



NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

# core brief

**Daily update  
(22 April 2024, 2.40pm)**

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**Remember, for all your latest news stories, visit our new Staffnet Hub:  
[GGC-Staffnet Hub - Home \(sharepoint.com\)](#)**

## Watch Your Waste pop-up stalls

This week is your chance to have a chat with people from our sustainability team who will be at different sites to talk about all things waste!

Our Watch Your Waste campaign has been running for a couple of months now and we are giving you the opportunity to speak to the experts and ask questions, or simply receive information about NHSGGC waste and how you can help to reduce our carbon footprint and cut costs.



So why not pop along to one of the sessions below to find out more:

Date	Time	Place
Wednesday 24 April	1.00pm – 2.00pm	GRI - centre block lobby main building
Thursday 25 April	1.30pm – 2.30pm	QEUH - adult hospital foyer
Friday 26 April	1.30pm – 2.30pm	RAH - main reception near vending machines

## Demystifying Death Week 2024: 6 - 12 May

The NHSGGC [programme for this year's Demystifying Death Week](#) has now been launched. We are looking forward to welcoming a wonderful array of guest speakers to help us explore some important topics including:

- Monday 6 May, 6.30pm - 7.30pm, [\*\*Pet Bereavement\*\*](#) with the [Scottish Pet Bereavement Counselling Service](#)
- Tuesday 7 May, 12.30pm - 1.30pm, [\*\*Power of Attorney Overview\*\*](#)
- Wednesday 8 May, 10.00am – 11.30am, [\*\*Plan More, Stress Less Session\*\*](#)
- Wednesday 8 May, 6.30pm - 7.30pm, [\*\*Deathcare in the Queer Community\*\*](#) - Panel discussion featuring Ash Hayhurst (funeral director and lead for [Gires "Being Ready Project"](#)), Angie McLachlan (care of the body tutor, retired embalmer and creator of the [Ichabodies](#) Death Dummies), Clem Pablon ([Be Kind Rewind Counselling](#)) and Zinzi Buchanan ([Artist](#) and trained Death Doula)
- Thursday 9 May, 10.00am - 11.30am, [\*\*Having Conversations That Matter\*\*](#) (interactive session)
- Thursday 9 May, 12.30pm - 1.30pm, [\*\*Paying for a Funeral - Myth busting\*\*](#) with [Caledonia Funeral Aid](#)
- Thursday 9 May, 6.30pm - 7.30pm, [\*\*Anticipatory Grief\*\*](#) - Panel discussion featuring Clem Pablon ([Be Kind Rewind Counselling](#)), Christine Steel (NHSGGC AHP Dementia Consultant), and Jen Somerville (Bereavement Coordinator at CHAS).
- Friday 10 May, 10.00am – 11.00am, [\*\*Online Death Cafe\*\*](#)

All events are online on MS Teams. You can click on the **bold name of the session** to book directly.

You can read more about all the events on our [webpages](#) or [download the programme here](#). You can also find out about other events happening across Scotland on the [Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief website](#) including a variety of in-person Death Cafes across the NHSGGC Area.

Any questions then please get in touch with us at [ACPSupport@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:ACPSupport@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

### Travel update

We have been advised Scottish Power will be carrying out essential repairs on Govan Road and Moss Road from Thursday 25 April for approximately three weeks. As a result, there will be lane restrictions on Govan Road and Moss Road and a three way traffic control at the site entrance at the Langlands Drive/Govan



Road junction. To accommodate the traffic control, temporary traffic lights will be situated in the Campus across from the entrance to car park 5 and access to and from the campus at this junction will be significantly compromised.

Transport engineers will be on-site to manually control traffic lights and help promote traffic flow on and off-site and minimise congestion within the campus.

However, disruption is likely – especially at peak times - for patients, visitors and staff, and it would be prudent to allow extra time for your journey to and from the QEUH campus.



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