

# The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine

## ICM Unit Brief

### Part 1 Hospital Details

#### 1.1 Hospital name

University Hospital Wishaw

#### 1.2 Full address (you **must** include postcode)

50 Netherton Street  
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Lanarkshire  
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#### 1.3 Hospital Telephone number

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### Part 2 ICU Department contact details

#### 2.1 Direct telephone number to Department

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#### 2.2 Faculty Tutor name

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#### 2.3 Faculty Tutor Email address

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### Part 3 Unit Structure

#### 3.1 Number of Beds

12

#### 3.2 Number of admissions

#### 3.3 Percentage of elective vs emergency admissions

<1% elective admissions

#### 3.4 Overview of case mix within the unit

There is a wide mix of medical and surgical admissions in the context of a busy > 600 bedded district general hospital. In the Adult Critical Care Unit there are 12 beds shared between ICU and surgical HDU patients. Surgical specialties include upper GI (including oesophagectomy), colorectal, breast, plastics, orthopaedics & trauma and gynaecology. Medical specialties include respiratory, cardiology, gastroenterology, diabetes/endocrine, rheumatology and haematology. In-patient surgical and medical paediatrics, neo-natal and maternity unit (>5000 deliveries per year) also within hospital.

### 3.5 Names of Consultants, roles and areas of interest

Name	Role (eg clinical lead, consultant)	Areas of Interest
Iain Lang	M&M lead	RRT, percutaneous tracheostomy
Stephan Dalchow	Deputy Medical Site Chief	
Phil Lucie	Clinical lead, SICSAG lead, ICM Educational Supervisor	ICU Follow-up clinic, paediatric anaesthesia
Lorraine Bell	Paediatric lead	Major colorectal anaesthesia
Kathryn Bennett	Trauma lead, College tutor	Transfer medicine (EMRS), simulation
Aneta Sowinska	CLOD	FUSIC mentor, vascular access, upper GI anaesthesia
Lorna Young	FICM tutor, Cons rota lead, ICM educational supervisor	Paediatric anaesthesia
Dominic Strachan	Research lead, FUSIC mentor, ICM Educational supervisor	FICE, trauma, vasc access
Stuart D'Sylva		SICSAG, toxicology, vasc access, upper GI anaesthesia
Gordon Burns		Education, FUSIC, Ethics

### 3.6 Details of research projects being undertaken within the unit

Involved in national research projects – led by Dr Strachan

### 3.7 How is the unit staffed

We have 10 consultants who all work in anaesthetics and intensive care. Each consultant works a Mon-Thursday in continuity within our Adult critical care unit (ACCU), then does a Saturday on-call. Others provide overnight cover on a 1:10 basis and a Friday / Sunday on-call combination.

#### 4.1 Details of training opportunities on the unit

Trainees are encouraged to review patients on wards, ED and in Adult Critical Care Unit and to participate in multidisciplinary ward rounds / lead them where appropriate. Training is available in all practical skills relative to general intensive care including vascular access, advanced airway management (including percutaneous tracheostomy), renal support, focused intensive care echo. We have a large number of paediatric referrals as the paediatric centre for Lanarkshire and work closely with Scotstar (emergency paediatric retrieval team) as a result.

Trainees are also encouraged to be involved in departmental teaching, including teaching for FY1 colleagues, nurses and multidisciplinary team members.

We hold a weekly MDT on a Tuesday afternoon

#### 4.2 Details of departmental teaching days

Once weekly trainee teaching - rolling programme.  
Simulation training programme run by NHSL  
Friday hospital grand rounds

#### 4.3 Details of clinical governance meetings and / or M & M

Weekly multidisciplinary team meeting  
All deaths reviewed by formal M&M process and discussed at quarterly consultant meeting – though all MDT members are welcome to join

#### 4.4 Number of trainees on each tier of the rota

At any given time we have 2 or more trainees undertaking their formal ICU rotation, with out of hours cover provided by all anaesthetic / ICM trainees on the rota. We also have 3 APCCs who are highly experienced. We have an FY1 assigned to the department on a 4 monthly rotation, and IMT trainees are also welcomed on regular rotations. We now also have an established Stage 3 ICM programme which has had excellent feedback throughout