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How We Assure Quality of Care: Strengthening Standards in Year One of Leading the Way

As we celebrate the first full year of NHSGGC's [Leading the Way Nursing and Midwifery Strategy \(2025–2029\)](#), we are proud to highlight the significant progress made in assuring safe, effective and person-centred care. In our '**How We Assure Quality of Care**' strategic priority, we committed to listening to our patients, embedding Quality Improvement (QI) at every level, and assuring safe and effective care.



Find out what we achieved in the strategy's first year and look at plans for Year 2 in [our blog on Staffnet](#).

Chris Sanderson, Director of Procurement to take up new role with Public Services Delivery Scotland

Director of Procurement, Chris Sanderson, will leave NHSGGC on Thursday 30 April. After a valuable time with the organisation, he will be moving on to a new opportunity, taking up the role of Director of National Procurement with Public Services Delivery Scotland.

From Friday 1 May, Brian Roach, Deputy Head of Procurement, will take on responsibility for leading the Department on an interim basis while the process to appoint a permanent successor is underway. Recruitment is currently in progress, and further updates will be shared in due course.

Michael Breen, Director of Finance, said: "I would like to thank Chris for his significant contribution during his time with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde. His leadership and commitment have been greatly valued, and he leaves the service in a strong position. We wish him every success in his new role."

Information on procurement services is available on [Staffnet](#).

Active Staff Spring 2026 Walking Challenge – Starts on Friday!



Ready to get moving this spring?

Join colleagues across NHSGGC for a **4-week walking challenge** designed to boost wellbeing, motivation, and a bit of friendly competition. The challenge runs from **00:01 on Friday 1 May**, and there a total of 2000 spaces open to NHSGGC and HSCP staff.

What previous participants enjoyed:

- “I found the app to be very easy to navigate and the team/ competitive element added a layer of excitement and motivation, with the mini challenges providing some extra fun.”
- “Thoroughly enjoyed this as it encouraged me to ensure I took a break during my working day.”
- “Have maintained the 10,000 a day step count I set myself during the challenge. This has increased my activity compared to before starting the challenge”.

Step 1: Go to the Challenge Website

- Visit nhsggcspring2026.bigteamchallenge.com
- Or download the free ‘Big Team Challenge’ app from the iPhone or Android app stores. Enter "nhsggcspring2026"
- Or scan the QR code right.



Step 2: Join or Create a Team (1 to 5 members)

You’ll need to join or create a team (individuals still require to create a team) to secure your place.

Please share this with colleagues who do not access / use a PC as a regular part of their role.

Email: ggc.walking.challenge@nhs.scot

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[GGC-Staffnet Hub - Home \(sharepoint.com\)](#)



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It is important to share Core Brief with colleagues who do not have access to a computer.

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