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## Transcript from March 11, 2011 to March 11, 2011

All times are Pacific Time

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- 7:50 am **SUHT:** Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 7:51 am **paul\_beauchamp:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
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- 7:58 am **carolinebarton:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 8:00 am **SUHT:** Heading up to E level of Southampton General Hospital to say hello to the staff and patients starting their day on #oceanward
- 8:01 am **cristinacost:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am-8pm 4 an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward
- 8:02 am **AdamManning:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 8:05 am **hepvintage:** @SUHT #oceanward No way! My daughter was on Ocean Ward for a week when she had her heart op. We <3
- 8:07 am **BevDP:** @SUHT say hello to my friend Nicky and her son Wills who is going to theatre this morning #oceanward
- 8:08 am **SUHT:** Night staff are handing over to day staff - all change on #oceanward
- 8:08 am **AdamManning:** @SUHT make sure you say hello to Dr Kevin Roman - he's Ben's Doctor and our family's hero! :) #oceanward
- 8:11 am **SUHT:** William, 4, is absorbed playing a computer game while waiting for his surgery. #oceanward
- 8:13 am **SUHT:** Nurse Ruth has come to check William is ready in his surgical gown, and that mum is ok #oceanward
- 8:20 am **SUHT:** Being shown all the facilities with cardiac nurse specialist Gill, finishing at the kitchen used by visiting families #oceanward
- 8:22 am **timolloyd:** RT @SUHT: We're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us 8am-8pm for insight into life on specialist children's cardiac ward #nhssm
- 8:26 am **neilgadhok:** Great comms @SUHT we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 8:27 am **SUHT:** Callum, who's 10 next month, is in The Reef, the teenagers' room. We'll give him a hand with his game. #oceanward
- 8:27 am **neilgadhok:** RT @SUHT: Being shown all the facilities with cardiac nurse specialist Gill, finishing at the kitchen used by visiting families #oceanward
- 8:29 am **SUHT:** Looks like the night staff are heading home. Everyone's getting their coats on at the nurses' station #oceanward
- 8:32 am **Royston\_Smith:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
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- 8:37 am **SUHT:** Dr Wilson from Oxford Radcliffe hospital has come to say hello to Danielle, who is a big Dr Who fan #oceanward
- 8:42 am **SUHT:** Rhiann, 6, is having a hug with mum and dad while waiting to go to the catheter lab for a procedure but will be home tomorrow #oceanward
- 8:46 am **SUHT:** The porters have come up to fetch Rhiann - good luck! #oceanward
- 8:50 am **SUHT:** Nurse practitioner Katie is giving Callum, 9, a health check after his catheter procedure yesterday, to see if he can go home #oceanward
- 8:50 am **DavidSmith1978:** @SUHT are tweeting all day from the paediatric heart ward. I hope it raises the profile of the great staff of Soton's finest! #oceanward
- 8:50 am **Royston\_Smith:** RT @SUHT: Rhiann, 6, is having a hug with mum and dad while waiting to go to the catheter lab for a procedure but will be home tomorrow #oceanward
- 8:52 am **SUHT:** Nurse Katie has her stethoscope out and is now checking the circulation in Callum's feet. He's a big Saints supporter #oceanward
- 8:55 am **dragonmisery:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 8:55 am **ns\_ukgov:** DHgovuk: RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life... <http://bit.ly/dO2PAU>
- 8:56 am **SUHT:** Callum was a mascot at Saints recently. His health check has gone well and Katy is giving mum some home care advice #oceanward
- 8:56 am **AdamManning:** RT @SUHT: Dr Wilson from Oxford Radcliffe hospital has come to say hello to Danielle, who is a big Dr Who fan #oceanward
- 8:58 am **crstinacost:** following the #oceanward today
- 8:58 am **SUHT:** Callum can go home after the doctor prepares his discharge letter, but he's hoping to stay for his lunch. Back to his game now. #oceanward
- 9:00 am **SUHT:** Today's #oceanward tweetathon has been inspired by #walsall24 last week, when Walsall Council tweeted their services for 24 hours.
- 9:01 am **BevDP:** @SUHT will you be tweeting from the Coffee Morning today? #oceanward
- 9:02 am **SUHT:** Callum's last op was when he was 4. The findings from the catheter procedure will help the #oceanward staff decide what op he'll have &when
- 9:04 am **SUHT:** Decisions are made by a multidisciplinary team of nurses, consultants and other specialists. #oceanward
- 9:07 am **SUHT:** Danielle, 4, is up and dressed. Her teddies are getting packed ready for the transfer to Oxford #oceanward
- 9:10 am **SUHT:** And it's medicine time for Danielle. We'll leave her to it. #oceanward
- 9:10 am **lisaharris:** RT @SUHT: Today's #oceanward tweetathon has been inspired by #walsall24 last week, when Walsall Council tweeted their services for 24 hours
- 9:12 am **ErikaLampard:** @SUHT please pass on our thanks to all the staff, Alfie is doing well in DCH and we hope to have him home Wednesday!! #oceanward
- 9:14 am **SUHT:** Specialist nurse Colette is talking to a parent on the phone. #oceanward has a helpline giving advice and support.
- 9:14 am **hepvintage:** #ff Local Loveliness #oceanward @bitternepark @orangerooms
- 9:16 am **SUHT:** The #oceanward helpline advises parents on lifestyle and care issues and supports healthcare professionals caring for heart patients.
- 9:17 am **SUHT:** Dr Ahmad is about to perform an echo scan on a three month old baby girl #oceanward
- 9:19 am **SUHT:** Baby Mia had three heart operations a few weeks ago and this a routine scan after she was sent home on Monday #oceanward
- 9:21 am **SUHT:** Shhh. The hardest thing is keeping a baby quiet during an echo. But Mia is content and calm. #oceanward
- 9:23 am **SUHT:** While Mia lies still for Dr Ahmad to use a tiny scanner on her chest, William, 4, heads for the play room #oceanward
- 9:26 am **SUHT:** We can hear Mia's heartbeat as Dr Ahmad concentrates on the scan. Dad is playing with her feet and she's gazing round the room #oceanward
- 9:28 am **SUHT:** Mia had an initial op for a hole in her heart and an early catheter showed that she needed further surgery to open up a valve. #oceanward
- 9:34 am **SUHT:** William who we met earlier is off to theatre. Porters wheeling an empty bed as he's decided to walk! #oceanward

