

Core brief

Message from Jane Grant, Chief Executive
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Welcoming back our shielding community.

From Monday, we will welcome many of our colleagues who have been shielding back to the workplace. From a personal perspective, it will be great to see and reconnect with them again

There are many members of our teams who, despite shielding, have been working from home since March. However, for others, this will be the first time they have been able to carry out their duties for around 16 weeks. I know that many feel ready to come back to work, but we need to remember that for others, after a long period away, it may take a short while to get back up to speed and we need to support them to do so.

Bringing back our shielding community will provide a great boost to our workforce and help us to continue our remobilisation of services across NHSGGC.

With more of our staff returning to work, it is important that we can continue to communicate effectively with you. The Corporate Communications Team has redoubled efforts in recent months to ensure that throughout COVID, we could keep you informed, share your stories and engage with our communities. As we move to the next stages of remobilisation, effective engagement is as important as ever. In order to ensure that we can continue to deliver meaningful communications, the team has [issued a short staff survey](#) to get your views. I would like to encourage you to complete it so you can have your say about how we shape our communication activity in the months to come.

Finally, I would like to thank all of our staff for their hard work in recent months and ask for their continued help to support our colleagues returning to the workplace.

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