

## **NW ICM Unit Guide**

**Hospital: Wriglington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust**

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**Contact number for Unit:**

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**Number of beds:**

11 bedded unit with capacity to ventilate 7 patients. On any given day we usually have 4 level 3 patients and a varying number of level 2 patients. Although we are a mixed medical and surgical ICU, since the removal of the vascular service we only have a small number of elective admissions. These are principally general surgical and complex orthopaedic patients.

**Name of consultants, roles and any specialist interests:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Specialist interest</b>
Dr Nandalan	Consultant, Clinical lead	Severe Sepsis
Dr Sayeed Ahmed	Consultant, Clinical lead	FICE
Dr Wael Khalaf	Consultant, Clinical Director ICU	
Dr Chan	Consultant, Clinical lead	Foundation training
Dr Boyd	Consultant, Clinical lead	Morbidity and Mortality
Dr Teo	Consultant, ICU tutor	Lung Protective Ventilation
Dr Saad	Consultant, Clinical Director Anaesthetics	
Dr Twist	Consultant	

**Junior doctor shift patterns:**

The Unit has 24 hour cover, 70% of the time cover is provided by trainees, and 30% by staff grades and associate specialists.

Shifts are split into two, from 08:30 to 20:30, and from 20:30 to 08:30. The number of night shifts per week expected per trainee is variable and dependent on the number of trainees available to cover the ICU

### **Consultant shift pattern:**

We run a rolling pattern of cover where one consultant covers the unit from 08:30 to 18:00 Monday to Thursday, and a second consultant takes over Friday to Monday, covering the day shift Friday 08:30 to 18:30, and then 48 hour non resident cover, Saturday 08:00 to Monday 08:30. On call is from 18:00 to 08:30 weekdays and we run a 1 in 8 rota

### **ICNARC case mix:**

Latest data from 1/04/2015 to 30/06/2015 indicate a case mix composed of roughly equal sex ratio, mostly Caucasian patients. The surgical:medical admission rate was 53.4% surgical admissions and 46.6% non-surgical. Of the surgical admissions 22.2% were admitted as emergencies. The mean APACHE II score of the patient population was 15.0.

### **Patient populations unique to unit (e.g. transplant, hepatobiliary, neuro, etc):**

We are a standard mixed medical and surgical ICU

### **FFICM exam practice (consultants willing to Viva):**

Most of the ICU consultants would be happy to assist in Viva practice

### **Frequency and type of governance meetings:**

Bi monthly clinical cabinet meeting  
Bi monthly morbidity and morbidity meetings

### **Management opportunities:**

### **Unit teaching programme:**

Weekly Thursday lunchtime journal club  
Monthly ICU teaching  
Two FICM regional training days a year

### **Access to FICE accredited supervisors:**

Dr Sayeed Ahmed

### **Rota master and contact details:**

### **Other training opportunities available on the unit:**

FICE

Surviving Sepsis Training Day

**Research opportunities:**

None, but opportunity exists for such projects to run. We have taken part in national collaborations in the past, to wit; Surviving Sepsis Campaign database, IMPRESS study

**Advanced year trainees:**