

Referral Pathways for the Diabetic Foot – Harrogate and Rural District

Foot examination:

1. Foot: Deformity or callus
2. Arteries: Palpate dorsalis pedis and posterior tibial pulses
3. Neuropathy: 10g monofilament
4. Active foot disease



For all referrals Email: HDFT.podiatryreferrals@nhs.net State priority in subject heading.

*If foot is ulcerated and clinically infected prescribe flucloxacillin 1g qds (severe penicillin allergy or previous MRSA: doxycycline 200 mg daily) ADD Metronidazole 400mg tds if anaerobes