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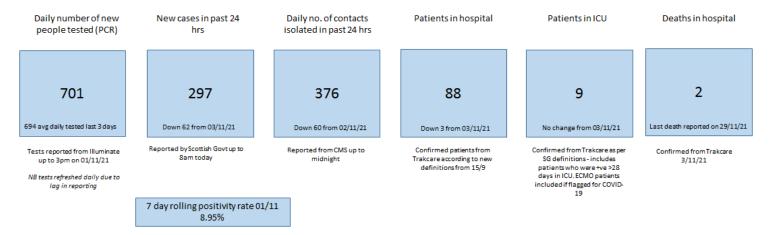


Here is the brief for Thursday 4 November 2021.

Chief Executive message <u>Professor Caroline Hiscox has recorded a video message for staff</u>. In the update, Caroline talks about the focus on supporting those across the organisation and her appreciation for everyone's ongoing efforts. She also speaks about developing a plan for the next six months.

You can get in touch with Caroline at any time by emailing gram.grampianchiefexecutive@nhs.scot

Grampian data The local update for today is shown below.



The Public Health Scotland daily dashboard is available to view via this link.

Medical Conferences Head To TECA Now that P&J Live has gone back to hosting events, it recently delivered one of its largest ever conferences, The British Orthopaedic Association (BOA) Annual Conference from 21st to 24th September, which had sole occupancy of the entire venue and attracted 2,000 delegates per day from across the UK.

The venue has also secured Association of Surgeons in Training Annual Congress 2022, British Society of Prosthodontics Annual Conference 2022, the British Society for Haemostasis and Thrombosis Annual Conference 2022, the Alzheimer's Research UK Annual Research Conference, British Gynaecological Cancer Society Annual Meeting 2023, attracting a combined total of approximately 7,750 delegates to the region. If you are part of a specialist association and would like to promote Grampian as a conference option, please email lesley.meldrum@nhs.scot

COP26 Events The NHS Scotland Global Citizenship Programme has scheduled an exciting programme of sustainability events in November for NHS staff to hear how they can be part of NHS Scotland's global health contribution, both here in Scotland and overseas. A list of key events can be viewed by clicking here.

Tune for the day You don't need us to tell you that, on this day in 1997 Shania Twain released her third studio album, Come On Over. Produced by her then husband Mutt Lang – the same man who was at the recording desk for many of Def Leppard, AC/DC, Foreigner and Bryan Adams' best offerings – the album offered-up absolute bangers including Man! I Feel Like a Woman, That Don't Impress Me Much and Don't Be Stupid (You Know I Love You). We can't pick between them, therefore enjoy a triple-header for today's TFTD.

If you want to request a song for tune of the day, follow up on items included in this brief, or suggest an item for sharing, drop us an email via gram.communications@nhs.scot	