

# Core brief

## Daily update

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### **Growing our Great Community – a message from Anne MacPherson, Director of Human Resources and Organisational Development**

NHSGGC has continued to develop our approach to culture and improving the experience of our workforce, centred on our new Workforce Strategy. Integrated within our Workforce Strategy is our commitment to equality, diversity and inclusion as part of our ambition, 'Growing our Great Community'.

In the following video, Anne emphasises our commitments and values in the workplace.

You can watch Anne's [video here](#)

If you have any comments about the video, or any feedback you would like to share, we would be very keen to hear from you. Please contact us at: [iMatter@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:iMatter@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

### **Message from Health and Safety - Equipment (including beds and cots) requiring inspection/repair**

As a reminder to all staff, equipment, including beds and cots:

- Must be removed from service whenever any issues are identified.
- Once removed and marked out of service they must not be used until inspected / repaired
- Only brought back into use upon confirmation from the appropriate technician

For all equipment requiring inspection/repair please follow local arrangements or contact your local Facilities team.

## COVID-19 vaccine information videos

We have added information in [Punjabi](#) to our suite of videos aimed at encouraging the uptake of the vaccine in communities where this is likely to be low. The playlist includes an additional recording in English, aimed at the Sikh community.

Further languages are in production and will be promoted via Core Brief.

For further information on the range of videos currently available, please contact the Equality & Human Rights Team on: [equality@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:equality@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

## Staff Bursary Scheme – coming soon!

The 2021/22 Staff Bursary scheme supported by the Endowment Management Committee will open on 19 April with a closing date of midnight Thursday 20 May 2021 – so it's time to start getting your applications ready!

FAQs are available on HR connect: [Staff Bursary FAQs](#). Contact [staff.bursary@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:staff.bursary@ggc.scot.nhs.uk) or 0141 278 2700 for more info.

Please keep up-to-date with the latest guidance on our dedicated web pages at: [www.nhsggc.org.uk/covid19](http://www.nhsggc.org.uk/covid19). If you have any questions about the current situation please check the [FAQs](#) first. If you have any further questions, please email: [staff.covid19@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:staff.covid19@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

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