Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF)
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### CAN WE MANAGE DIABETES BETTER IN HOSPITAL?

# An invitation to have your say

## About this project

Around 280 Australians develop diabetes every day. That's one person every five minutes. People with diabetes are more likely to be admitted to hospital and if so, spend more time in hospital.

We want to make sure that this time is "well spent".



The focus of this project called the REMIT-2-D Project (short for "Reducing Morbidity Mortality and Costs by Initiation of a novel In-Hospital Intervention for Patients with Type 2 Diabetes") is on how we can improve care for patients with type 2 diabetes (T2D) who have been admitted to hospital.

Tell us what

you think!'

To assist us with this project, we are holding a small focus group session to help shape and improve how diabetes services and care is delivered within hospitals.

# An opportunity to have your say

If you are over 18, have T2D, and have been admitted to a public hospital, we want to hear your thoughts on your diabetes care whilst in hospital, in particular:

- 1. What's working?
- 2. What's not working?
- 3. What would you like to see happen?

We would like to hear from all population groups including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Your experiences will be extremely valuable in helping us identify the priorities and requirements for patients admitted to hospital with T2D.

#### What will be Involved

The focus group will run for approximately 1.5 to 2 hours and will be held in February/March 2019.

As a thank you, participants will receive a \$60 gift voucher for their time, and light refreshments will also be provided.

# **HOW TO GET IN TOUCH WITH US**

If you would like to express interest in participating in the focus group, please let us know by contacting:

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