

# Core brief

## Daily update

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## Sexual Harassment - Cut It Out: Your voice matters

If you haven't yet completed our survey about Sexual Harassment and gender inequality at work, you still have time. You can find the link to the [survey here](#). The survey is quick and easy. Your responses will be kept confidential.

If you have colleagues who don't have access to email, we can provide paper copies. Contact [ggc.staffexperience@nhs.scot](mailto:ggc.staffexperience@nhs.scot) and we will send them to your team via internal mail.

You can also get involved in our Sexual Harassment Cut It Out programme by:

1. Being aware of what constitutes sexual harassment. You can find out more information on our [Cut It Out Page](#) or by completing our [Sexual Harassment e-learning module](#).
2. Sign-up for our [Active Bystander Training sessions](#), to give you tools and techniques to challenge inappropriate behaviours you or your colleagues experience. If you can't attend one of these sessions, you can find similar information in our Speak Up! [LearnPro module](#) (search GGC: 300 on LearnPro).
3. Raise awareness of the key messages of Cut It Out. Contact [ggc.staffexperience@nhs.scot](mailto:ggc.staffexperience@nhs.scot) to request leaflets and posters for your local area or find out about others ways that you can become involved.
4. If you are a manager, sign-up for one of our [Sexual Harassment webinars](#) or keep an eye out for our interactive workshops launching later this year.

## Become a Registered Nurse

Are you a Healthcare Support Worker in NHSGGC?

Become a Registered Nurse with an Open University BSc (Hons) in Adult, Learning Disability, Children and Young People, or Mental Health Nursing Qualification.

### BSc (Hons) Nursing

- 4-year part-time nursing programme
- Blend of online and practice-based learning
  - 50% theory 50% practice leading to registration with the NMC as a fully qualified nurse.

### What do I need to apply?

- Work 26+ hours a week in a permanent post in NHSGGC
- Have 10 years in full time education including school years
- Numeracy and core communication skills at SCQF level 5 or equivalent
- Have your line manager's support

Come to an information session:

Date: 6 December 2024

Time: 2.00 – 3.30pm

[Click here for joining information](#)

Date: 7 February 2025

Time: 2.00 – 3.30pm

[Click here for joining information](#)

Find out more about the [OU nursing programme](#)

Please note, line managers are also welcome to attend the session.

Not eligible to apply currently? Email: [Scotland-nursing-applications@open.ac.uk](mailto:Scotland-nursing-applications@open.ac.uk) for further information.

Further information can be found: [Healthcare Support Worker Portal - NHSGGC](#)

## Infection Prevention and Control Newsletter

The fourth edition of the Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) Newsletter is out now and focuses on winter safety and IPC mythbusters.

[Click here](#) to view the newsletter.

## Quit for Christmas 2024 Campaign

With Christmas just around the corner, why not give your finances a boost and join the hundreds of NHS staff who have quit smoking for good with our support.

Use the quit calculator to find out how much money you could save, [click here](#) or scan the QR code below.



The Quit Your Way Team are here to help you to stop smoking in a way that works you, providing one-to-one specialist support, advice and access to free nicotine replacement products as part of a 12-week programme.

For more information on the campaign and to register to take part contact:

- Telephone: **0141 451 6112**
- Email: [ggc.quityourway.smokefreestaff@nhs.scot](mailto:ggc.quityourway.smokefreestaff@nhs.scot)

Further information on local stop smoking services can be found [here](#) or scan the QR code.



## Public Transport Information Event

Transform Scotland will be hosting events at GRI and QEUH on Wednesday 27 November to gather feedback on bus services in Glasgow and hear your thoughts

on improving public transport. The Travel Plan Office team will also be available to answer any questions about active and sustainable travel options tailored for staff.

- GRI: 9.30am – 12.30pm at QEB Building, next to WH Smith
- QEUH: 2.00pm – 4.00pm at Arran Stack in main atrium

Remember, for all your latest news stories, visit the Staffnet Hub:  
[GGC-Staffnet Hub - Home \(sharepoint.com\)](#)



\*\*\*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 [website](#)