

Core brief

Daily update
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Dentists and Doctors in training

We are delighted to welcome our next cohort of doctors to our workforce as part of the August 2020 rotation.

A huge thanks to our recruitment, medical staffing and medical education teams, who despite the challenges of COVID-19, have worked collaboratively to secure placements for 1,880 doctors who have joined our Acute, Mental Health and Partnerships multidisciplinary clinical teams.

We wish you all the very best in your respective roles and are delighted that you have chosen NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to continue your medical training. Your skills and contribution will be critical as we start to remobilise our services and ensure the best for our patients and their families.

New resources for Anticipatory Care Planning

During COVID-19 we have seen an increase in awareness and interest towards Anticipatory Care Planning. There is now a new section of our website dedicated to information and resources to help people think about future planning, visit: <http://www.nhsggc.org.uk/planningcare>

On the site you will find information for staff as well as resources you can share with members of the public to help them think about these important conversations.

We are also trying to establish how staff currently use these tools, their awareness of ACPs and what challenges there may be to creating a joined up system. Please help us by completing this short survey: <https://webropol.com/s/ACP-Awareness-Survey-July-2020>

If you are interested in the topic of Future Planning and Anticipatory Care Planning you can also join our Clinical Advisory Network. This network is open to any professional within NHSGGC, and is a way to stay up to date with all developments, as well as giving you the opportunity to work alongside the Macmillan Anticipatory Care Planning Programme as they develop staff resources and promote future planning to the public. You can register to join here: <https://webropol.com/s/ACP-CAN-Registration>

For more information please email: ACPSupport@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

Electronic social work referral update

Following feedback, we would like to clarify that the new NHSGGC Electronic Social Work Referral form ([issued in yesterday's Core Brief](#)) which goes live on Monday 10 August is currently being rolled in all adult general hospitals only.

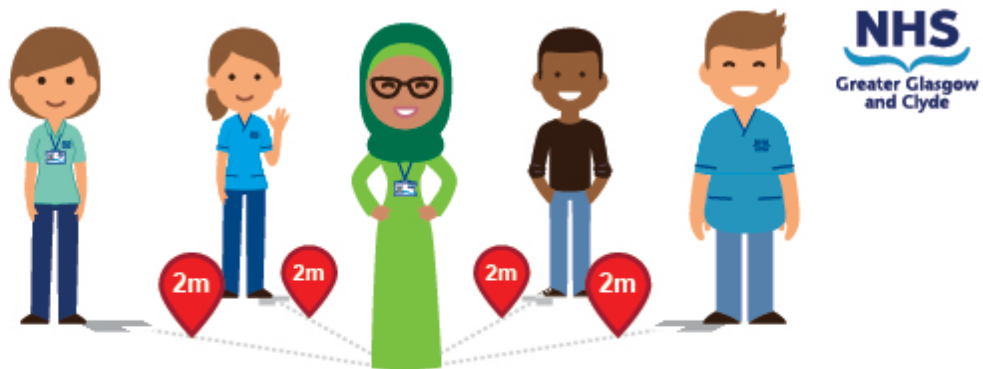
The process for Child Protection and Adult Support and Protection referrals remains unchanged.

Travel update

The link below provides information published by the Scottish Government on how to travel safely at this time. This covers all forms of transport. Visit: <https://www.transport.gov.scot/coronavirus-covid-19/transport-transition-plan/advice-on-how-to-travel-safely/>

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: staff.covid19@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

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



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