

Research Snapshot

Your inside look into the world of research at SFH

Sherwood Forest Hospitals
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Welcome to a summer edition of The Research Snapshot. As a team we want to share with you our plans on moving forward following the COVID-19 pandemic. We have a range of studies that have now re-opened and are looking forward to re-building our portfolio

we have grown
we have developed
we are successful



This is a Research study to determine short and long term effects of COVID-19: physical, psychological and social impact. It also looks at associations between long-short-term outcomes, patients demographics, genetics and socioeconomic status. This is a data collection study for previous COVID-19 inpatients at SFH.

CCP-CANCER UK

Look out for this new UK study which has been launched to assess the impact of COVID-19 on people with cancer. It will run over 12 months and will examine questions that are important for the care of patients with cancer. The study will also determine COVID-19 infection and mortality rates in people with different types of cancer, as well as those receiving different treatments, by collecting and analysing patient data.

Research Champions

The purpose of a research champion is to improve awareness and promotion of clinical research, increase patient's opportunity to take part in research and improve departmental working relations. This links in with the trusts CARE values and the 2 year vision.

The Research Champion role is now an official link role. It involves helping to identify suitable patients for research studies in your area. Full training is provided and updated annually. This will provide our patients with wider opportunities to participate in research, helping to benefit future treatments and outcomes.

If you would like to become a Research Champion or have any questions, please contact Philip Buckley on x2521 or philip.buckley@nhs.net or Terri-Ann Sewell on x3990 or terri.sewell@nhs.net.



The Research Academy is BACK!

My name is Jill and I have worked on the Critical Care Unit (CCU) for nearly 20 years.

I was given the opportunity, a couple of years ago to be involved in Research on the unit. I was offered a Secondment for one day a week working with the Research and Innovation team, helping with CCU trials and learning the role of a Research Nurse. My Research role included screening, recruiting, collecting data and following patients up on trials. I thoroughly enjoyed it but, during the COVID-19 pandemic I was pulled back to CCU. This July I was given this amazing opportunity again but for three days a week working on the CCU trials. Doing three days a week I feel I have been able to put my heart into the research post. The support I have been receiving has been amazing both from the Research and Innovation department and on the unit and I am extremely grateful for this. CCU is becoming more research active and being a part of this is exciting. If anyone has the opportunity like I have I would definitely recommend it.

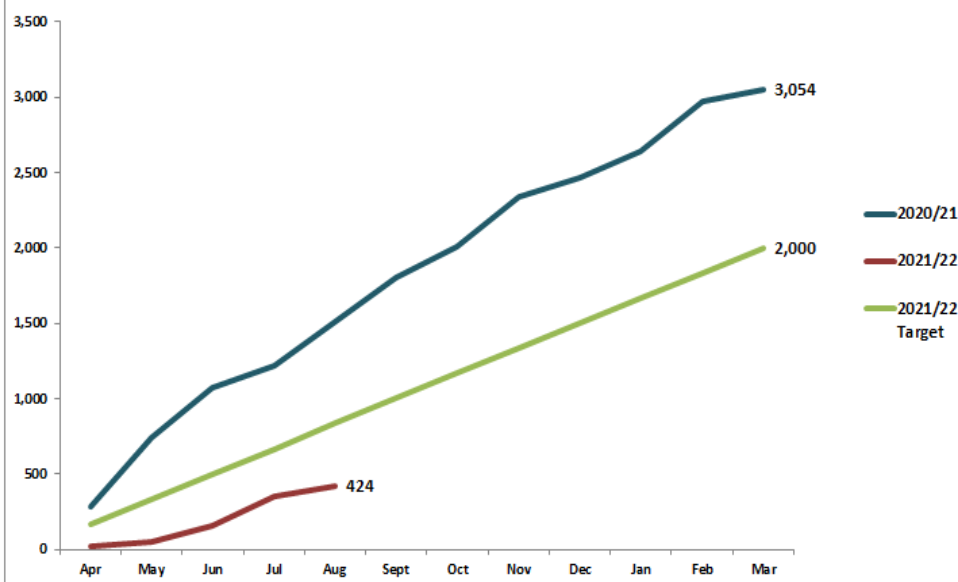


Psychological impact of COVID- 19- pandemic and experience: An international survey

How is coronavirus impacting you? What is helping or perhaps harming your mental health and wellbeing? Can you spare 15 minutes to complete a questionnaire to help increase our understanding of how coronavirus and the changing restrictions are affecting people? bit.ly/PIOC19-3



Cumulative Monthly Recruitment 20-21 and 21-22



	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
2020/21	286	746	1,071	1,222	1,513	1,806	2,005	2,335	2,468	2,640	2,972	3,054
2021/22	25	55	154	355	424							
2021/22 Target	167	334	501	668	835	1,002	1,169	1,336	1,503	1,670	1,837	2,000



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 Participant in Research Experience Survey
 The SIREN study at Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust



THANK YOU!

We would like to say thank you to all the Consultants, Ward Staff and support departments across the trust for your help and commitment as we re-opened and continue to rebuild our Research portfolio

