

Core brief

Daily update
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Coaching for Wellbeing - a free support service across Health and Social Care

Staff wellbeing remains a key priority as we continue to build on the approach to recovery.

The Coaching for Wellbeing service is designed to support colleagues with any issues being faced during difficult times – both personal and professional; supporting individuals in building resilience; helping them to take action to improve their wellbeing; and helping people explore how they lead others through challenging times.

For more information and how to access coaching [click here](#).

Asbestos Awareness Training

Staff and Managers are reminded that, as per the Control of Asbestos Regulations 2012, those colleagues who, while performing their duties, have the potential to disturb Asbestos Containing Materials (ACMs), or supervise and have influence over individuals that do, must undertake Asbestos Awareness Training (AAT). The training resource is available as a LearnPro module and must be undertaken annually.

A Training Needs Analysis (TNA) flowchart is available to assist in determining if AAT is required and can be found on page 49 of the NHSGGC Asbestos Management Plan and Policy (AMPP). The AMPP can be found [here](#) on StaffNet.

Similarly, contractors working on the NHSGGC Estate must also have an in-date AAT certificate provided by a competent training provider. Any work that has the potential to disturb the building fabric of the estate must be progressed through your local Estates Department.

Please address any queries to: Asbestos.Compliance@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

Minister for Drug Policy's visit to the Enhanced Drug Treatment Service

Angela Constance MSP, Minister for Drug Policy today visited the Enhanced Drug Treatment Service in Glasgow to meet with and speak to the team.

The service is the first in Scotland to provide Heroin Assisted Treatment to people who inject drugs, as well as an enhanced



package of support with medical, nursing and social care help available to a population with severe and multiple disadvantages and complex needs.

The minister met with some of the team including Mary Clare Madden, Senior Clinical Pharmacist and Lynda Allan, Pharmacy Support Worker (pictured above in scrubs).

Home Energy Scotland update

Please note if you sign up to the Home Energy Scotland online workshops on 10 March, mentioned in yesterday's [Core Brief](#), they will be recorded to allow them to be placed on the staff health web pages for everyone to access.

The infographic is titled "Lateral Flow Tests - Available to all staff working on site". It provides a three-step process: 1. Register your kit (with a test kit icon), 2. Test twice per week (with a calendar icon), and 3. Record your results (with a bar chart icon). Below the steps, it states "Keep your colleagues and patients safe from COVID-19" and "Help stop the spread!". At the bottom, it provides the website "Visit: www.nhsggc.org.uk/lfid-stafftesting".

Lateral Flow Tests - Available to all staff working on site

Speak to your line manager about where to collect your test kit, then:

- Register** your kit
- Test** twice per week
- Record** your results

Keep your colleagues and patients safe from COVID-19

Help stop the spread!

Visit: www.nhsggc.org.uk/lfid-stafftesting

Please keep up-to-date with the latest guidance on our dedicated web pages at: www.nhsggc.org.uk/covid19. If you have any questions about the current situation please check the FAQs first. If you have any further questions, please email: HR.Support@ggc.scot.nhs.uk.

Staff are reminded to make sure their [personal contact details are up to date on eESS](#).

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