



# High Risk Foot Clinics in Regional Victoria

(able to be accessed within one working day if foot rapidly deteriorates)\*

## High Risk Foot Services in regional Victoria, which have:

- Capacity to manage the most complex, high risk foot
- 24 hour access to an operational Emergency Department
- Minimum of one medical specialist on the interdisciplinary team

*Please note that other services may exist that can manage the high risk foot of lower complexity.*

| Region            | High Risk Foot Service   | Referral Criteria  |
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| Barwon South West |  |  |
| Gippsland         |  |  |
| Grampians         | <i>Ballarat sub-region</i><br><a href="#">Ballarat Health Services High Risk Foot Clinic</a> | People with complex high risk foot issues and complications, including: foot ulcerations which are not progressing, history of amputation and current foot wound, suspected Charcot neuroarthropathy, complex foot pain.   |
| Hume              | <i>East sub-region</i><br><a href="#">Gateway Health High Risk Foot Service</a> , Wangaratta | People with foot pathologies placing them at a high risk of amputation (eg. Foot ulceration, infection, Charcot's Neuroarthropathy) related to conditions including, but not limited to: Diabetes, peripheral arterial disease, rheumatoid arthritis, neurological impairment or immune disease. |
|                   | <i>West sub-region</i><br>Goulburn Valley High Risk Foot Clinic                              | People with active foot pathologies that place them at risk of hospitalisation and require multidisciplinary assessment, such as active foot ulceration, recent amputation, infection and suspected Charcot's Neuroarthropathy.<br>Phone: (03) 5832 3100 Fax: (03) 5832 2206                     |
| Loddon Mallee     | <a href="#">Bendigo Health High Risk Foot Clinic</a>   | People with foot pathologies placing them at a high risk of amputation (eg. Foot ulceration, infection, Charcot's Neuroarthropathy) due to diabetes or other conditions.   |

\*TRIEPodD-UK (2012). Podiatry Competency Framework for Integrated Diabetic Foot Care: A User's Guide