- 9:36 am **SUHT:** Following the doctors on their morning ward round #oceanward
- 9:37 am **SUHT:** Seb and Ellie are the senior house officers - they're examining Michael who will be 13 next week. #oceanward
- 9:38 am **crstinacost:** RT @SUHT: Following the doctors on their morning ward round #oceanward
- 9:38 am **SUHT:** Michael has had a mitrial valve repair operation, which is open heart surgery. He's hoping to have his pacing wires removed today #oceanward
- 9:41 am **SUHT:** Danielle is having physio now, walking up and down on a big plastic snake. Her sister is keeping her company too #oceanward
- 9:41 am **waggers5:** This is AMAZING: the UK's first hospital Twittathon. Follow the goings on at Southampton's children's heart unit -follow @SUHT or #oceanward
- 9:44 am **WalsallCouncil:** RT @SUHT Today's #oceanward tweetathon is inspired by #walsall24 last week when Walsall Council tweeted their services for 24 hours <- wow!
- 9:45 am **SUHT:** Michael has come all the way from Liskeard for the specialist treatment available here #oceanward
- 9:54 am **SUHT:** Nurse Maddi is making sure Hannah is comfortable, with a huge array of blankets and cuddly toys #oceanward
- 9:57 am **Walsall\_nhoods:** @suht Loving #oceanward :-)
- 10:07 am **danslee:** RT @SUHT Today's #oceanward tweetathon has been inspired by #walsall24 last week, when @WalsallCouncil tweeted their services for 24 hours.
- 10:07 am **SUHT:** The special transfer pod is here to take a baby back to Winchester hospital. Nurse Rachel & driver Mark will be looking after her #oceanward
- 10:09 am **danslee:** @amandacomms Have a look at @SUHT and #oceanward. See what you started with #gmp24 : )
- 10:14 am **Walsall\_nhoods:** @SUHT Thumbs were fine but watch out for becoming addicted! Hope the rest of the day continues to go well for staff & patients at #oceanward
- 10:22 am **SUHT:** Play mat time for baby Hannah, with play specialist Becky. Play specialists help with babies' development and advise parents #oceanward
- 10:23 am **SUHT:** When parents can't be with babies on #oceanward, play specialists and other staff give them some out-of-the-cot time and cuddles.
- 10:26 am **SUHT:** Even babies on continuous feeds and oxygen are able to have some play time as the staff are trained to look after all the tubes #oceanward
- 10:28 am **tom0r3:** RT @SUHT: Today we're tweeting live from #oceanward. Follow us from 8am to 8pm for an insight into life on our specialist children's cardiac ward.
- 10:30 am **SUHT:** The physio asked Danielle's sister to hide cards around the bed, and she's moving and stretching as she hunts for them with clues #oceanward
- 10:34 am **SUHT:** Rhiann's parents are waiting on the ward for news, while she's in the catheter lab #oceanward
- 10:39 am **SUHT:** Staff nurse Maddi is finding out about community parenting groups to support a new mum when she takes her baby home #oceanward
- 10:40 am **SUHT:** Nappy change, a little snooze and a feed have delayed baby Evan's first bath #oceanward
- 10:41 am **saints60:** Please follow @SUHT tweeting live from cardiac ward that is being threatend with closure ... Please Show Support #oceanward
- 10:43 am **SUHT:** Nearly got run over in the corridor by a small girl in a plastic car #oceanward
- 10:46 am **lizmcwilliams:** It's going to be a long day for @MichelleTH and I doing a 12 hour stint tweeting from @SUHT - please follow #oceanward
- 10:47 am **SUHT:** Evan is having a little cry as mum gives him his first hair wash, helped by nurse Maddi #oceanward
- 10:49 am **crstinacost:** RT @lizmcwilliams: It's going to be a long day for @MichelleTH and I doing a 12 hour stint tweeting from @SUHT - please follow #oceanward
- 10:53 am **AcewordsUK:** RT @lizmcwilliams: It's going to be a long day for @MichelleTH and I doing a 12 hour stint tweeting from @SUHT - please follow #oceanward
- 10:54 am **SUHT:** Little Larika, 2, is playing with her parents ahead of a short procedure to close a duct. She's here from Oxford #oceanward
- 10:57 am **SUHT:** Dr Joseph Vettukattil, consultant paediatric cardiologist is just back from Saudi where he ran a workshop on 3D echocardiography #oceanward
- 10:58 am **SUHT:** Dr Joseph will be performing a 3D echo to prepare a child for keyhole surgery later today #oceanward
- 11:01 am **SUHT:** Nurse Jo is carrying out a sedated echo scan with Dr Ahmad. The little patient needs to be observed till the sedation wears off #oceanward

