Care Pathway for People Living With Motor Neurone Disease in Dorset

- Diagnosis of MND or probable MND – refer to neurologist and appropriate healthcare professional

- Consider cognitive assessment
- Commence nutrition pathway
- Commence respiratory pathway
- Commence end of life pathway

Contact from an appropriate healthcare professional within 2 weeks of diagnosis

Consider onward referral to following services as appropriate:
- Community nurses/matron
- Physiotherapy
- Occupational therapy
- Speech therapy
- Wheelchair services
- Care manager/social worker
- Orthotics
- Environmental controls
- Help and care
- Dietitian/nutrition nurse specialist
- Specialist palliative care team

Review at joint MND/Palliative Care MDT clinic 3 monthly or as appropriate

Discussed at regular MND MDT meeting

Offered referral to MND Association

Support, info and advice from Association Visitors ‘MND get-togethers’
Aromatherapy
Computer support
Benefits advice

Regular review

Keyworker identified

GP kept informed

This pathway has been drawn up with the named service providers involved.