INPATIENT DIABETES CONSULT SERVICE

The Inpatient Diabetes Consult Service is available on both campuses for all inpatient units. The team is made up of an Endocrinologist (Diabetes Specialist Doctor), other doctors and Nurse Practitioners who are Certified Diabetes Educators. Patients that are seen by this team have uncontrolled blood sugars due to a number of situations and diagnoses. Some of our patients are known diabetics, but others are new diabetics or have high blood sugars due to a situation or medication. This team has expertise in managing insulin and blood sugars.

Patients are followed thru discharge and are also provided with Diabetes Education. Because Diabetes is a chronic medical condition and to prevent readmissions, we also work to link all patients into outpatient follow up for continued medical management and Diabetes Education. Most patients will follow up with a Primary Care Provider or at our outpatient Endocrinology clinics and Diabetes Research Center (DRC).