Daily update  
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Topics in this Core Brief:
• Health & Safety Training – Take the opportunity to complete today!
• Medical and Dental - Consultant Grade

DAILY REMINDER: Social Distancing is Everyone’s Responsibility
Please work from home where possible. Where this isn’t possible, local managers in conjunction with staff must ensure that the two metre social distancing guidelines are adhered to wherever possible.

Health & Safety Training – Take the opportunity to complete today!
If you have still to do your SHARPS and FALLS training please access your account today!

For those who work in one of the seven Focus Areas:
Well done to those teams at the RAH and Neurosurgery at the QEUH who have achieved 100 per cent.

If you work in the following areas and have not completed your training please access today.

Sharps

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Where do I access the Modules and What Role Specific Sharps LearnPro Modules should be undertaken?

1. All staff who may come into contact with a healthcare related sharp (including accidental contact in the work environment) must complete this module below:
   Tab – Role Specific Mandatory Modules  
   Course – GGC: 061 Management of Needlestick and Similar Injuries

2. All staff who use healthcare related sharps must complete both the above module and the module below:
   Tab – ‘Infection Prevention and Control’  
   Course – ‘NES: Scottish IPC Education Pathway’  
   Module – ‘Prevention and Management of Occupational Exposure’
Falls

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For further information see [here](#) and to complete the training modules go to your LearnPro account.

Please note that an alert is automatically generated by LearnPro **three months** prior to module validity elapsing for the following, which are then accessible at the time of the alert to complete:

- Nine core mandatory modules
- GGC: 061 Management of Needlestick Injuries
- NES: Prevention and Management of Occupational Exposure
- Falls Prevention Programme (five modules)

The search fun NHSGGC modules and the NES sharps module as well.

**Medical and Dental - Consultant Grade**

The 2019/2020 Consultant Discretionary Points process is currently underway and Consultants eligible to apply in this round were sent invite letters at the end of September.

Consultants wishing to apply this year should note that the closing date for applications is Wednesday 11 November at 5pm.

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**Social distancing is everyone’s responsibility**

*Remember 2m distancing includes breaks and lunchtimes*

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)

Staff are reminded to make sure their personal contact details are up to date on eESS.

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