



Core brief

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Introduction

This Brief brings you the public holidays for 2019/20, the latest on eESS and a Clinical support worker is honoured with National hero award.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2019

The NHSGGC public holidays for 2019/20 have now been agreed by the Area Partnership Forum.

<u>2019</u>	GREATER GLASGOW & CLYDE	INVERCLYDE	RENFREWSHIRE
Good Friday	19 April	19 April	19 April
Easter Monday	22 April	22 April	22 April
May Day Monday	6 May	6 May	6 May
May Monday*	27 May	27 May	27 May
Fair Monday*	15 July	1 July	5 August
Autumn Monday	30 September	2 September	30 September
Christmas Day	25 December	25 December	25 December
Boxing Day	26 December	26 December	26 December
<u>2020</u>			
New Year	1 January	1 January	1 January
New Year	2 January	2 January	2 January

Dates for all NHS staff are shown in black

*Additional days for GP practices and NHS medical staff only (including Dental Practitioners) are marked with an asterisk.

How to use eESS

By 23 November 2018 managers and staff will be able to access eESS (the electronic Employee Support System) to update personal information and input transactions which are currently done through Notification of Change Forms.

What you need to do as a staff member and manager

In preparation for go-live, all staff are encouraged to visit the national eESS website - <https://www.eess.nhs.scot/> The website contains step-by-step user guides and short e-learning videos for all transactions you will complete on eESS.

Additionally, for those Managers who did not get an opportunity to attend our face to face manager self-service training, you are encouraged to undertake our eESS Manager LearnPro module. The module provides a quick overview of Manager Self Service & links to our Standard Operating Procedures. Logon to LearnPro and search for "eESS" under the Specialist Subjects tab.

For further details, please visit <http://www.nhsggc.org.uk/working-with-us/hr-connect/eess/>

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us at: eess@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

Clinical support worker honoured with National hero award

Christine Duncanson a clinical support worker who deals with children and their families attending outpatient appointments in the neurology department at the Royal Hospital for Children, has been announced regional winner of the National UK Our Health Heroes Awards.

Christine was picked as regional winner in the Clinical Support Worker category and now goes forward as contender to win the overall award for the whole of the UK which takes place in November. To ensure Christine wins we want everyone across NHSGGC to vote for her at www.skillsforhealth.org.uk/ohh.

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