

Interhospital Transfer of Adult Major (>25% TBSA) burns to Glasgow Royal Infirmary ICU

Regional centres for referring hospitals are available at: <https://www.cobis.scot.nhs.uk/new-patient-referral-pathway/>

<p>Referring hospital with critical care capacity</p>	<p>Refer GRI plastic surgeons</p> <p>Accepted by GRI burns* and critical care consultants</p> <p>Transfer GRI in daylight hours[†]</p> <p>Interim admission to hospital critical care unit</p>
<p>Referring hospital without critical care capacity</p>	<p>Refer GRI plastic surgeons or critical care</p> <p>Accepted by GRI burns* and critical care consultants</p> <p>Transfer GRI</p>

* Consider in-person or electronic review of injuries by GRI burns surgeons to avoid moving patients needlessly remote from their support systems

[†] Majority of tertiary transfers are best undertaken in daylight hours to minimise the physiological insult (e.g. cooling) and scope for error. Consider moving staff / equipment if interventions required more urgently.