

Core brief

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Introduction

This issue brings staff information on the Estimated Date of Discharge process, Woodside Health and Social Care Centre is handed over and NHSGGC money wellbeing project.

Standard Operating Procedure - Estimated Date of Discharge

On the 29 May 2019 the Estimated Date of Discharge (EDD) will become a Mandatory Process.

EDD is the estimated date when a patient will be ready to be safely discharged from acute care.

The aim of EDD is so patients don't stay in hospital for any longer than is clinically necessary. EDD will establish this through early discussions with the clinical team.

EDD will be set by the clinical team on admission to an inpatient bed. This will be reviewed and confirmed by the Consultant at the next board round and updated as required. EDD should be reviewed daily and updated in order to plan and understand hospital capacity.

There will be a new icon on Trakcare to allow easier access to update on TrakCare, however you can still update on WardView. Either way the date will be updated on both systems.

Over the next week a copy of the Standard Operating Procedure and a Poster shown above will be distributed to all clinical areas by a Practice Development Nurse or a Nurse Educator.

[Click here to download the Standard Operating Procedure – EDD guidance.](#)

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Latest NHSGGC news update

Woodside Health & Social Care Centre

Woodside's new multi-million pound state-of-the-art Health and Social Care Centre has been handed over to Glasgow City Health & Social Care Partnership. [Click here to read more.](#)

NHSGGC Staff Money Wellbeing Project

Money worries can affect everyone at some point in their lives. Changing circumstances and the current economic climate can all affect our ability to manage financially.

Last year some research was commissioned as part of this project, to better understand the money worries NHSGGC staff face. Many thanks to all those who participated in this research, your participation has enabled and informed plans to develop staff support for money matters.

The resulting report is now available <http://www.stor.scot.nhs.uk/ggc/handle/11289/579829>

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