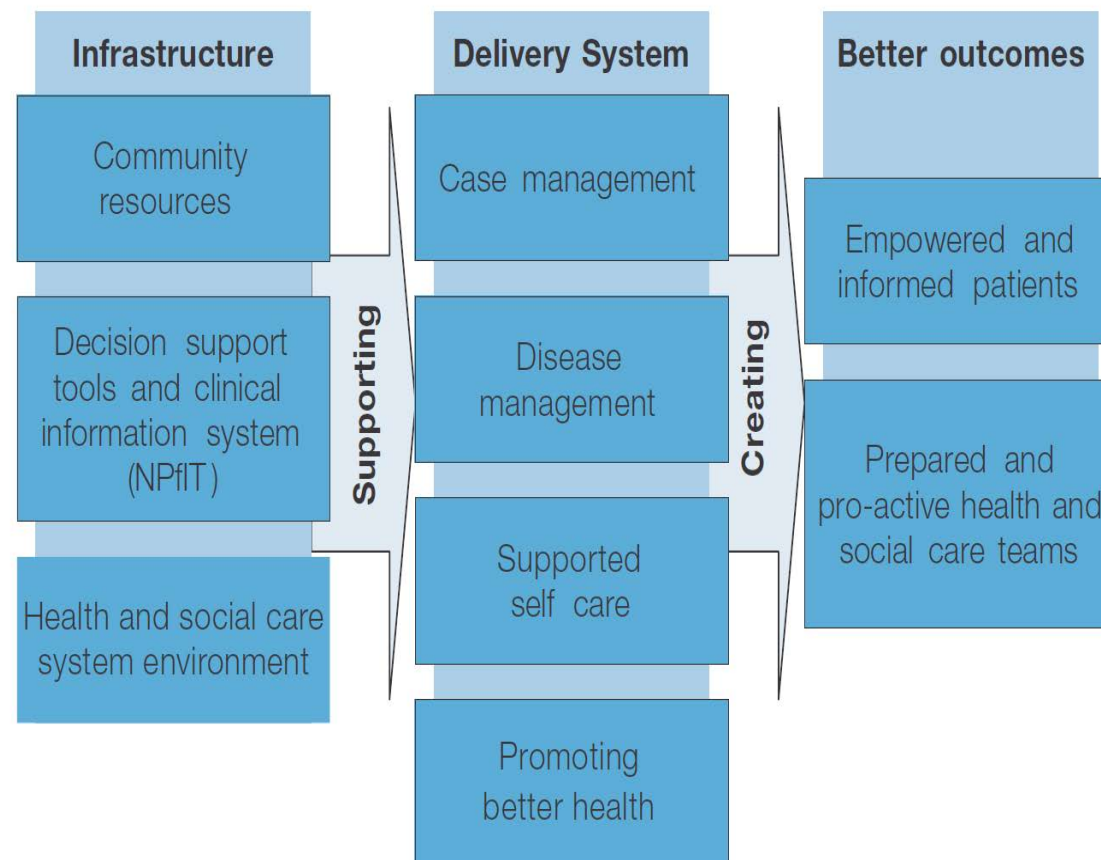
<sup>b</sup>Level of evidence mostly based on the effect on BP and/or CV risk profile.

# The Chronic Care Model





## The NHS and Social Care Long Term Conditions Model



# Hong Kong


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**18 October 2018**

## **District Health Ecosystem**

- (a) Greater policy co-ordination and service consolidation:**
- (b) Promoting health management and holistic primary care:**
- (c) Greater emphasis on continuity and integration of care:**





**(A) RE-ORGANISING THE PRIMARY HEALTHCARE SYSTEM**

**(B) ESTABLISHMENT OF DHCS IN ALL DISTRICTS**

**(C) ENHANCING MEDICAL-SOCIAL COLLABORATION**

**(D) CONNECTING STAKEHOLDERS THROUGH ELECTRONIC PLATFORM**

**(E) STRENGTHENING MANPOWER AND TRAINING**

**(F) PUBLIC EDUCATION AND PARADIGM SHIFT**



# An experience in Guangzhou

# Research site

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- A community health center (CHC) in Guangdong, China
- 100,000 residents
- ≈23,000 (23%) hypertensive patients (Song & Meng, 2009)
- ≈10% hypertensive patients had healthcare records established

Chronic Care Model (Wagner, 1998)	Four-Cs Model (Wong, 2005)	NHM model	Outcome
Self-management support		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A self-management booklet: knowledge and skills</li> <li>• Behaviour contract</li> <li>• Health promotion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BP</li> <li>• Self-care behavior</li> <li>• Self-efficacy</li> <li>• QoL</li> <li>• Utilization of healthcare service</li> <li>• Patient satisfaction</li> </ul>
Decision support		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intervention protocols</li> <li>• A 36-hour training program</li> <li>• Regular meetings</li> </ul>	
Delivery system design	Comprehensiveness Collaboration Coordination Continuity	A nurse-led hypertension management team: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home visit</li> <li>• Telephone follow-up</li> <li>• Referral</li> </ul>	
Clinical information system		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health records</li> <li>• The Omaha System (Martin, 2005; Wong et al., ?nd)</li> </ul>	



# Development of the NHM model

## Protocol-based intervention:

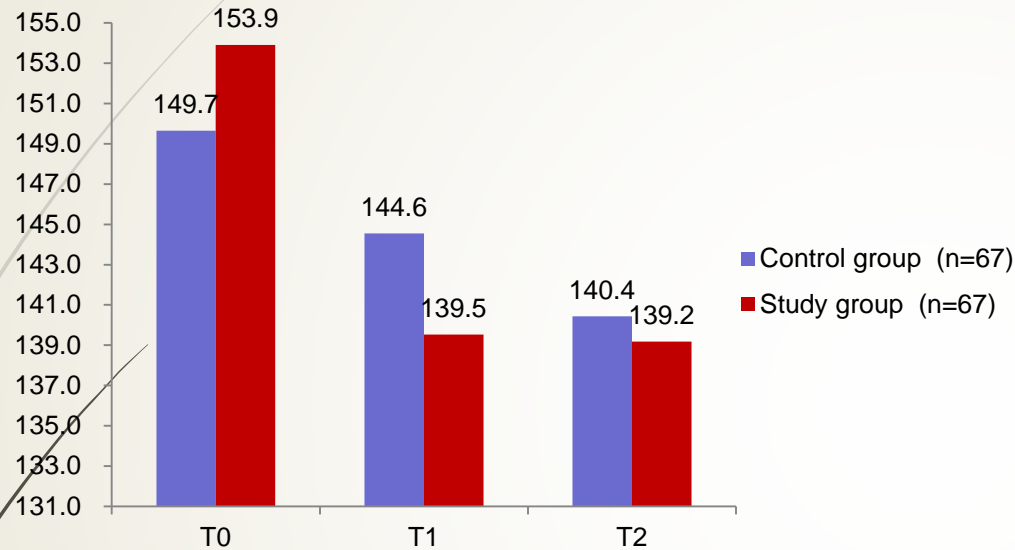
- Training protocol
- Protocol of home visit
- Protocol of telephone follow-up
- Protocol of assessment
- Protocol of intervention
- Protocol of referral

## Protocols were developed based on :

- Literature review
- Guidelines for hypertension management
- Expert consultant
- Pilot study (Zhu et al., 2014)



