

<b>NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde</b>	<b>Paper No. 26/54</b>
<b>Paper Title</b>	<b>Standing Committee Chair's Board Report</b>
<b>Meeting:</b>	<b>NHSGGC Board Meeting</b>
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	<b>30 April 2026</b>
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<b>Name of Reporting Committee</b>	<b>Population Health and Wellbeing Committee</b>
<b>Date of Reporting Committee</b>	<b>23 April 2026</b>
<b>Committee Chairperson</b>	<b>Charles Vincent</b>

## 1. Purpose of Paper

**The purpose of this paper is to:** inform the NHS Board on key items of discussion at the NHSGGC Population Health and Wellbeing Committee.

## 2. Recommendation

The Board is asked to note the key items of discussion at the recent meeting of the Population Health and Wellbeing Committee on 23 April 2026 as set out below and seek further assurance as required.

## 3. Key Items of Discussion

### 3.1 Epidemiology Update

- The Committee received a presentation.
- The Committee were assured by the work that had been carried out.

### 3.2 Vaccination and Immunisation Performance Report

- The Committee received a presentation and accompanying paper on the Vaccination and Immunisation Performance Report covering the period 1 September 2025 to 28 February 2026.

- The Committee noted the programmes achievements, including improved flu vaccination uptake across six of the seven priority groups.
- The Committee were assured by the report provided.

### **3.3 Measles Elimination Plan**

- The Committee received a paper on the refreshed measles elimination plan, which set out the Board's approach to reducing the risk of measles outbreaks across NHS GGC.
- The plan was refreshed in 2026 to reflect current risk, learning from recent outbreaks and evolving population needs.
- The Committee were assured by the report.

### **3.4 Scottish Vaccination and Immunisation Programme (SVIP) – Implementation and Prioritisation**

- The Committee received a paper on the approach to prioritising activity under the Scottish Vaccination and Immunisation Programme (SVIP) 5-Year Framework Implementation Plan.
- Actions were categorised into areas to maintain, ongoing activity, actions to start in Year 1, actions to start in Years 2–3, and actions not progressed due to scope or national dependency.
- There were 24 activities to start Year 1: 14 related to communications and engagement, 7 related to data and intelligence and 3 related to service delivery.
- The success of the staff flu vaccination week and the improved uptake in prisons due to a number of different projects was noted.
- Key themes identified included improved use of data, enhanced communications and workforce and resource capacity.
- The Committee were assured by the progress made

### **3.5 Adult Screening Programme: Annual Report and Screening Inequalities Action Plan**

- The paper provided an update on the Adult Screening Programmes for the period 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025 and a summary of progress in relation to the NHS GGC Screening Inequalities Action Plan during 2025/26.
- The Committee noted the programme activities and service and funding pressures. The challenges include low uptake of cervical screening, data quality issues in relation to breast screening data and challenges with securing suitable accommodation.
- The Committee noted that work will continue with service leads and clinical leads to resolve service issues that impact on screening timelines, performance and patient experience.
- The Committee were assured by the report provided.

### **3.6 A Fairer NHS GGC – Monitoring Report 2025-26**

- The Committee received a paper on the progress in NHS GGC meeting its statutory equality duties under the Equality Act 2010 (Public Sector Equality Duty) and the Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties)(Scotland) Regulations 2012.
- The monitoring report covers the period April 2025 to March 2026 and provides a comprehensive overview of equality activity across NHS GGC.
- The Committee were content to note the report for onward Board approval.

### **3.7 Public Health Strategy 2018-2028: Turning the Tide through Prevention Annual Update**

- The Committee received an update on the delivery position against the public health priorities outlined in the Turning the Tide Strategy.
- Since the last annual update, the NHSGGC Minority Health and Wellbeing Survey has been published, which captured the feedback of more than 2,600 minority ethnic people. There was a commitment to build on the findings of the survey, which showed a decline in health indicators.
- The Committee noted that overall, delivery progress was positive. This included Hospital based Public Health Information Services Teams supporting timely discharge through provision of emergency food discharge packages and small grants to pregnant women and families.
- The Committee noted that priorities are being actively reviewed in line with the emerging Population Health Framework delivery and reporting requirements.
- The Committee were assured by the report.

### **3.8 Population Health Framework**

- The Committee received an update on the Population Health Framework.
- The Committee noted the six developmental areas and were content to note the work that was being undertaken and prioritised.
- The Committee were assured by the update provided.

### **3.9 Quarter 3 Public Health Assurance Information Progress Report**

- The Committee received an update on quarterly progress against the key priorities as outlined in the Public Health Assurance Information Framework.
- The Committee noted that 11 of the 18 work stream areas reported were rated green, 1 rated amber and 4 rated red overall.
- The weight management programme was progressing well and weight loss outcomes increased in the quarter. The child development programmes performance has improved, moving from amber rating to being rated green.
- The Committee noted areas that required further improvement, including Blood Borne Virus (BBV) testing and smoking, however a robust improvement plan was in place.
- The Committee were assured by the update provided.

### **3.10 Local Child Poverty Action Report – East Dunbartonshire**

- The Committee received the outstanding 2025/26 Local Child Poverty Action Report (LCPAR) from East Dunbartonshire. The report supplements the previous Child Poverty Action Plan reports received by the Committee in October 2025 and January 2026.
- The Committee noted key themes and discussed access to financial inclusion support.
- The Committee were content to approve the paper.

### **3.11 Committee Governance**

- As part of the annual review of governance, the Committee considered the Terms of Reference, Draft Annual Report 2025/26 and the Annual Cycle of Business 2025/26.
- The Committee noted some proposed amendments to the Committee Terms of Reference.

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- The Committee were content to approve the Terms of Reference, the Annual Report 2025/26 and the Annual Cycle of Business 2025/26.

### **3.12 Extract from Corporate Risk Register**

- This paper was presented to the Committee for approval.
- The Committee noted that there were two risks aligned to the Committee and no changes had been proposed to the scores for these.
- The Committee were content to approve the Corporate Risk Register.

## **4. Issues for referral to other Standing Committees or escalation to the NHS Board**

There were no issues for referral or escalation.

## **5. Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Population Health and Wellbeing Committee will take place on 18 June 2026.