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COVID-19 vaccination for 18-29 year olds

Anyone aged 18-29 can now register for a COVID-19 vaccination through the NHS Scotland <u>online self-referral service</u>.

If you have not yet been vaccinated please take up this opportunity

The registration service is available until 4 June 2021. Vaccination appointments will start from mid-June.

Once you have submitted your details, you'll receive a text or email confirming that you've registered successfully.

You'll then receive a second text or email with your appointment details nearer the time of the appointment. This is based on the availability of vaccine supplies and staff.

If you're aged 30 and over you will not be able to self-register as these appointments are currently being processed. You'll receive your blue envelope in the post.

Brexit – all you need to know

Over the next few days we will be providing information on Brexit following the UK's exit from the EU.

It's not only EU citizens who need to be prepared, so we will be providing you with some information on key areas in and out of work where you might experience some change. We will also provide some information about where to get additional guidance.

Today we will focus on EU Settled Status.

If you're an EU citizen and were living in the UK by 31 December 2020, you must apply to the EU Settlement Scheme, even if you have permanent residence. You may need to apply for your children even if you have already applied for yourself.

The deadline is 30 June 2021... so time is running out!

Remember, your application can take up to four weeks, so don't leave it too late.

- For more information, see <u>HR Connect</u>
- Apply online today at <u>www.gov.uk/eusettlementscheme</u>

If you have a query about Brexit, tell us and we'll do our best to answer it. Email: <u>NHSGGC.Brexit@ggc.scot.nhs.uk</u>, with the subject of your inquiry in the subject field (eg 'Foreign business trips' or 'Delivery delays').

For further information, visit: <u>NHSGGC: HR Connect</u> or Government: <u>www.gov.uk</u> For health and wellbeing advice: <u>NHSGGC: Staff Health at NHSGGC</u>

Important Reminder – Stay Safe during COVID-19

When moving from the clinical area to other spaces e.g. offices, rest areas STAFF MUST:

- Remove their PPE gloves, aprons, FRSM
- Carry out hand hygiene
- Put on a clean Fluid Resistant Surgical Mask (FRSM).



Do it, encourage it. Don't spread the virus at work or home

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

Staff are reminded to make sure their personal contact details are up to date on eESS.

It is important to share Core Brief with colleagues who do not have access to a computer. A full archive of printable PDFs are available on <u>StaffNet</u>