- 11:05 am **SUHT:** If you're wondering why @SUHT is so busy today, we're spending the day following activities on our children's cardiac unit #oceanward
- 11:06 am **SUHT:** Specialist nurse Colette is on a conference call to the Royal College of Nursing about the Safe and Sustainable review #oceanward
- 11:08 am **AcewordsUK:** Staff at Southampton children's cardiac unit doing 12 hr Twitterthon today. Unit @ risk of closure. Pls follow @SUHT or #oceanward
- 11:08 am **danslee:** RT @SUHT If you're wondering why @SUHT is so busy today, we're spending the day following our children's cardiac unit #oceanward
- 11:08 am **SUHT:** Upstairs in the Heartbeat education centre there's a coffee morning for families and friends of #oceanward
- 11:10 am **SUHT:** There's a roomful of gorgeous babies and toddlers who have been patients or are siblings of patients on #oceanward
- 11:16 am **SUHT:** The coffee morning is organised by the Families of #oceanward to keep momentum going, campaigning to keep children's heart surgery at SUHT.
- 11:17 am **nhssm:** @SUHT are tweeting live from their #oceanward, follow the hashtag for a day in a paediatric heart ward. #nhssm
- 11:19 am **SUHT:** William's mum @5hearty5 is attending the coffee morning while she waits for her son to come out of surgery #oceanward
- 11:22 am **SUHT:** This morning is a great opportunity to meet other parents who understand what you are going through #oceanward
- 11:22 am **cristinacost:** Really impressive to follow #oceanward and see the impact it has on those they serve. we shld acknowledge their contribution 2 the community
- 11:27 am **SUHT:** Dr James, Consultant paediatric cardiologist is about to carry out a heart scan #oceanward
- 11:30 am **SUHT:** Rhiann, 6, has just returned from the catheter lab where she's had a procedure to close a hole in her heart #oceanward
- 11:31 am **NHS\_Careers:** RT @nhssm: @SUHT are tweeting live from their #oceanward, follow the hashtag for a day in a paediatric heart ward. #nhssm
- 11:33 am **SUHT:** Danielle, 6, has been out for some fresh air and is now making crispy cakes #oceanward
- 11:33 am **MichelleTH:** Just taking a break from my 12-hour tweetathon duties. Please follow @SUHT and check out #oceanward to see what I've been up to.
- 11:36 am **SUHT:** Harry, 2, is playing with the toy kitchen ahead of his scan with Dr James. #oceanward
- 11:38 am **SUHT:** Dr James sets up the equipment while mum undresses a slightly grumpy Harry and puts him in his pyjamas #oceanward
- 11:39 am **Jenijena:** @indiaknight Southampton children's cardiac unit (at risk) is tweeting all day about the work they do: follow the #oceanward tag
- 11:40 am **AdamManning:** ?@SUHT: Nearly got run over in the corridor by a small girl in a plastic car #oceanward? ha! Yes they can pick up some speed :)
- 11:41 am **SUHT:** You can find out about the review of children's heart surgery and how to have your say at www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable #oceanward
- 11:43 am **indiaknight:** RT @NHS\_Careers: RT @nhssm: @SUHT are tweeting live from their #oceanward, follow the hashtag for a day in a paediatric heart ward. #nhssm
- 11:44 am **RebeccaWatkin:** for a really inspirational #ff - @suht #oceanward Theyre doing a 12 hour tweet from the childrens cardiac unit in Southampton
- 11:44 am **SUHT:** Nurse Ruth is sedating Harry for his scan, as it's vital to get him to lie very still for up to 20 minutes #oceanward
- 11:44 am **AdamManning:** @SUHT Beth and Ben love all the fancy dress costumes in #oceanward - one time there Beth dressed up as a nurse and tried to get a job.
- 11:47 am **indiaknight:** #ff @suht #oceanward Southampton Hospital tweeting for 12 hours from a children's cardiac unit (at risk) #chd #nhs
- 11:48 am **SUHT:** The play specialist Becky and Danielle have made a batch of crispy cakes. Now off to the play room. #oceanward
- 11:49 am **indiaknight:** @Jenijena Thanks very much for that #oceanward
- 11:49 am **SUHT:** Lunch has arrived #oceanward
- 11:50 am **PegasusPR:** RT @nhs\_careers: RT @nhssm: @SUHT are tweeting live from their #oceanward, follow the hashtag for a day in a paediatric heart ward. #nhssm
- 11:50 am **StuartHehir:** RT @nhs\_careers: RT @nhssm: @SUHT are tweeting live from their #oceanward, follow the hashtag for a day in a paediatric heart ward. #nhssm

