Rapid hospital discharge for people with a disability.

CareChoice, a leading disability service provider, is working closely with hospitals, families and discharge professionals to help people with a disability to exit hospital settings quickly and transition into accommodation and supports.

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Our Rapid Hospital Discharge (RHD) Program helps patients with a disability who are clinically ready for discharge from hospital to transition into temporary accommodation, known as Medium Term Accommodation, which is funded by the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS).

This may be an apartment, townhouse or house – not an aged care centre or a group home. Within this accommodation setting, we provide 24-hour support to suit the person's individual needs.

While providing this round-the-clock support and continuity of care, our dedicated team works on finding a long-term accommodation solution or as we like to call it 'a forever home'.

Our experienced team of disability professionals:

- collaborates and manages the process of discharge and transitioning back into the community
- sources suitable Medium Term Accommodation and provides round-the-clock support from a team of trained support workers funded by the NDIS
- helps to develop person-centred support plans that meet the needs of each individual
- ensures individual goals are captured and monitored within a person's support plan
- partners with other professions and allied health teams to assist the person with their NDIS plans and funding requirements
- collaborates with our CareChoice Homes team to find new 'forever homes'.

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Rapid Hospital Discharge Program Patient Journey

We are a registered NDIS Provider.

Ascertain Support Needs

Hospital staff provide assessments and health plans as relevant or identify a contact person who may assist in providing information about the patient.

Discharge Planning

The CareChoice Support Coordinator facilitates a case conference and discharge planning meeting with the patient, family and clinical team via video conference.

NDIS Quote Prepared & Submitted

A support quote is submitted to the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) for approval.

Build Support Model & Staffing Team

The support team is rostered to provide 24-hour supports.

Accommodation

CareChoice has access to a range of properties and allocates the patient to the most appropriate option according to needs and location.

Discharge & Supports Commence

The patient is discharged from hospital into Medium Term Accommodation with CareChoice providing full coordinated supports. Support staff begin rostered shifts.

Planning Towards 'A Forever Home'

The CareChoice RHD team, in collaboration with the Support Coordinator, the person and their support network, continue to prepare for moving into their 'forever home'.

This may be to a Specialist Disability Accommodation (SDA), or another appropriate option.

About CareChoice Homes

The NDIS provides Specialist Disability Accommodation (SDA) funding for participants with "very high support needs" to access specialist housing solutions. CareChoice Homes is a housing service that aims to provide 'forever homes' for NDIS participants with eligible SDA funding. We offer CareChoice's day-to-day support services (Supported Independent Living) in new houses from our collaborating SDA partners. Our partners are NDIS-registered SDA housing providers who offer a range of quality, architecturally designed homes across Melbourne, Geelong, Ballarat, Bendigo and other key regions in Victoria.

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