

Core brief

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Life on the Frontline

[Ann Gray, Senior Charge Nurse](#), Emergency Department, Inverclyde Royal Hospital is in the spotlight today in our series of Life on the Frontline videos.

Ann explains that having to tell her staff that one of their colleagues had been admitted to hospital with COVID-19 was one of the hardest things she has ever had to do. She also tells us about not being able to give her new granddaughter that first cuddle!



Message from Jonathan Best, Chief Operating Officer

[Jonathan Best, Chief Operating Officer](#), sends a personal message to all staff reflecting on the past three months and thanks staff for all their hard work.



Grateful ICU staff go to great lengths to 'give something back'

A team of medical professionals from Glasgow Royal Infirmary are getting on their bikes to raise money for a local mental health charity, after being 'blown away' by the support they received during the COVID-19 pandemic.

As many as 120 doctors, nurses, and pharmacists have pledged to walk, run and cycle from Land's End to John O'Groats to say a huge thank you to the local community and further afield.

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