

British Heart Foundation Scotland: West of Scotland Pilot Rollout Update

British Heart Foundation have funded 1.2 WTE Clinical Nurse Specialist Sudden Cardiac Death roles for 24 months to expand and further rollout a successful pilot to implement a new clinical pathway for sudden unexpected death (SUD), sudden cardiac death (SCD), and out-of-hospital cardiac arrest (OHCA) in the West of Scotland. The service is fully operational in the West of Scotland, and the roles have now been appointed. Rollout of the service to the rest of Scotland will be phased as the other Inherited Cardiac Condition (ICC) centres and procurators fiscal from other areas of Scotland are onboarded onto the programme. The aim is to achieve full national coverage by the end of the 24-month period and progress will be monitored throughout.