

# Core brief

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## Introduction

This issue of Core Brief includes a message from Chief Executive, Robert Calderwood about the Director of Public Health and Work on trauma network underway.

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## Message from Chief Executive, Robert Calderwood

Dr Linda de Caestecker, our Director of Public Health has been undertaking a secondment with the International Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (FIGO) to promote women's reproductive health in developing countries which has long been an interest for her.

I am pleased to advise that Dr de Caestecker will be returning to NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde on Monday 1 August 2016 following the completion of her secondment and I am sure that we will benefit greatly from her experience during her time with FIGO.

Dr Emilia Crighton, who has been covering the role during Linda's secondment will be returning to her substantive post as Consultant in Public Health Medicine and Head of Health Services Section. I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the support and very positive contributions Dr Crighton has made to the service during this time.

## Work on trauma network underway

Chief Medical Officer, Dr Catherine Calderwood is to chair an implementation group which will work with health boards to roll out a bespoke trauma network for Scotland.

Health Secretary Shona Robison welcomed the appointment of Dr Calderwood as chair of the new National Trauma Network Implementation Group which will ensure Scotland's trauma network is suited to the country's needs and geography. [Click here to read the full press release.](#)

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