

Core brief

Message from Dr Lesley Thomson KC, Chair and Professor Jann Gardner, Chief Executive (3 February 2025, 3.35pm)

Dear Colleagues,

I am pleased to welcome Professor Jann Gardner as our new Chief Executive today. Jann brings a wealth of experience and a strong commitment to innovation and delivering high-quality healthcare.



With her leadership and dedication to patient care, Jann will play a key role in guiding our organisation through the challenges and opportunities ahead. She is keen to meet colleagues, hear your insights, and work collaboratively to continue improving services for our patients and communities.

On behalf of all colleagues, I would like to give Jann a warm welcome as she begins this new chapter with NHSGGC and we look forward to working with her.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lesley Thomson".

**Dr Lesley Thomson KC
Chair, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde**

I am delighted to begin my role as Chief Executive of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde at what is a truly exciting time in the NHS as we work to reform health and social care services.

As someone with a clinical background, it is a privilege to be joining an organisation with such an outstanding reputation for clinical excellence. In the coming days and weeks, I will be out and about on a number of site visits



across the organisation to learn more about our services, meet staff and listen to feedback.

I know NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde has so much capability with teams working to deliver the best of care to a diverse population. I am excited to work with you and our partners to find new solutions and opportunities to tackle the significant population health challenges we face.

I look forward to bringing all my experience and passion for innovation, technology, partnership working and clinical excellence to the Health Board as we work together to improve the experience for our patients and staff.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "J Gardner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "J" that loops back under the name.

Professor Jann Gardner
Chief Executive, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

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