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| <b>NHS Greater Glasgow &amp; Clyde</b> | <b>Paper No. 23/55</b>                        |
| <b>Paper Title</b>                     | <b>Standing Committee Chairs Board Report</b> |
| <b>Meeting:</b>                        | <b>Board Meeting</b>                          |
| <b>Date of Meeting:</b>                | <b>29 August 2023</b>                         |
| <b>Purpose of Paper:</b>               | <b>For Assurance</b>                          |
| <b>Classification:</b>                 | <b>Board Official</b>                         |
| <b>Name of Reporting Committee</b>     | <b>Area Clinical Forum</b>                    |
| <b>Date of Reporting Committee</b>     | <b>17 August 2023</b>                         |
| <b>Committee Chairperson</b>           | <b>Dr Lesley Rousselet</b>                    |

### 1. Purpose of Paper

**The purpose of this paper is to:** inform the NHS Board on key items of discussion at the NHSGGC Area Clinical Forum.

### 2. Recommendation

The Board is asked to note the key items of discussion at the recent meeting of the Area Clinical Forum on 17 August 2023 as set out below and seek further assurance as required.

### 3. Key Items of Discussion

#### 3.1 On-Going Board Business Update including COVID-19 Update

The Forum received an update on On-Going Board Business. The Forum were updated on the current pressures of all services and the continued focus on Emergency Department Performance. In regards to Delayed Discharge, the Forum were updated on the collaborative approach taken across all health boards to ensure support for patients. The Forum were updated on the refresh of the Health Care Staffing act across the board. The Forum were updated on the challenges to increase capacity to balance scheduled and unscheduled care.

**3.2 Winter Planning Update**

The Forum received a presentation regarding the Winter Planning Update.

**3.3 Flu Vaccination Update**

The Forum received an update on Flu Vaccinations. The Forum were updated on the changes to the Scottish Government COVID-19 Testing Guidelines. The Forum were advised of the Vaccination start dates and the cohorts of patients eligible for both the COVID-19 and Flu Vaccinations.

**3.4 Care Homes Update**

The Forum received an update on Care Homes. The Forum were advised of the progress made over the last 12 months in relation to NHSGGC support for the 184 care homes across 6 HSCP's. The Forum were advised of the responsibilities of the Executive Nurse Directors. The Forum were updated on the achievement of the Care Homes Collaborative Team.

**4. Brief Update from Each Advisory Committee on Salient Business Points and Minutes to note.**

The Forum received verbal updates from the Chairs of the Advisory Committees.

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

There were no issues for referral to other Standing Committees or escalation to the NHS Board

**6. Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Area Clinical Forum will take place on Thursday 12 October 2023.