



CSS Team Brief

September 2025



We are
**always
learning**



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Today

- Welcome
- CSS Leadership
- Updates
- CSS News
- Sepsis September
- **Have your say - appraisal**
- Future Team Brief dates



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CSS leadership



CSS leadership team



Gareth Adams
Chief Executive



**Dr Katherine
Ajdukiewicz**
Interim Medical
Director



**Sarah
Ingleby**
Director of
Nursing and
Healthcare
Professions



Zara Pain
Director of
Workforce



Alison Olivant
Interim Director
of Performance
and Operations



Chris Evans
Director of
Finance



Charlotte Skitterall
Group Chief
Pharmacist



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MFT Updates

Where

Excellence

Meets

Compassion



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One MFT update



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Strategy update





#Proud2bOps

AN OPERATIONAL MOVEMENT

Recognise and uplift operational and administrative roles:

- Support learning, development, and networking
- Encourage engagement, feedback, and improvement
- Celebrate the people who make care possible





Women's Staff Network

**Register as a member of the
network today!**

Be part of an empowering community that shapes the future of our Women colleagues at MFT.

The Network is open to all women colleagues and allies who would like to contribute to creating a supportive, inclusive and empowering workplace.

Empower. Connect. Inspire.

*****Register as a member today and
get the chance to be on the committee!*****

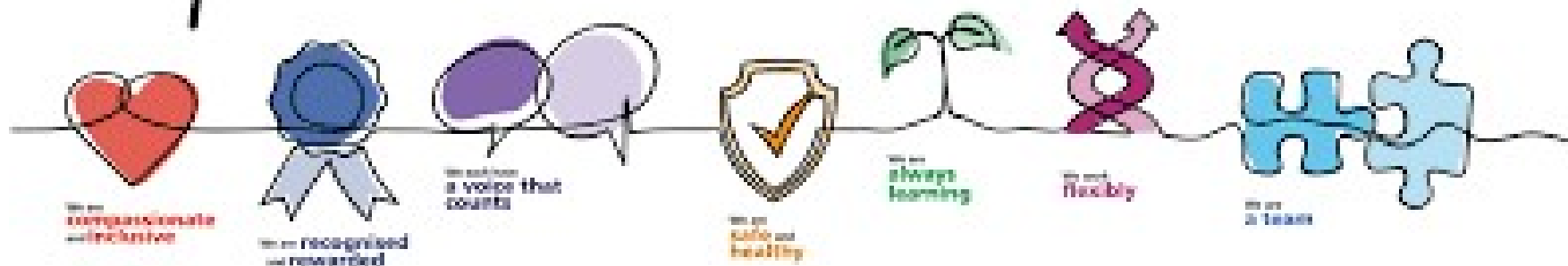
Scan the QR code or click [here](#)
to become a member of the network or
contact equality@mft.nhs.uk
for more information





NHS Staff Survey 2025

People Promise





You said, we did

Improve communication across CSS

- CSS News site developed
- Team Brief - include topics you asked for: presentations from teams, leadership Updates and celebrating successes across CSS

Improve flexible working

- Flexible working campaign: Manager education and staff info about how to request and reasons why you can request, AHP project and case studies

Reduce bullying and harassment

- Successful Civility campaign: training for managers and teams, education materials, dedicated CSS News page, OD support



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CSS News



Harpurhey CDC official opening





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How aiding refugees in Jordan transformed three CSS microbiologists





Manchester Pride





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Civility Month





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Celebrations

National Inclusion Week

15 to 21 September

World Patient Safety Day

17 September

Sepsis September

September

Macmillan Coffee Morning

26 September





CSS News

Home Leadership CSS Team Brief Submit a story Civility Freedom to Speak Up Flexible Working



☺ Looking after each other saves lives... It's Civility Month!! ❤️
 July 31, 2025



Glowing BBC documentary showcases our Specialised Ability Centre
 July 31, 2025



☀ Summer benefits for all staff ☀
 July 31, 2025



A message from Sir James Mackey, NHS Chief Executive
 July 31, 2025



MFT sustainability advocates update – July
 July 31, 2025



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Team Spotlight

Acute Care Team

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Meet the team...



Sarah Pinnington
Matron



Astella Evans

Senior Acute Care Educator



Jake Raiseborough

Senior Acute Care Educator



Lauren Roberts
WTWA



Jody Berwick
ORC



Paul Butterworth
WTWA



Beena Paul
NMGH



Chris Hardcastle
Pediatrics'



Charlotte Agnew
ORC



Amy Breslin
- Midwifery



Madan Kumar
NMGH



WHAT WE DO AND OFFER...

AIMS training for qualified staff and FY1s.

NASAC training for nursing assistants.

Acute Care Study Day –PGD IV Fluids.

Bespoke training and SIM across the sites.

Sepsis audits and reporting.

Contribute to the emergency bleep meetings across site and share learning.

MAD projects. IQP.

