

The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine

ICM Unit Brief

Part 1 Hospital Details

1.1 Hospital name

St Richard's Hospital, Chichester

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

Spitalfield Lane
Chichester
West Sussex PO19 6SE

1.3 Hospital Telephone number

01243 788122

Part 2 ICU Department contact details

2.1 Direct telephone number to Department

01243 831574

2.2 Department Email address

2.3 Home page of departmental website

2.4 Faculty Tutor name

Dr Philip McGlone

2.5 Faculty Tutor Email address

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Part 3 Unit Structure

3.1 Number of Consultants

nine

3.2 Percentage of elective vs emergency admissions

31%

3.3 Overview of case mix within the unit

Recent ICNARC reports
Surgical Planned: 31%
Surgical Unplanned: 29%
Medical Planned: <1%
Medical Unplanned: 40%

3.4 Details of training opportunities on the unit

DGH workload: typical general medical take plus large numbers of surgical esp elderly colo-rectal and higher-risk orthopaedic.
Occasional Bariatric cases (major centre on South Coast).
Recent COVID experience with extensive prone ventilation and APRV

3.5 Names of Consultants, roles and areas of interest

Name	Role (eg clinical lead, consultant)	Areas of interest
Dr Mike Margaron (2003)	Consultant	Audit Lead, Research Lead
Dr Ruth Prosser (2003)	Consultant	
Dr Justin Dickens (2007)	Clinical Lead, ICM	
Dr Dom Melville (2010)	College Tutor, Anaesthesia	
Dr Andrew Hetreed (2015)	Organ Donation Lead	
Dr Phil McGlone (2017)	FICM Tutor	Education, Research
Dr Caroline Moss (2017)	Consultant	Education
Dr Tim Martindale (2017)	Clinical Lead, Surgery	M&M meetings, Research
Dr Honor Hinxman (2020)	Consultant	Rehabilitation

3.6 Details of research projects being undertaken within the unit

Active research portfolio well supported by research department, primarily linking in to national multicentre studies.

COVID trials ISARIC RECOVERY GENOMICCC Plus some ICU/outreach staff took part in SIREN

Follow up START AKI- just finished chasing this year

Anaesthetic/Peri op PQIP ObsQoR

Part 4

Training

4.1 Details of departmental teaching days

All new trainees sent on BASIC courses
Monthly Thursday morning ITU teaching

4.2 Details of clinical governance meetings and / or M & M

Quarterly afternoon ICU Clinical Governance sessions
Monthly M&M meetings

4.3 Details of in-house courses available

ITU teaching once per month Thursday morning.

4.4 Details of junior doctor shift patterns (including on call)

Three tiers of trainee overnight, plus dedicated ICU consultant plus theatre/Obs consultant.

One to two medicine FY3 trainees rotating through weekdays.

Additional trainee during daytime at weekends, or if registrar on call is undertaking ICU module.

Standard 13 hour shifts, fully WTD compliant

4.5 Details of senior doctor shift patterns (including on call)

All nine consultants have an anaesthesia background, working 40% of DCC in ICM and 60% in anaesthesia.

Rotas are one in nine weeks Monday to Friday morning, and one in nine weeks of Friday to Monday morning (with internal cover), both spells finishing with a two hour protected handover period from 8-10 on the final morning.

On calls of same frequency, always the Monday night of the ICU week and the Friday/Sunday nights of the ICU weekend, with Tues/Wed/Thurs and Saturday nights variable.

Part 5 Additional information

5.1 Please provide any additional information about the unit

Linked to sister unit in Worthing, quarterly cross-site business and academic meetings.

Active Audit and Quality Improvement Programme with annual multidisciplinary Audit/QIP afternoon meeting held late June, to review Annual ICNARC report and best projects / Audits of the year.

Critical Care was reviewed and rated outstanding in CQC inspection of Sept 2019