- 11:54 am **SUHT:** We're waiting for the PICU ambulance to return from Winchester, then Danielle will be off. #oceanward
- 11:56 am **MILLYBIRD:** RT @indiaknight: #ff @suht #oceanward Southampton Hospital tweeting for 12 hours from a children's cardiac unit (at risk) #chd #nhs
- 11:58 am **SUHT:** Harry, 2, is chilling on the bed with mum while the sedation kicks in #oceanward
- 12:00 pm **SUHT:** The ambulance is here so Danielle, 6, so her family are finishing packing her belongings and saying goodbye to the staff #oceanward
- 12:01 pm **lisaharris:** RT @MILLYBIRD: RT @indiaknight: #ff @suht #oceanward Southampton Hospital tweeting for 12 hours from a children's cardiac unit (at risk)
- 12:03 pm **SUHT:** Dr James has started Harry's scan. Keeping Harry distracted is a 2 person job. #oceanward
- 12:03 pm **lisaharris:** RT @lizmcwilliams: It's going to be a long day for @MichelleTH and I doing a 12 hour stint tweeting from @SUHT - please follow #oceanward
- 12:06 pm **SUHT:** Harry's trying to help Dr James with his scan. A future doctor on #oceanward maybe?
- 12:07 pm **SUHT:** I can smell food, it must be lunch time on #oceanward
- 12:07 pm **crstinacost:** RT @lisaharris: Via @indiaknight: #ff @suht #oceanward Southampton Hospital tweeting for 12hours from a children's cardiac unit (at risk)
- 12:08 pm **SUHT:** Larika, 2, has just gone down to her procedure in the cath lab. Danielle is doing a breathing test before she leaves #oceanward
- 12:12 pm **SUHT:** Mark and Rachel are back from their Winchester run, ready to transfer Danielle back to Oxford. Coats are on, ready to go #oceanward
- 12:16 pm **SUHT:** Harry's scan is finished, Dr James will be back soon to talk it through with mum. Harry's very proud of the stickers he got! #oceanward
- 12:17 pm **JenijenA:** Really, really, really, follow #oceanward
- 12:18 pm **SUHT:** Play specialist Jo used some distraction techniques with Harry, to keep him happy while Dr James did the scan #oceanward
- 12:20 pm **SUHT:** Once the sedation wears off Harry can have lunch. Right now he's busy putting his stickers on his cheeks! #oceanward
- 12:20 pm **Royston\_Smith:** RT @SUHT: Michael has come all the way from Liskeard for the specialist treatment available here #oceanward
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- 12:25 pm **SUHT:** Baby getting ready to be transferred to Winchester in the PICU ambulance, with mark and Rachel #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48fz58>
- 12:28 pm **SUHT:** All the #oceanward staff are saying goodbye to Danielle & her mum -mixed emotions. Bye Danielle! She has teddy and nurse Rachel for company.
- 12:31 pm **SUHT:** Dr James is back on #oceanward now to speak to Harry's mum. Discussing future treatment options. Harry's still busy with his stickers!
- 12:34 pm **SUHT:** Celebrity baby Hannah Slater with play specialist Becky #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48g1aq>
- 12:35 pm **SUHT:** Harry's very pleased with his cheese sandwiches. Once he's eaten those he should be allowed to go home #oceanward
- 12:38 pm **SUHT:** Sarah, a healthcare assistant, is here to clean Danielle's bed and get it ready for the next child #oceanward
- 12:39 pm **SUHT:** Danielle, six, with a thank you note she's made for the nurses #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48g2d6>
- 12:39 pm **RhiannonBluemel:** RT @SUHT: Baby getting ready to be transferred to Winchester in the PICU ambulance, with mark and Rachel #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48fz58>
- 12:42 pm **SUHT:** Nurse practitioner Katy is on the phone, busy planning some more surgical referrals from Oxford and beyond #oceanward
- 12:42 pm **JenijenA:** @SUHT loving Danielle's spotty socks & shirt. Good luck to her, and thanks for all the tweets from #oceanward
- 12:43 pm **KateGoodallWM:** RT @SUHT Danielle, six, with a thank you note she's made for the nurses #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48g2d6> << Fab!
- 12:48 pm **SUHT:** Pain nurse Lizzie has just arrived to see some of the children after their surgery

