



NHS Golden Jubilee: Surgical Centre Expansion



About NHS Golden Jubilee

Since 2002, NHS Golden Jubilee has been providing exceptional care through collaboration for patients across Scotland.

Our facilities include the Golden Jubilee University National Hospital, Research Institute, Conference Hotel, Centre for Sustainable Delivery, and NHS Scotland Academy.

We work with global colleagues from industry to academia to ensure the highest quality of person-centred care.

As Scotland's flagship hospital for elective and specialist care, we house Scotland's largest ophthalmology centre, one of Europe's biggest elective orthopaedic centres, and a major diagnostic imaging service.

Additionally, we manage all heart and lung surgeries for the west of Scotland, including Scotland's only adult heart transplantation unit.

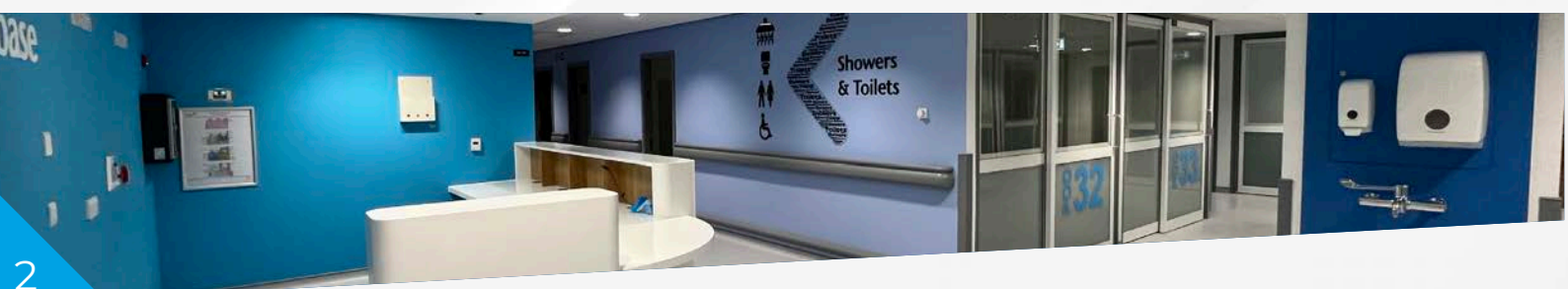
Building on our existing role, supporting every Scottish health board, over the last several years we have been undertaking an ambitious expansion programme.

Designed to significantly increase our capacity and resources, this project aims to ensure that any patient that needs it, no matter where they live across the country, can be referred to NHS Golden Jubilee and receive the care they need as quickly as possible.

Phase 2: Surgical Centre

Continuing our dedication to meet the growing demand in key elective specialties, our new state-of-the-art Surgical Centre will significantly increase our capacity to provide general and orthopaedic surgery, along with vital diagnostic procedures, endoscopy and clinical training.

This will make us one of the largest orthopaedic planned care centre in Europe, and ensuring we are equipped to handle the ever changing needs of NHS Scotland.





New Features

Designed with extensive collaboration and input from patients, staff and third sector colleagues, the site has significantly streamlined patient pathways for an improved experience.

A purpose built and bespoke healthcare setting, the site required 12.8 kilometres of data cabling installed, 1,800 lights throughout the centre and 26.5 miles of steel wire armoured and fire proof power cables.

This is all to support some incredible new features, including:

- 5 state-of-the-art orthopaedic theatres, designed to accommodate robotic surgery, offering the highest care possible to more patients than ever before.
- Laminar flow ventilation, large windows and natural daylight for improved staff experience to support improved patient care.
- An additional 38 patient beds.
- 14 endoscopy patient pods.
- 5 endoscopy procedure rooms, 2 of which are equipped with specialist equipment to allow training to support the NHS Scotland Academy.
- Individual patient pods for enhanced privacy.

Improved patient experience

Our new centre will offer longer operating hours, from 7am-9.30pm, so support improved patient recovery and increase the number of same day discharges.

The site will also have our Enhanced Recovery Programme built into its day to day practices. This allows us to get patients up and mobile on the day of surgery, reducing the risk of complications and speeding up recovery time.

The Future is Now

Our Centre is now operational, supporting patients from across Scotland. This will gradually increase throughout 2025 and beyond.

NHS Golden Jubilee is expected to perform just under 6,200 orthopaedic and over 10,200 endoscopy procedures in 2025/2026.

In the space of 2 years 2023/2024-2025/2026, orthopaedic and endoscopy procedures at NHS Golden Jubilee will both increase by 20%.



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[NHSGoldenJubilee.co.uk](https://www.nhs.uk/goldenjubilee)

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- Investor in People
- Investor in Young People: Gold
- Investors in Diversity Stage 2: Full Investor
- Joint Advisory Group on GI Endoscopy (JAG) Accredited
- Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) Approved Centre
- Scottish Veterans Awards Employer of the Year 2024

