

Core brief

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Introduction

This issue of Core Brief brings you the news that GRI is world class and we're raising awareness of sepsis.

Glasgow Royal is world class – it's official

Glasgow Royal Infirmary has secured its place as a world-leading healthcare facility – being named by Newsweek as one of the top 100 hospitals in the World.

Newsweek teamed up with Statista Inc, a global market research and consumer data company, to develop a groundbreaking ranking of the world's best hospitals. The top list was whittled down from 1,000 recommendations from medical professionals, patient survey results and medical performance indicators.

Glasgow Royal Infirmary is the only Scottish Hospital to make the top-notch list, which included top facilities in Germany, Japan, Switzerland and the United States. [Click here to read more.](#)

Raising awareness of sepsis

The five early signs of sepsis are to be highlighted in a new campaign to help raise public awareness of this potentially fatal condition.

The campaign, which will run across social and traditional media, focuses on the often silent symptoms of sepsis, which is a serious complication of an infection.

This includes very high or low temperature, uncontrolled shivering, confusion, passing less urine than normal and blotchy or cold hands and feet. [Click here to read more.](#)

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