# Results

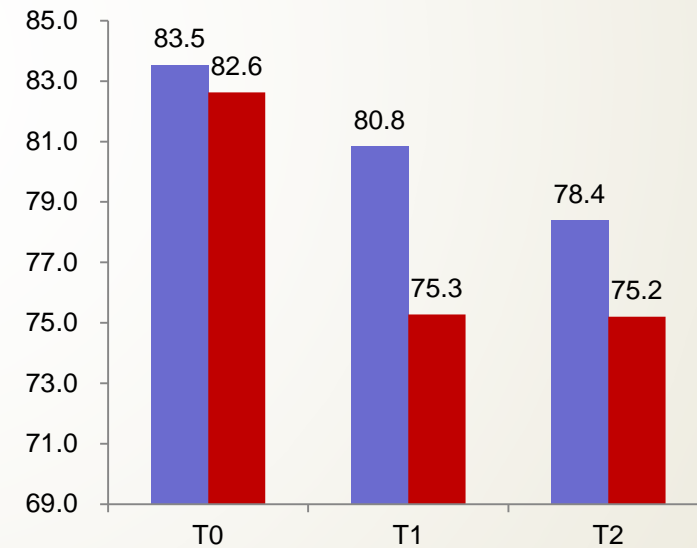


SBP readings in the control group and the study group at three time points

T0: at recruitment

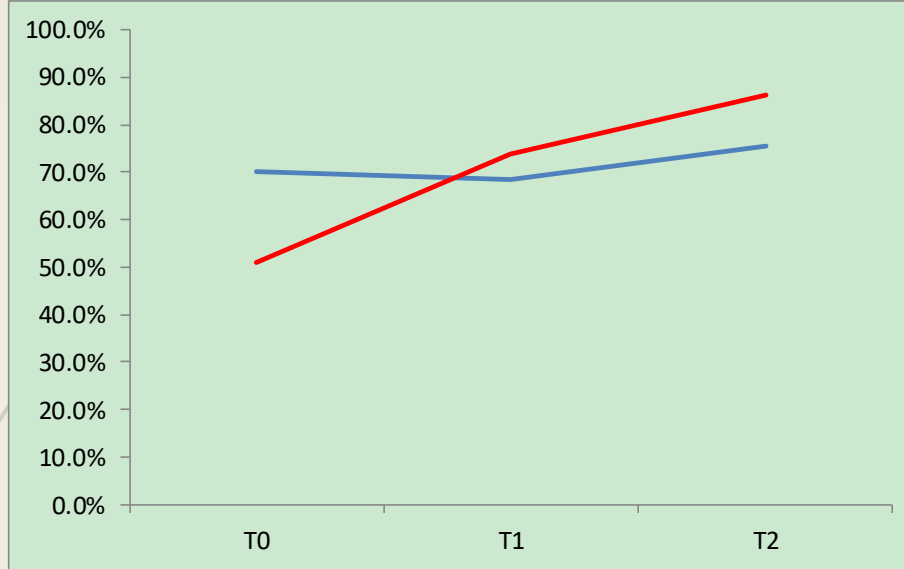
T1: immediately after intervention

T2: 4 weeks after intervention

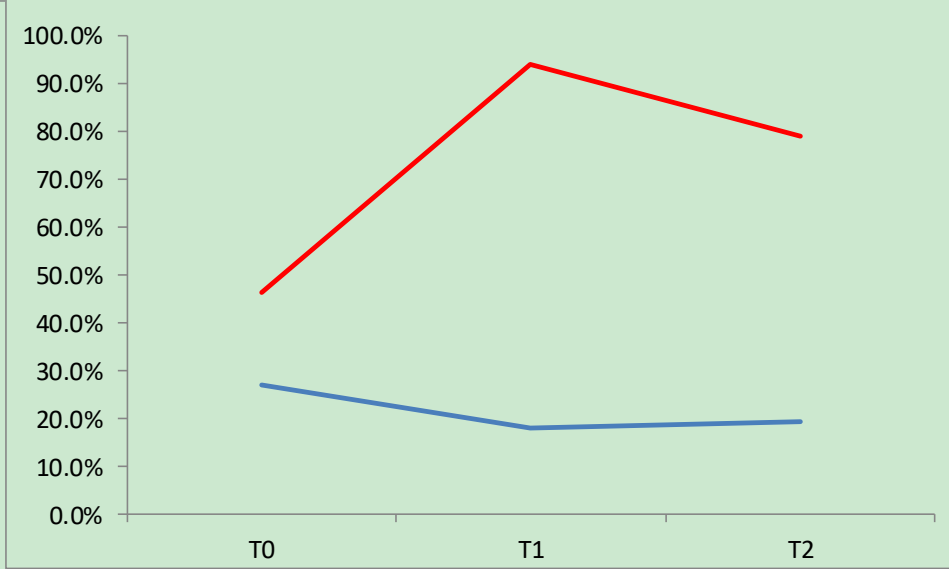


DBP readings in the control group and the study group at three time points

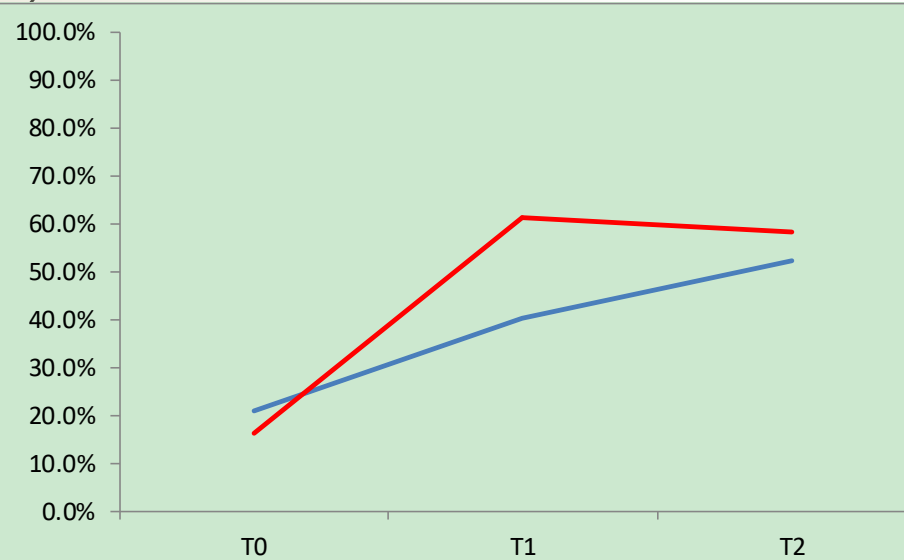
**Adherence rate of anti-hypertensive drug**



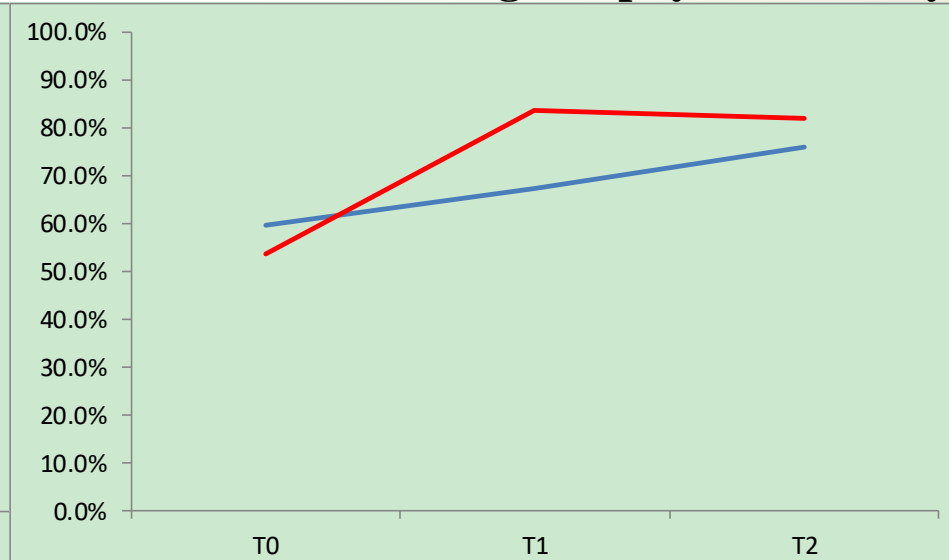
**Adherence rate of home BP monitoring**



