

Core brief

Daily update

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Data Security Spotlight – Supplier Email Compromise

Supplier Email Compromises have become much more common in recent times. This in turn can lead to malicious emails coming into NHSGGC from these organisations. Should you be informed of any ongoing Cyber Incidents occurring with your suppliers, including any correspondences where they may advise they have resolved the issue, please raise an urgent incident through ServiceNow.

Staff flu vaccinations

In yesterday's Core Brief we mistakenly promoted flu vaccination clinics at the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital and Royal Hospital for Children. Unfortunately, this information was incorrect and we sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused you.

There are, however, still other opportunities to get vaccinated if you didn't manage to attend any of the recent clinics.

For anyone that is hospital based, there are over 40 peer vaccinators working across our hospital sites continuing to offer staff vaccines within their ward settings.

Areas for wider development:

- **Communications and engagement:** Strengthening our communication and engagement with both health professionals and patients.
- **Improved access to care:** Increasing efficiency and effectiveness to ensure better access to care.
- **Strengthening prevention, early intervention, and wellness:** Focusing on preventive measures and early interventions to promote wellness.
- **Optimising our primary care estate:** Ensuring our primary care facilities are optimised for the medium and long term.
- **Improving equity and reducing inequality:** Taking targeted action to address areas of greatest need and promote equity.
- **Monitoring, evaluation, and intelligence:** Enhancing the availability and use of intelligence in primary care to monitor the benefits of our actions for patients, workforce, and the system.

If you have any questions regarding the strategy or would like to get involved, please reach out to the primary care support team at ggc.primarycaresupport@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

eESS input – cost centre amendments

It's the budget holder's responsibility to ensure that eESS is input accurately in order that staff are coded and paid correctly. Over recent years management accounts has seen a steady increase in the number of payroll corrections required. Unfortunately, the level of payroll corrections required month on month has become unsustainable for management accounts to continue to correct and from November 2024 corrections will only be actioned after the eESS input has been completed.

On a monthly basis a report will be run by management accounts to identify partial amendments within eESS – budget holders will be notified of any partial eESS amendments within their area and will be requested to review. The notification contains signposting to the relevant instructions and a demo video which details how to amend the staff members cost centre.

The aim is to improve the accuracy of the financial reporting by ensuring staff are aligned to the correct budget.

Transport update

Great Scottish Run – Sunday 6 October 2024

There will be numerous road closures, and local diversions, across Glasgow City Centre, West End and Southside on Sunday 6 October for the Great Scottish Run. More information is available from [Glasgow City Council](#).

ScotRail season tickets

As the Scottish Government's Off-Peak all-day rail fares has now concluded, an additional discount is now being applied to ScotRail season tickets for a period of 12 months. In addition, from Monday 7 October, ScotRail services will return to their normal timetable. More information is available from [ScotRail](#).

For more information on ticket options, and the range of annual public transport season ticket options available for staff, please contact the [Travel Plan Office](#).

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Staff are reminded to make sure their [personal contact details are up to date on eESS](#).

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