Fluid Balance audits.

ACLP.

SEPSIS SEPTEMBER



Come celebrate World Sepsis Day 2025 with the Acute Care Team and guest experts . Join us for six Sepsis Seminars across MFT!

1st SEPTEMBER 2025 11:00-12:00
NMGH, Seminar Rooms 4 & 5
Sepsis in MFT & Other Hospitals
Acute Care Team / Regional Sepsis Teams

8th SEPTEMBER 2025 11:00-12:00
WTWA, ERC, LT1
Source Identification and Management
Pharmacy / Microbiology

15th SEPTEMBER 2025 11:00-12:00
Nowgen centre, MR1
Is Sepsis a Diagnosis?
Dr Ron Daniels / DR Janos Baombe

1st SEPTEMBER 2025 13:00-14:00
NMGH, Seminar Rooms 4 & 5
Sepsis IQP In MFT
Emergency Departments MFT

8th SEPTEMBER 2025 13:00-14:00
WTWA, ERC, LT1
Neutropenic Sepsis
Balasz Dansco / Acute Oncology

15th SEPTEMBER 2025 13:00-14:00
Nowgen centre, MR1
The Future of Sepsis
Dr Peter Alexander / Research Team / Claire Ratcliffe, Baxter

Places are available on Kallidus or you can turn up on the day if there is space available, alternatively you can join us on Teams!

For any more information please contact careteam.acute@mft.nhs.uk

SEPSIS SEPTEMBER

Closing Date
1st September

Do you have a great sepsis information board in your area? If so, you can enter it into our World Sepsis Day board competition!



To submit your entry please email photos of your information board to careteam.acute@mft.nhs.uk

The winners will be announced during Sepsis September.



Contact the Acute Care team

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@Acute_Care_Team

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Have your say

Digital Appraisals



Appraisal

Compliance **83.24%**

In the last 12 months have you had an appraisal **87.84**

It helped me to improve how I do my job **22.24%**

It helped me agree clear objectives for my work **32.49%**

It left me feeling that my work is valued by my organisation **29.09%**



Appraisals – journey so far and the future

CSS

Engagement across CSS

One page document developed

Focused paperwork developed

Training delivered

MFT

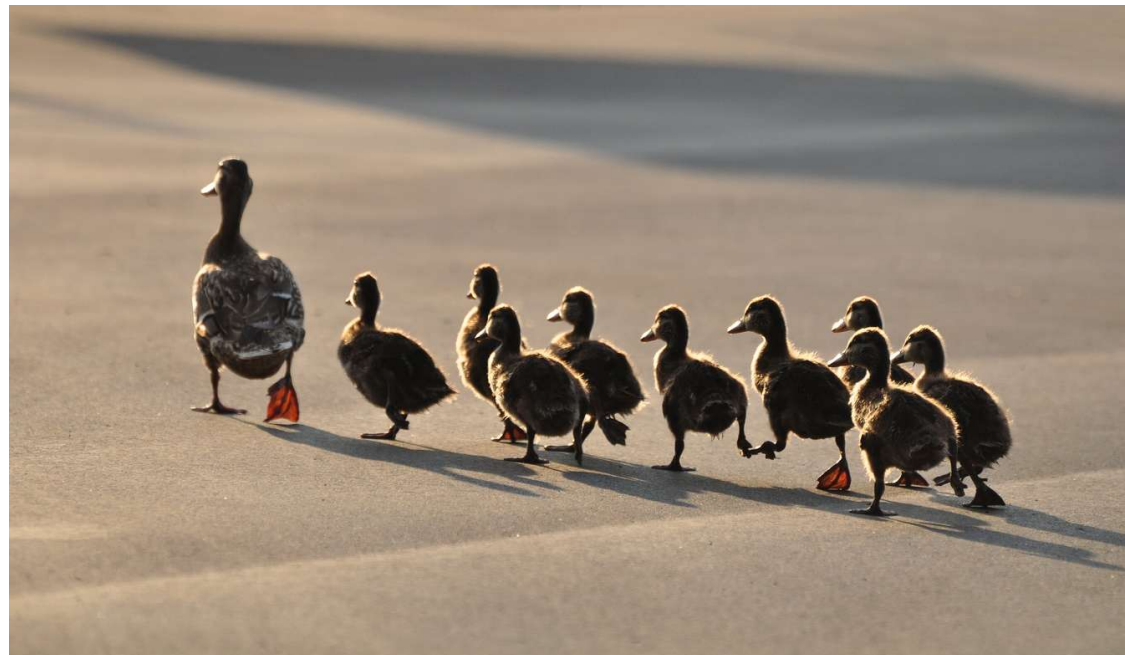
Digital appraisal plans



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CSS Team Brief 2025

Wednesdays at 12.30

We work flexibly

6 August

We are always learning

3 September

We each have a voice that counts

1 October

We are safe and healthy

5 November

Christmas fun! 🎄

3 December





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**thank
you**