**Adherence rate of salt restriction**

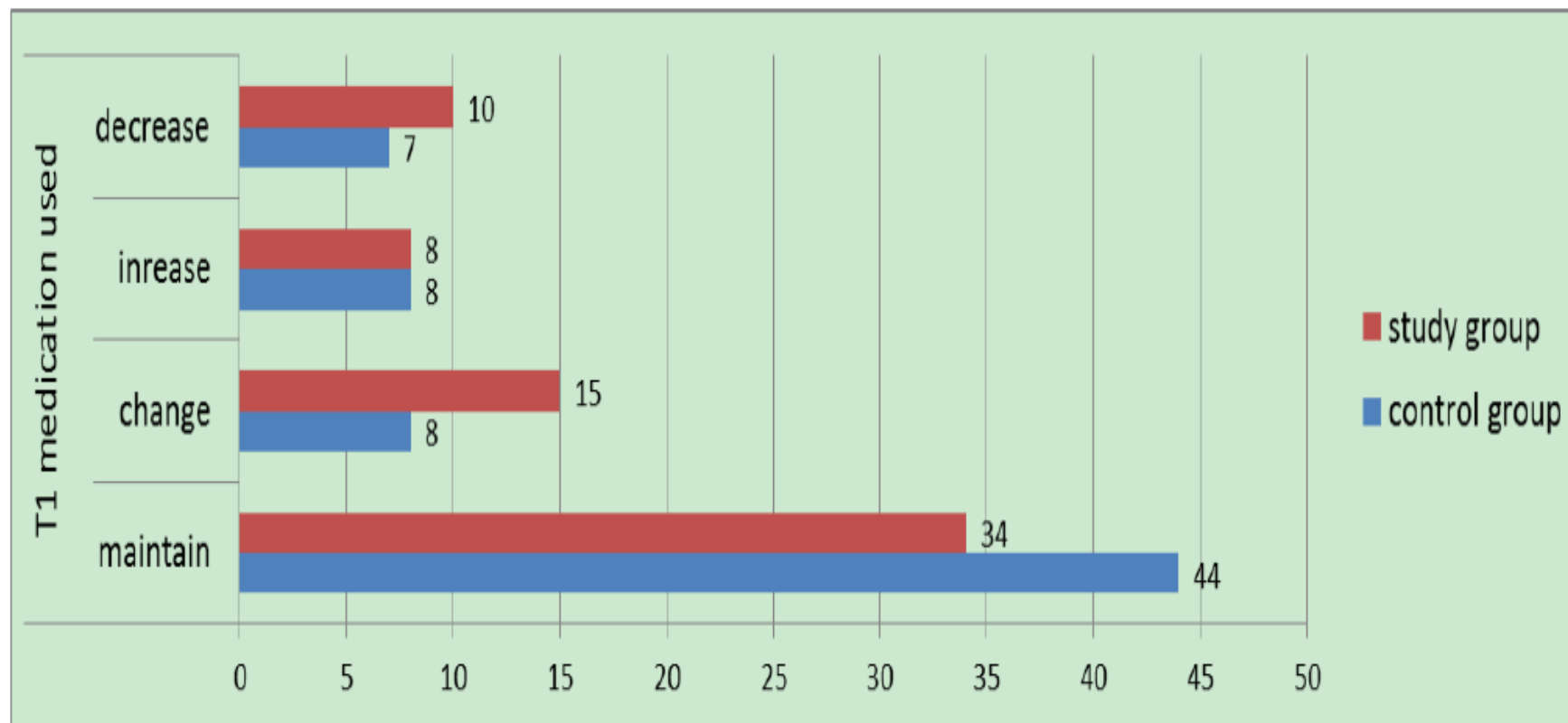


**Adherence rate of regular physical activity**



Adherence rate in the two groups at three time points

**Table 4.15 Comparison of pharmacological treatment from T0 to T1 for the study group and the control group**

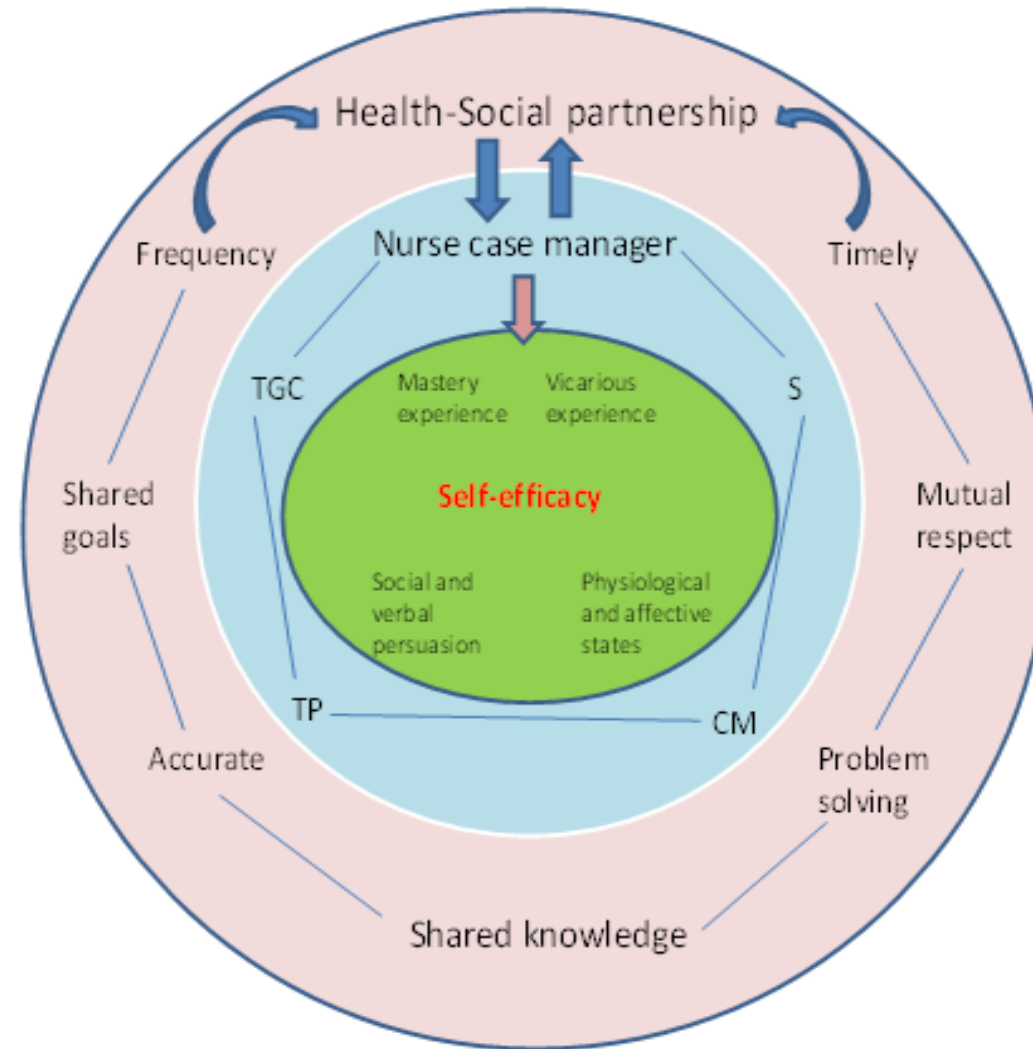


T0 = baseline, T1 = 12 weeks after recruitment





# An experience in Hong Kong





# The Omaha System

Solving the Clinical Data-Information Puzzle



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## Omaha System

	Problems	Health-focussed	Social-focussed	Health-social Partnership
Environ-mental	1. Income		√	
	2. Sanitation			√
	3. Residence			√
	4. Neighborhood/workplace safety		√	
Psychosocial	5. Communication with community resources		√	
	6. Social contact		√	
	7. Role change		√	
	8. Interpersonal relationship		√	
	9. Spirituality			√
	10. Grief		√	
	11. Mental health			√
	12. Sexuality			√
	13. Caretaking/ Parenting			√
	14. Neglect			√
	15. Abuse			√
	16. Growth and development			√
Physiological	17. Hearing	√		
	18. Vision	√		
	19. Speech and language	√		
	20. Oral health	√		
	21. Cognition	√		
	22. Pain	√		
	23. Consciousness	√		
	24. Skin	√		
	25. Neuro-musculo-skeletal function	√		
	26. Respiration	√		
	27. Circulation	√		
	28. Digestion-hydration	√		
	29. Bowel function	√		
	30. Urinary function	√		
	31. Reproductive function	√		
	32. Communicable/ Infectious condition	√		
Health Related Behaviour	33. Nutrition			√
	34. Sleep and rest patterns			√
	35. Physical activity			√
	36. Personal care			√
	37. Substance use			√
	38. Health care supervision	√		
	39. Medication regimen	√		



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# Case 1



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**A. 個人資料 Demographic data—Personal information**

1. 性別: ☐ 男 ☒ 女
2. 年齡: 91
3. 婚姻狀況: ☐ 未婚 ☐ 已婚 ☐ 離婚 ☒ 喪偶
4. 你的最高教育程度是: ☒ 沒正式接受教育 ☐ 小學或以下 ☐ 中學  
☐ 專上學院/大學 ☐ 其他 (請註明) \_\_\_\_\_
5. 職業: ☐ 全職 ☐ 兼職 ☐ 待業 ☒ 退休
6. 你現在的居所是: ☐ 整個單位 ☒ 一房間/劏房 ☐ 籠屋 ☐ 其他  
(請註明) \_\_\_\_\_
7. 你的居住狀況: ☒ 獨居 ☐ 兩老雙居 ☐ 與家人同住
8. 你覺得你的經濟狀況如何? ☐ 足夠有餘 ☒ 剛剛足夠應付日常開支  
☐ 不足夠應付日常開支 ☐ 十分不足夠
9. 你的經濟主要來源是? ☐ 自己的薪水 ☐ 家人提供 ☐ 個人積蓄  
☐ 退休金/長俸 ☒ 綜合援助 ☐ 高齡津貼  
☐ 傷殘津貼 (\$1580/月) ☐ 高傷殘津貼 (\$3160/月)  
☐ 其他 (請註明) \_\_\_\_\_
10. 有那些人會照顧你? (可選多項) ☒ 自己 ☐ 配偶 ☐ 兄弟姊妹  
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12/9/2016

1 血壓：\_146/83\_\_\_\_\_毫米水銀

2 脈膊：\_\_\_\_\_93\_\_\_\_\_/分鐘

3 體溫：\_37.2\_\_\_\_\_攝氏

4 身高：\_\_\_\_\_1.42\_\_\_\_\_/米

5 體重：\_\_\_\_\_36.7\_\_\_\_\_/千克

6 身高體重指數 (BMI): \_\_\_\_\_18.2\_\_\_\_\_

7 血糖：\_\_\_\_\_12.6 (2 hours post breakfast )\_\_\_\_\_

8 含氧量: \_\_\_\_\_97\_\_\_\_\_%(RA\_)



## Medical consultant referral form

To: 西九龍 GOPD Dr

Cc:

### Part A: Personal Information

Date: 6/10/2016

Time: 1100

Name: 蔡 XX

Gender : Female

Age: 91

Phone number: 2xxxxxxx

### Part B: Present Condition

Reason for referral:

Home care visited client on 12/9/2016 morning .  
H'stix 12.6 mmol/L on 12/9 ( 2 hrs post meal )  
No history of DM .  
Son was informed on 13/9 about the high blood glucose level .  
However , son preferred to keep observe .  
Her son phoned call on 6/10 and asked for an referral letter to attend GOPD  
For medical consultation .  
Past health history good . No history of DM/HT .

