



Nursing Digital Clinical Notes (DCN)

The DCN programme, is an ambitious and innovative multi-professional approach to digitalise clinical documentation onto the TrakCare © platform within NHSGGC. One priority for this programme is that over the months and years to come, we will see Nursing, Allied Health Professionals, Medical and Dental colleagues move from the current paper-based documentation onto a digital platform. This programme will improve the quality and legibility of our clinical notes. DCN is a dynamic way of documenting patient care using the nursing process with a person-centred focus. The documentation currently used to assess, plan and evaluate patient's care will now be available as an electronic record within TrakCare. Nursing admission documentation and risk assessments will all link into a Person-Centred Care Plan.

This Nursing programme is already live within many inpatient areas and implementation will continue to be rolled out within NHSGGC over the next few years focusing on a ward a week.

Before using DCN you **must** complete the [Student Nurse DCN module on TURAS](#)

Digital clinical notes : student nurses

This module is for all student nurses and will introduce Digital Clinical Notes (DCN) which is being rolled out across adult acute inpatient clinical areas in NHSGGC. It covers professional aspects and functional demonstrations, emphasising the...

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Proof of completion of the module will be needed when attending your NHSGGC placement. This can be provided electronically (for example via phone) or a printed copy which you can store in your Practice assessment Document for future placements. You will only need to complete the module once.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can contact the DCN team at ggc.dcn@nhs.scot