

Daily COVID-19 update (9 April 2020, 3.35pm)

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PPE: Fluid repellent gowns for AGP procedures

Please note: A further Core Brief will be issued later today.

PPE: Fluid repellent gowns for AGP procedures

In acute clinical areas where AGP procedures are being performed, such as general ward areas, COVID hubs and non-critical care environments, we are adding to our available PPE stocks by introducing new plastic long sleeve fluid repellent gowns which are easy to dispose of between patient care episodes. These will replace the current gown supplied to the clinical areas mentioned above.

We understand that some concerns have been expressed regarding the addition of a new type of gown to our PPE stock.

We can confirm that the product meets the specified requirements, is Certified to ISO 9001 2015 and meets the provision of PPE Regulation (EU) 2016/425.

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.