Blood pressure: 146 / 83  
mmHg

Pulse: 93 beats/min

SpO<sub>2</sub>: 97 % ( RA )

RR: 20 breaths/min

Temp: 36.7 °C

GCS: 15 /15

ADL Independent

Principal Problem: Spot H'stix 12.6 (2 hrs post meal ) on 12/9/16

Medical history:

No history of DM

Previous medications: Enervoc C tab 1 daily , Calperos D3 tab 1 daily , Enzyplex tab 1 TDS ,  
Panadol 500 mg po PRN , Pepcidine 20mg Daily po

Allergies: Not known

Referring Person: \_Yuen Fung Ki Francis \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_Registered Nurse \_\_

Contact number: \_\_\_\_97112211\_\_\_\_



Research code : \_\_0126\_\_

OMAHA System for case management (NF-OS2) Date of home visit: \_12/9/16 , 29/11/16\_\_

Date of telephone follow-up: \_19/9/16 , 4/11/16\_\_

Problem classification									Intervention			Problem rating for Outcome			
DOMAIN	Problems or Concepts	Actual problem (Briefly describe the patient's needs & strength)	Modifiers		Problem rating							DATE	Knowledge ( 1 – 5 )	Behavior ( 1 – 5 )	Status ( 1 – 5 )
			Health promotion Actual or Potential	Individual; family; or community	DATE	Knowledge ( 1 – 5 )	Behavior ( 1 – 5 )	Status ( 1 – 5 )	Categories 1. Teaching, guidance, & counseling 2. Treatments & procedure 3. Case management 4. Surveillance	Target(s) & Client-specific information	DATE				
Behavior	33. Nutrition	Hyperglyceamia , H'stix 12.6 mmol/L (2 hours post breakfast on 12/9/16 )  No history of DM in the past	Actual	Individual	12 /9/ 16	2	3	3	1,2,3,4  Client had attended 西九龍 GOPD on 9/10/2016  Fasting blood has taken on 10/10/2016 with normal finding ( Fasting blood sugar 5.6 )	Advise client to have low sugar diet and low salt diet Refer social worker to follow ( refer GOPD for DR consultation by MSW )	29 /1 1	4	4	4	



29/11/2016

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4 身高：\_\_1.42\_\_ / 米

5 體重：\_\_37.8\_\_ / 千克

6 身高體重指數 (BMI): \_\_18.7\_\_

7 血糖：7.1 ( 0.5 hr post meal )\_\_

8 含氧量: \_\_95\_\_ % (RA)







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長者編號: 0580

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### 老人抑鬱短量表 Geriatric Depression Scale short-form / GDS short-form

以下的問題是人們對一些事物的感受，答案沒有對與不對。在過去一星期內，你是否曾有以下的感受。如有的話，請 ✓「是」，若無的話，請 ✓「否」。

問題	是	否
1. 你基本上對自己的生活感到滿意嗎？		1 ✓
2. 你是否已放棄了很多以往的活動和嗜好？	1 ✓	
3. 你是否覺得生活空虛？	1 ✓	
4. 你是否常常感到煩悶？	1 ✓	
5. 你是否很多時感到心情愉快呢？		1 ✓
6. 你是否害怕將會有不好的事情發生在你身上呢？	1 ✓	
7. 你是否大部份時間感到快樂呢？		1
8. 你是否常常感到無助？	1 ✓	
9. 你是否寧願留在院舍/屋企裡，而不出外做些有新意的 事情？	1 ✓	
10. 你是否覺得你比大多數人有多些記憶的問題呢？	1 ✓	
11. 你認為現在活著是一件好事嗎？		1 ✓
12. 你是否覺得自己現在一無是處呢？	1 ✓	
13. 你是否感到精力充足？		1
14. 你是否覺得自己的處境無望？	1 ✓	
15. 你覺得大部份人的境況比自己好嗎？	1 ✓	
總分		13

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### Social Care Referral Form

To: 長者鄰舍中心 (祖堯村)

Cc :

Name of Referee: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: 92

Gender: Female

Marital Status: Married

Education level: Primary

Telephone number: 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: 祖堯村 \_\_\_\_\_ 樓 \_\_\_\_\_ 室 \_\_\_\_\_

Type of accommodation: Room

Financial Support: HDA 和長者生活津貼

Name of carer: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship with referee: Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for referral: Client had depression ( GDS 12/15 ). Client expressed helplessness and felt being a burden to her husband . She needed to be taken care by her husband including bathing, going to toilet and walking outdoor.

She thought that life is suffering. She had 厭世 feeling on and off with No concrete suicidal plan.

Carer stress ( Husband felt stress in taking care of client ). 兩老相依為命, 無子女, No brother and sister in HK.

Poor social support

Psychological counseling

Home care support

Community resources

☐ Undesirable habits (Anti-social behavior/ Heavy smoking/ Alcoholism/ Drug addiction/ Gambling/ Others: \_\_\_\_\_\*)

☐ Poor living environment and hygiene

☐ Family support and social support

☒ Daily living assistance and caring arrangements

☐ Lack of community services information

☐ Violent/ Aggressive behavior

☒ Depression (GDS ≥ 8)

☐ Suicidal tendency

Referring Person: \_\_\_\_\_ ; Yuen \_\_\_\_\_ Position: Registered nurse \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: 97 \_\_\_\_\_

#### Follow up record (Filled by social worker or staff in community center):

Any action done:

Name of staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please circle as appropriate

Please send the completed form to [arkers.wong@polyu.edu.hk](mailto:arkers.wong@polyu.edu.hk)

## Medical consultant referral form

To: 下葵涌 GOPD

Cc:

### Part A: Personal Information

Date: 8/8/2017	Time: 1600
Name: 梁	
Gender: Female	
Age: 92	
Phone number: 2	

### Part B: Present Condition

Reason for referral:	Home care visited client on 7/8/2017 Client had hearing deficit of both ears. Please kindly arrange hearing test.
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Blood pressure: 140 /57	mmHg	Pulse: 53	beats/min
SpO <sub>2</sub> : 98	% ( RA )	RR: 20	breaths/min
Temp: 36.7	°C	GCS: 15	/15
ADL	Walk		

Principal Problem: Hearing deficit of both ears.

Medical history: H/T , Depression

Previous medications:

Allergies:

Referring Person: Yuen F

Position: Registered Nurse

Contact number: 9

### Part C: Follow up record (Filled by medical consultant)

Any action done:

Medical consultant: Contact number:

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### Short Form Berg Balance Scale – 3 Point (SF BBS-3P)

Mark the lowest category that applies for each function.

#### 1. Reaching forward with outstretched arm while standing

INSTRUCTIONS: Lift arm to 90 degrees. Stretch out your fingers and reach forward as far as you can. (Examiner places a ruler at the end of fingertips when arm is at 90 degrees. Fingers should not touch the ruler while reaching forward. The recorded measure is the distance forward that the fingers reach while the subject is in the most forward lean position. When possible, ask subject to use both arms when reaching to avoid rotation of the trunk.)

- ☐ 4 can reach forward confidently 25 cm (10 inches)
- ☐ 3 can reach forward 12 cm (5 inches)
- ☐ 2 can reach forward 5 cm (2 inches)
- ☒ 1 reaches forward but needs supervision
- ☐ 0 loses balance while trying/requires external support

#### 2. Standing unsupported with eyes closed

INSTRUCTIONS: Please close your eyes and stand still for 10 seconds.

- ☐ 4 able to stand 10 seconds safely
- ☒ 3 able to stand 10 seconds with supervision
- ☐ 2 able to stand 3 seconds
- ☐ 1 unable to keep eyes closed 3 seconds but stays safely
- ☐ 0 needs help to keep from falling

#### 3. Standing unsupported one foot in front

INSTRUCTIONS: (DEMONSTRATE TO SUBJECT) Place one foot directly in front of the other. If you feel that you cannot place your foot directly in front, try to step far enough ahead that the heel of your forward foot is ahead of the toes of the other foot. (To score 3 points, the length of the step should exceed the length of the other foot and the width of the stance should approximate the subject's normal stride width.)

- ☐ 4 able to place foot tandem independently and hold 30 seconds

- ☐ 3 able to place foot ahead independently and hold 30 seconds
- ☐ 2 able to take small step independently and hold 30 seconds
- ☐ 1 needs help to step but can hold 15 seconds
- ☒ 0 loses balance while stepping or standing

#### 4. Turning to look behind over left and right shoulders while standing

INSTRUCTIONS: Turn to look directly behind you over toward the left shoulder. Repeat to the right. Examiner may pick an object to look at directly behind the subject to encourage a better twist turn.

- ☐ 4 looks behind from both sides and weight shifts well
- ☒ 3 looks behind one side only other side shows less weight shift
- ☐ 2 turns sideways only but maintains balance
- ☐ 1 needs supervision when turning
- ☐ 0 needs assist to keep from losing balance or falling

#### 5. Pick up object from the floor from a standing position

INSTRUCTIONS: Pick up the shoe/slipper, which is place in front of your feet.

- ☐ 4 able to pick up slipper safely and easily
- ☐ 3 able to pick up slipper but needs supervision
- ☐ 2 unable to pick up but reaches 2-5 cm(1-2 inches) from slipper and keeps balance independently
- ☐ 1 unable to pick up and needs supervision while trying
- ☒ 0 unable to try/needs assist to keep from losing balance or falling

#### 6. Standing on one leg

INSTRUCTIONS: Stand on one leg as long as you can without holding on.

- ☐ 4 able to lift leg independently and hold > 10 seconds
- ☐ 3 able to lift leg independently and hold 5-10 seconds
- ☐ 2 able to lift leg independently and hold  $\geq 3$  seconds
- ☐ 1 tries to lift leg unable to hold 3 seconds but remains standing independently.
- ☒ 0 unable to try of needs assist to prevent fall

## 7. Sitting to standing

INSTRUCTIONS: Please stand up. Try not to use your hand for support.

