Date and Time: 21st of February 2020 19:00- 20:00

**Subject:**  Managing the paediatric patient in a adult ICU?

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BACCN Twitter Chat was launched during the #BACCNConf2016 in Glasgow and it’s been great exploring all your views and opinions on subjects that matters to us all and we are very exited in taking this forward into 2020!

Critically ill children continue to present at their local hospital and the multidisciplinary team will need skills onsite for stabilisation and initial intensive care management. All critical care staff may be required to provide occasional support for the resuscitation and even transfer of critically ill children that present at centres without a PICU.

We wanted to ask the following:

1] Have you been involved in caring for a paediatric patient within your adult ICU?

2] What training / preparation is being and or was provided to you as the Critical Care Nurses to facilitate / prepare for admissions of children to the adult ICU?

3] For those working on Critical Care Outreach teams are you involved in the stabilisation of critically ill children and or transfer?

What’s been your experience, ideas or views? Let’s talk #baccnpaeds

**Reading list:**

1] Guidelines for the provision of Intensive Care Services <https://www.ficm.ac.uk/sites/default/files/gpics_v2_-_version_for_release_-_final2019.pdf>

2] Quality Standards for the Care of Critically Ill Children

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