( ) 4 able to stand without using hands and stabilize independently

( ) 3 able to stand independently using hands

☒ 2 able to stand using hands after several tries

( ) 1 needs minimal aid to stand or stabilize

( ) 0 needs moderate or maximal assist to stand

( ) Total Score (Maximum = 28)  
**9**

### Scoring:

4 (able to complete the task) = 4,

3/2/1 (partially complete the task) = 2,

0 (unable to complete the task) = 0

Score of 23 or below suggests high risk of falling

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# 個案護士評估病人藥物管理表

## Medication Management NCM Assessment Form

**Note:** \* If answered 不知道 or 不瞭解 NCM need to make additional telephone calls to follow-up.

評估事項	情況	
1. 知道定時、定量服用所處方的藥物*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 知道	<input type="checkbox"/> 不知道
2. 需要別人預先準備需用藥物及分量	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 需要	<input type="checkbox"/> 不需要
3. 藥物儲存地方環境	<input type="checkbox"/> 清潔、乾燥	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 存放不當
4. 藥物標籤	<input type="checkbox"/> 清楚	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 不清楚
5. 藥物包裝（例如：包裝完好，開口緊閉）	<input type="checkbox"/> 是	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 不妥當
6. 不同的藥物分別裝在不同的藥袋或藥盒中	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 有	<input type="checkbox"/> 沒有
7. 儲存 a) 過期藥物 b) 不知藥名藥物	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a) 有 <input type="checkbox"/> b) 有	<input type="checkbox"/> a) 沒有 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b) 沒有
8. 知道如何處理服藥後可能出現的不適（例如：頭暈）	<input type="checkbox"/> 知道	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 不知道
9. 瞭解藥物使用方法（例如：口服或吸入等）*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 瞭解	<input type="checkbox"/> 不瞭解
10. 如服用中成藥或中藥必須與醫生處方藥物相隔至少 2 小時	<input type="checkbox"/> 知道	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 不知道
11. 藥物分量足夠下次複診前服用	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 足夠	<input type="checkbox"/> 不足夠
12. 服用醫生處方藥物以外成藥	<input type="checkbox"/> 有	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 沒有



Research code : \_\_0276\_\_

OMAHA System for case management (NF-OS2 Date of home visit: \_10/1/17,27/3/17\_

Date of telephone follow-up: 18/1/17 \_3/3/2017

Problem classification									Intervention		Problem rating for Outcome			
DOMAIN	Problems or Concepts	Actual problem (Briefly describe the patient's needs & strength)	Modifiers		Problem rating				Categories 1. Teaching, guidance, & counseling 2. Treatments & procedure 3. Case management 4. Surveillance	Target(s) & Client-specific information	DATE	Knowledge (1-5)	Behavior (1-5)	Status (1-5)
			Health promotion Actual or Potential	Individual; family; or community	DATE	Knowledge (1-5)	Behavior (1-5)	Status (1-5)						
Environmental	1. Income													
	2. Sanitation													
	3. Residence													
	4. Neighborhood/work place safety													
Psychosocial	5. Communication with community resources													
	6. Social contact													



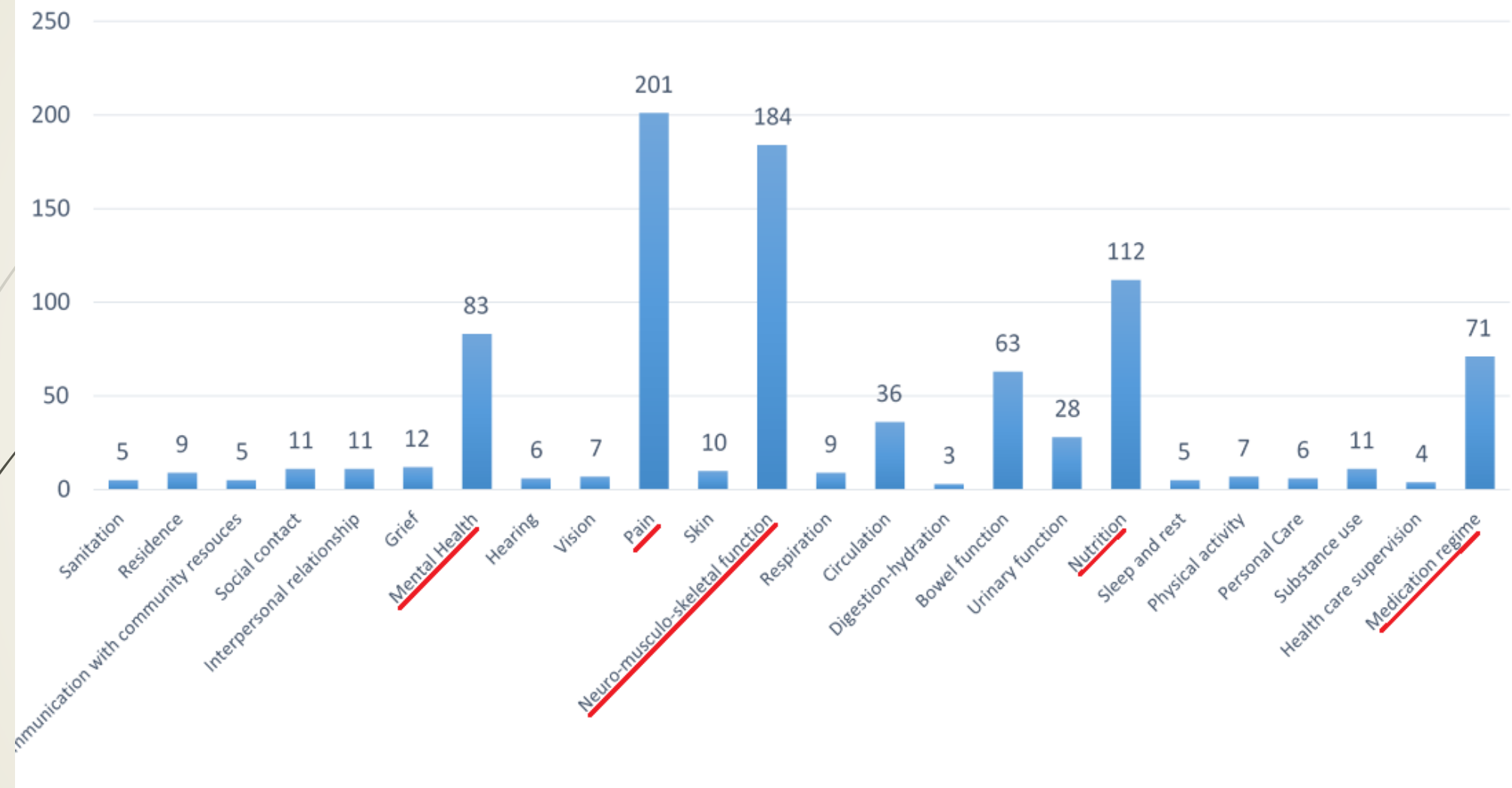
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Physiological	17. Hearing													
	18. Vision													
	19. Speech and language													
	20. Oral health													
	21. Cognition													

Health related behavior	33. Nutrition	Overweight – BMI 27.49	Actual	Individual	10/1	2	2	3	1,3,4	Advice to do regular exercise with well balanced diet	27/3	5	4	4
	34. Sleep and rest patterns													
	35. Physical activity													
	36. Personal care													

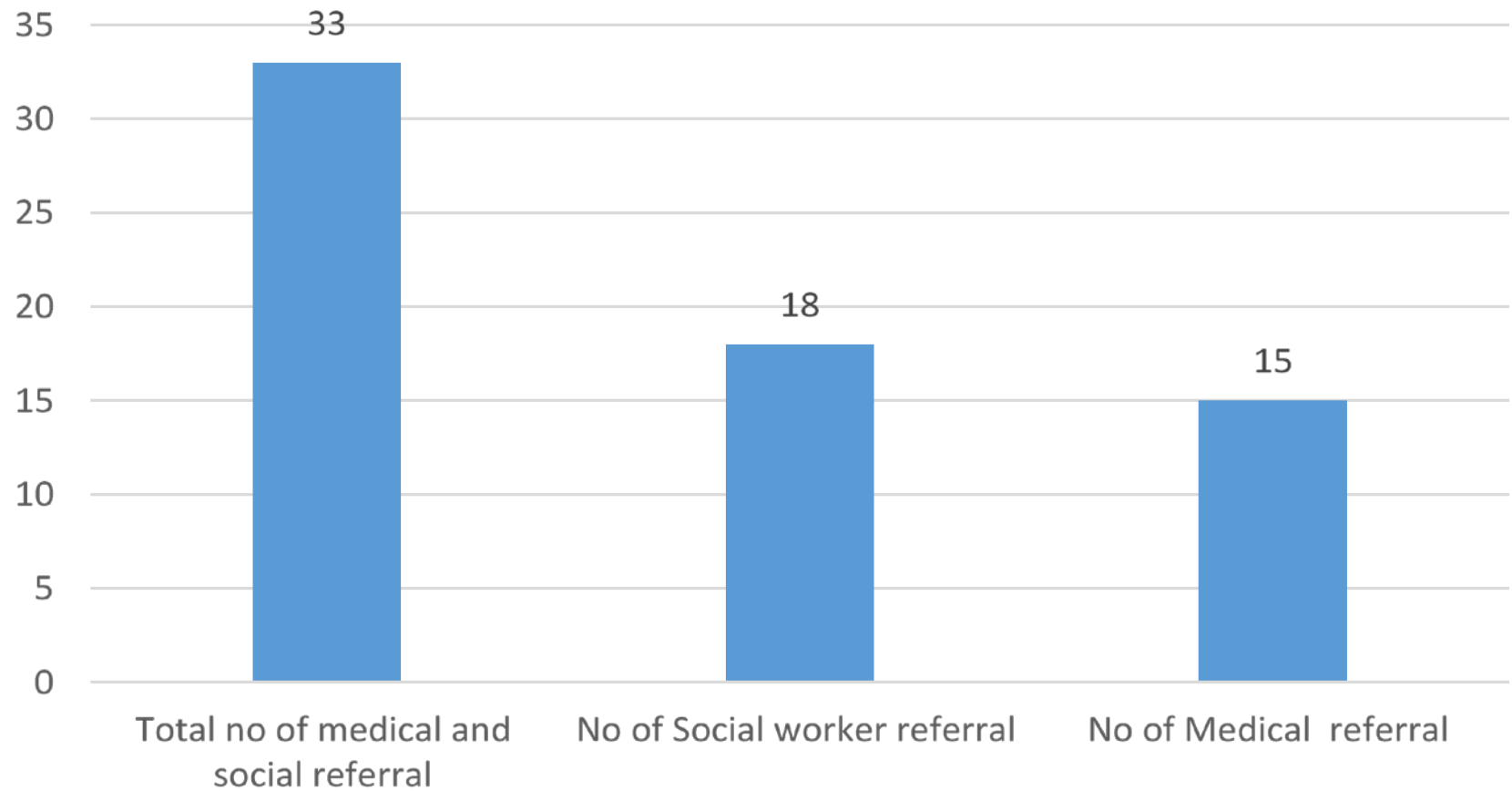




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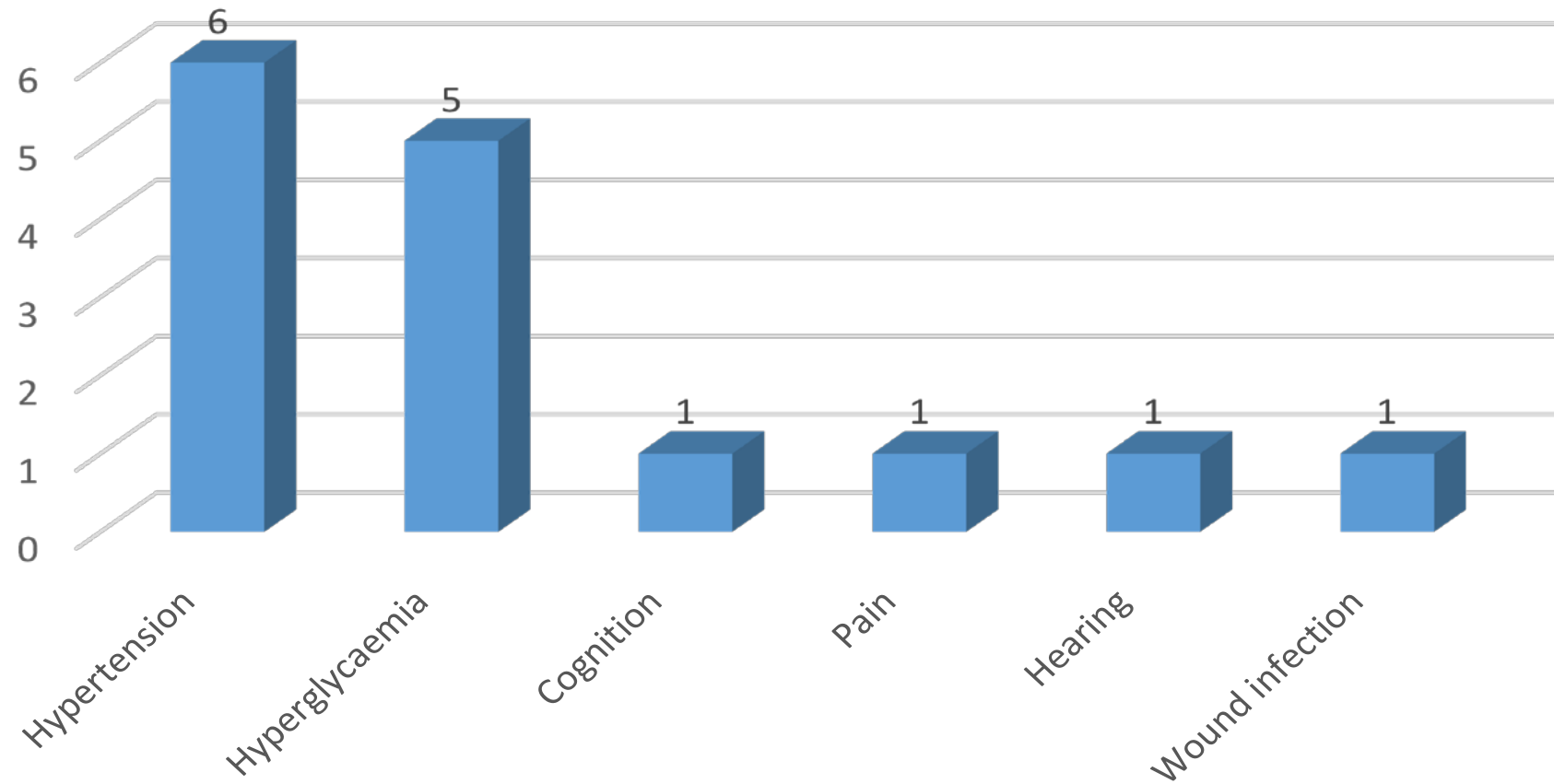


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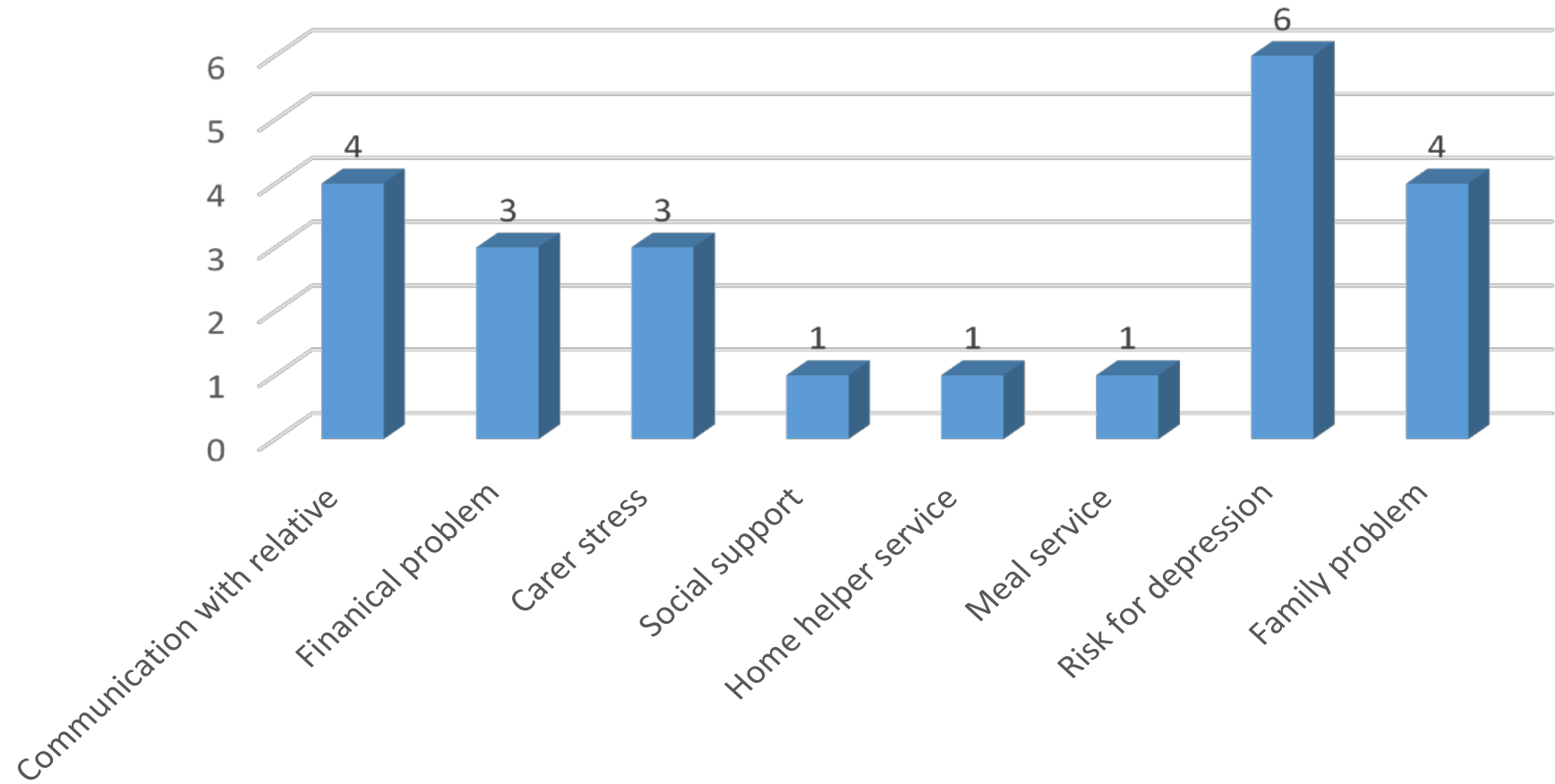


Referral rate 14.3%

## Reasons of medical referral



## Reasons of social worker referral



# What a CC is not?

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## A Case Study in Coordinated Care

Ms. H, Ms. G's sister, is a 55-year-old grandmother with a 12-year history of Type 2 diabetes complicated by elevated blood pressure and recurrent episodes of major depression. ... Her primary care doctor (PCP) postponed adjusting her hypoglycemic and anti-hypertensive drug doses until her depression was under better control, and referred her to the mental health center to review and update her depression treatment. ....

When Ms. H saw Dr. P (Psychiatrist), he had her clinical information in front of him. He adjusted her depression medication, but also found that her blood pressure was elevated. Ms. H also complained of headache and fatigue. Dr. P became alarmed about her blood pressure and headache, and arranged for her to be seen that afternoon by her PCP, who adjusted her anti-hypertensive medications. The **receptionist/referral coordinator suggested that Ms. H have her BP checked by the EMTs at the neighborhood fire station every other day, which she did.** Ms. H slowly began to feel less depressed and her BP slowly came down to target levels with one more medication adjustment.



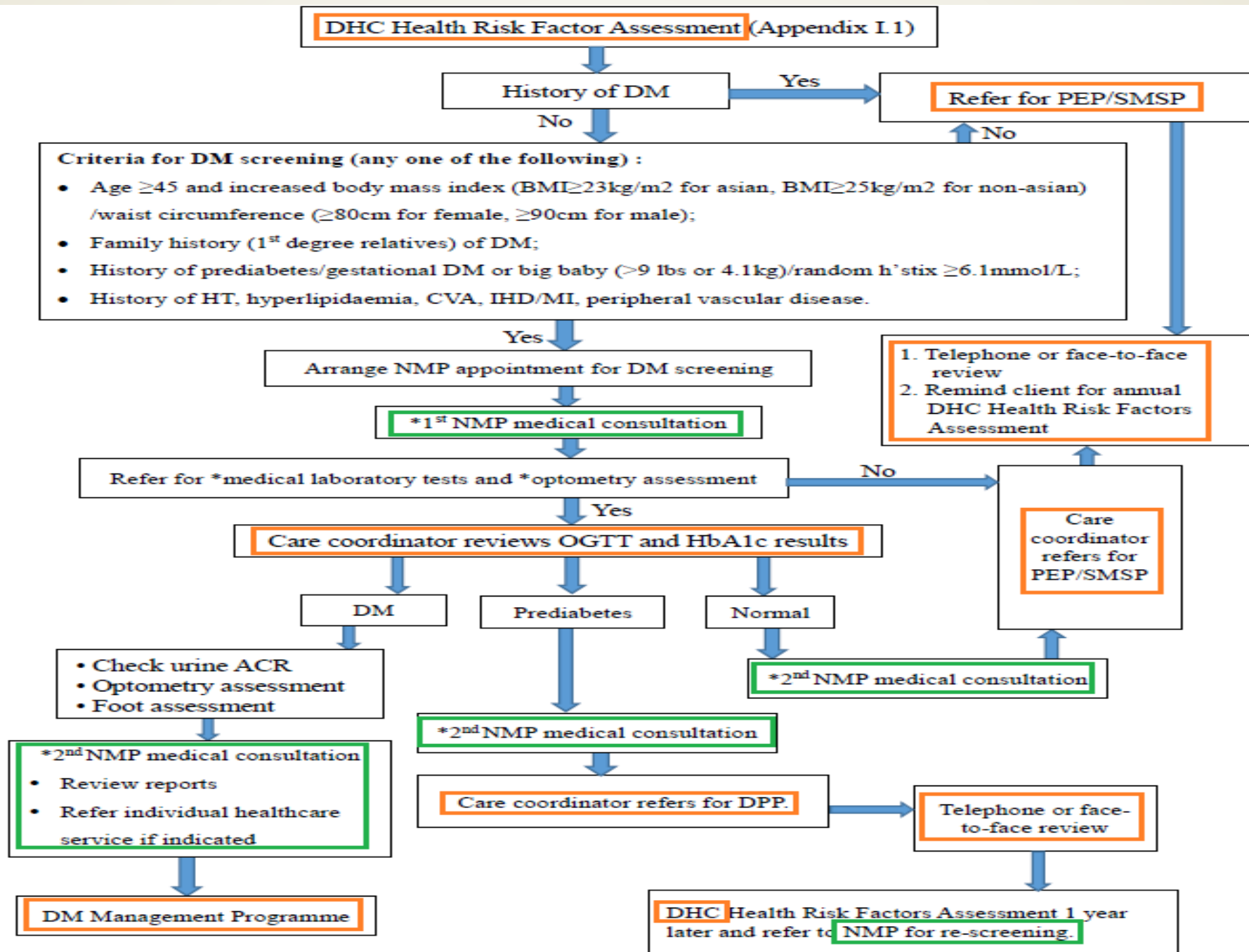
# What is a CC in DHC?

- (a) Increase people's sense of ownership of health;
- (b) Promote healthy lifestyle
  - (i) healthy diet;
  - (ii) regular physical activity;
  - (iii) weight control;
  - (iv) smoking cessation;
  - (v) alcohol abstinence;
- (c) Increase awareness of risk factors for non-communicable diseases;
- (d) Support and assist clients to achieve and maintain optimal control of health risk factor and chronic disease through the following measures -
  - (i) shift paradigm from physician-centered care to self-motivated person-centered care;
  - (ii) take into account the physical, psychological and social factors associated with the health condition;
  - (iii) reinforce clients' good practice and healthy lifestyle behaviour;

- (iv) identify & eliminate barriers to behavioural changes;
  - (v) enhance clients' self-management skills;
  - (vi) assist clients in setting realistic goal;
  - (vii) formulate and implement tailor-made management plan;
- (e) Encourage clients to form peer support groups to promote and maintain physical and psychological health;
- (f) Introduce health resources and facilitate clients' access to them - focus on how clients can make the best use of available information, provide information tailored for the individual; for some, an internet resource is the best solution, whereas others may prefer a leaflet or book.

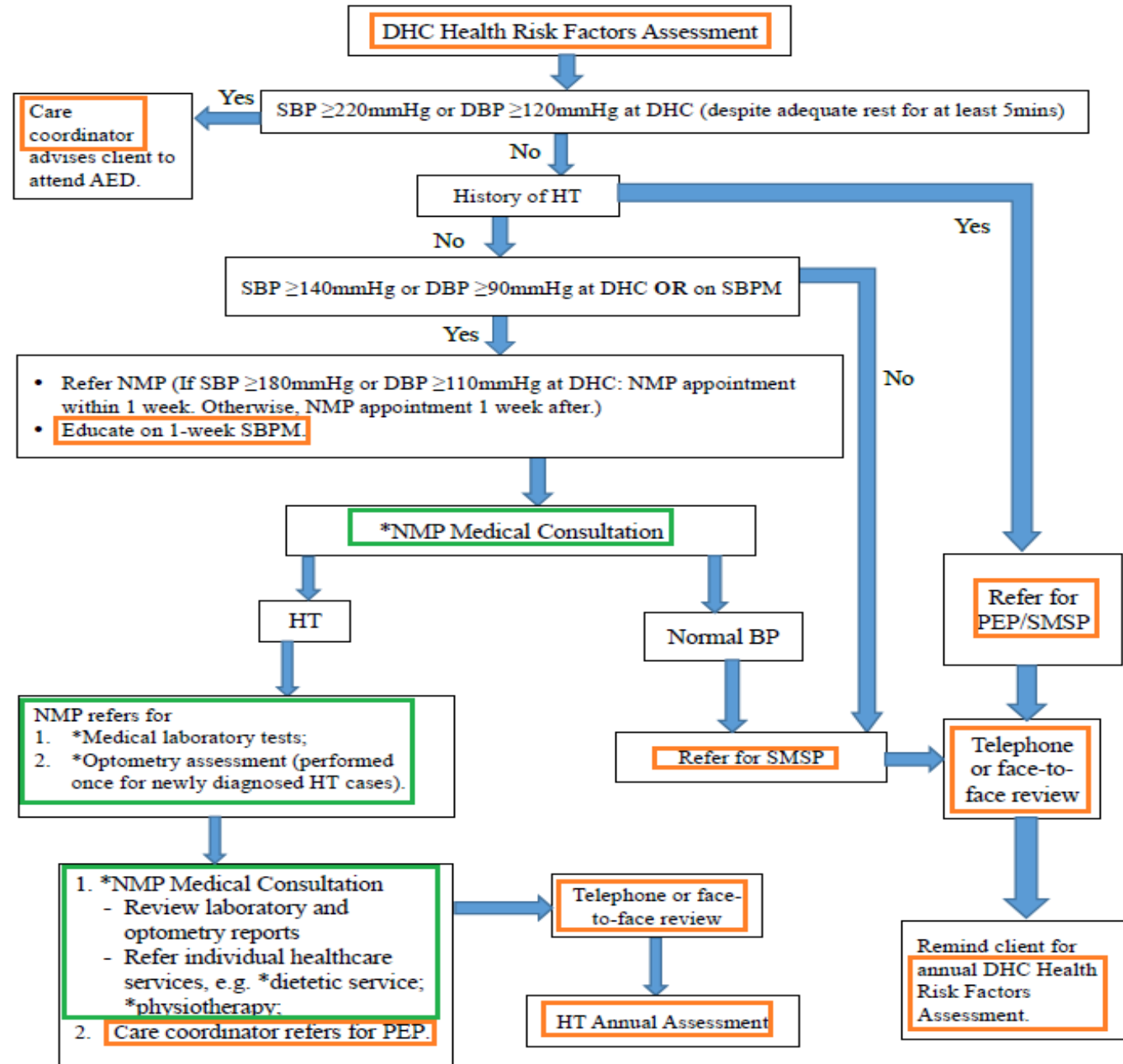
# What is a CC in DHC?

4. The care coordinators in the DHC Scheme also take active role in communicating public health information and enhancing coordination and integration of district-based primary healthcare:
- (a) Promote government initiatives in primary healthcare;
  - (b) Strengthen coordination of primary care services;
  - (c) Promote cross-sector and cross-profession collaboration services;
  - (d) Identify and promote technologies which are useful in health management.
  - (e) Engage volunteers e.g. Health Ambassador / Fitness Coach;

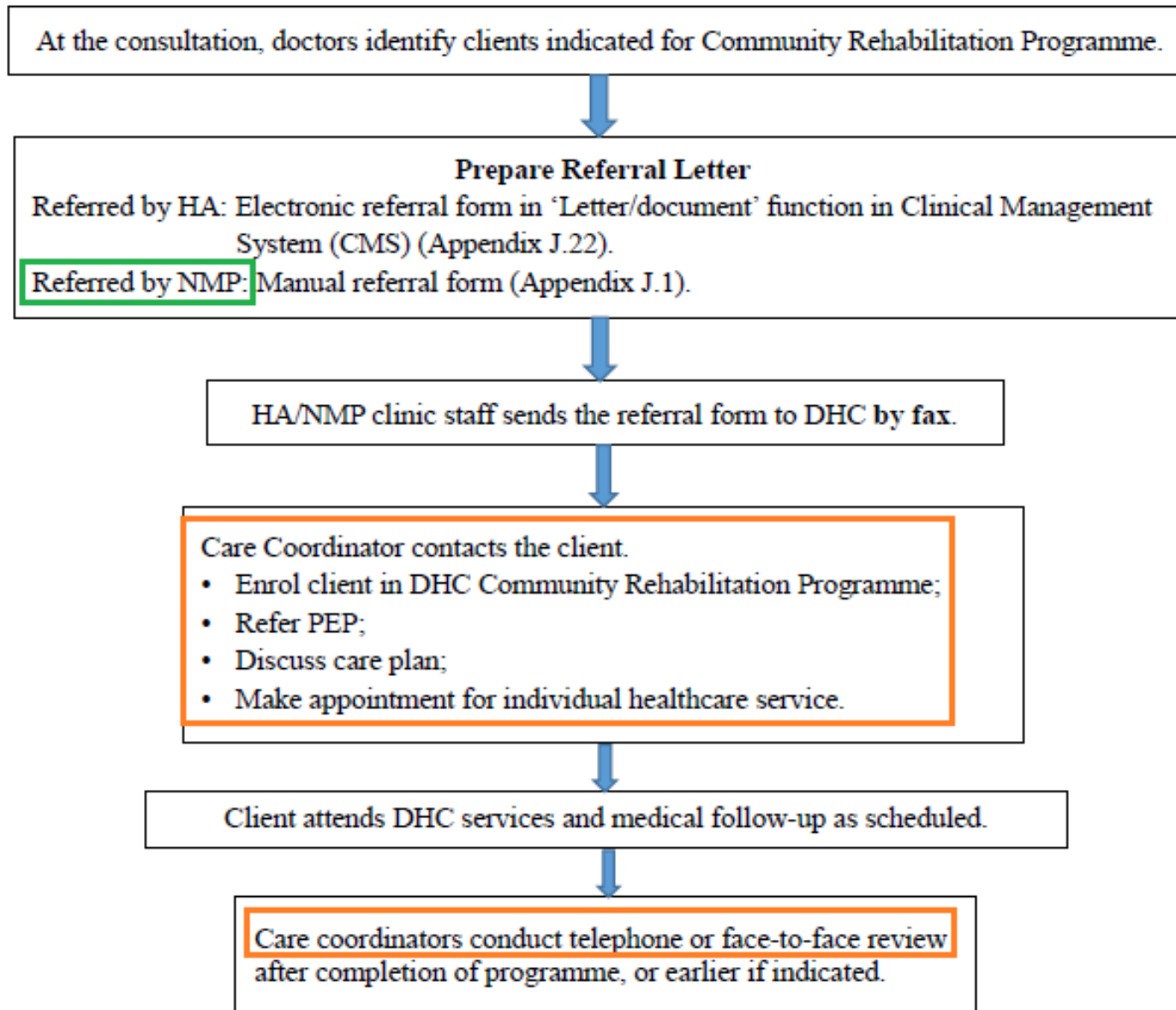




### 3.4 Workflow of HT Screening



### 7.9 Workflow of Community Rehabilitation Programme



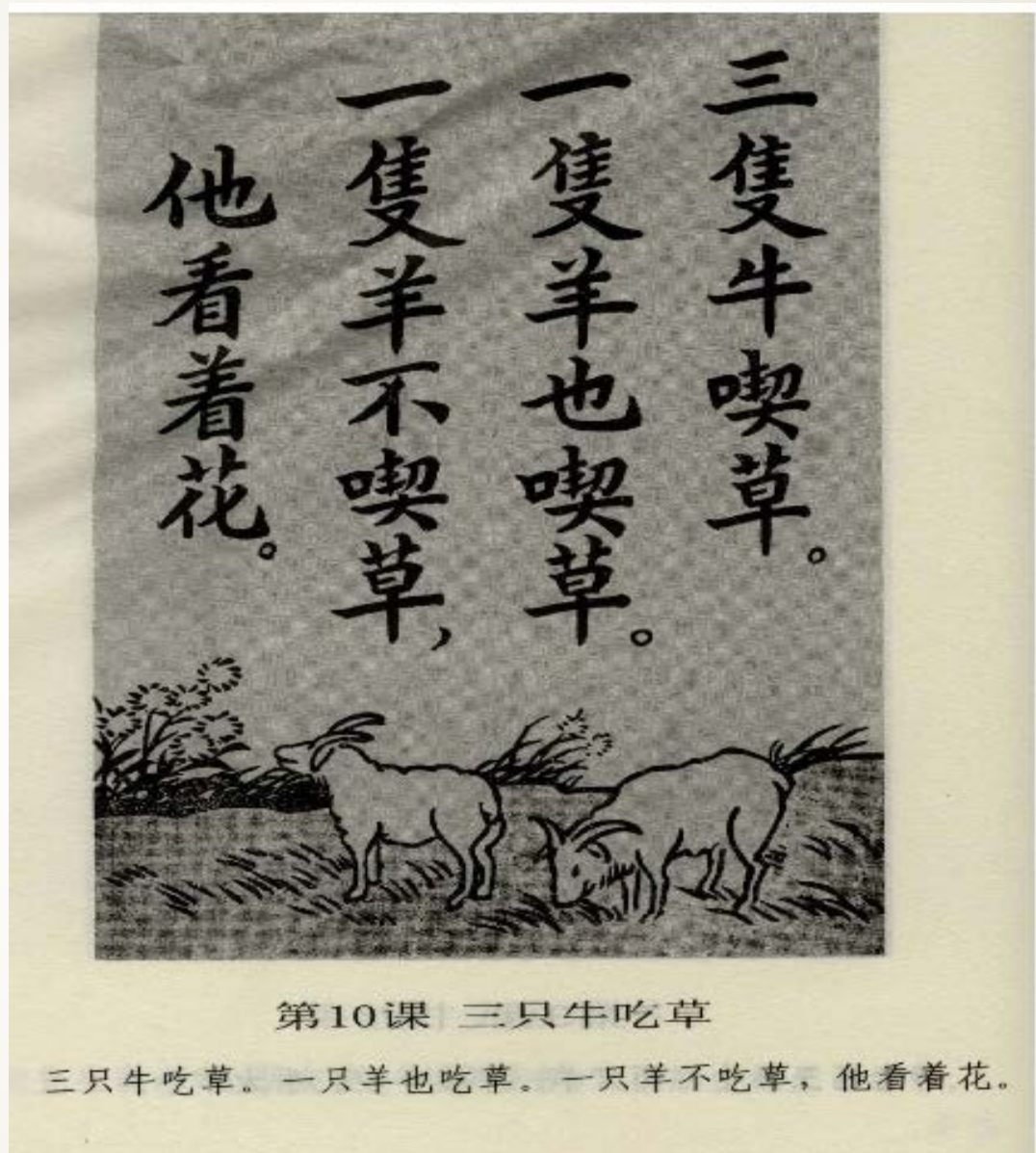


## Primary Health Care and General Practice:

A scoping report

Box 12: Differences between comprehensive and selective primary health care

	Comprehensive PHC	Selective PHC	Medical Model
<u>View of health</u>	Positive wellbeing	Absence of disease	Absence of disease
<u>Locus of control over health</u>	Communities and individuals	Health professionals	Medical Practitioners
<u>Major focus</u>	Health through equity and community empowerment	Health through medical interventions	Disease eradication through medical interventions
<u>Health care providers</u>	Multi-disciplinary teams	Medical doctors plus other health professionals	Medical doctors
<u>Strategies for health</u>	Multi-sectoral collaboration	Medical interventions	Medical interventions



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Thank you!



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