#oceanward

12:49 pm **danslee:** RT @KateGoodallWM: RT @SUHT Danielle, six, with a thank you note she's made for the nurses #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48g2d6> << Fab!

12:52 pm **SUHT:** Gill, the liaison nurse, has been writing letters to schools who have children with heart conditions, with lots of useful info #oceanward

12:54 pm **SUHT:** For the first time today there's not much to report from #oceanward. Think everyone's busy tucking into their lunch.

1:00 pm **SUHT:** One year old Florence is watching the fish on #oceanward. We'll be heading to the catheter lab later to watch her procedure.

1:01 pm **SUHT:** Dr Vettukattil has revolutionised how 3D echocardiography is used to diagnose heart conditions like Harry's #oceanward <http://ow.ly/4cp1Y>

1:02 pm **SUHT:** Florence was born 3 months early and has a hole in her heart, which the doctors will be closing later in a procedure called a PDA #oceanward

1:04 pm **lizmcwilliams:** @EHealthInsider Have you been following our 12 hour tweet on @SUHT #oceanward? <http://bit.ly/e8YGJa>

1:06 pm **junk\_monkey:** Interested in what a paediatric cardiac centre does? Follow @SUHT for 12 hours of tweets for a day in the life. Fascinating. #oceanward

1:09 pm **tom0r3:** @SamHearn yup! Follow @SUHT or #oceanward, this is live !

1:10 pm **junk\_monkey:** @pollytoynbee Following your interest in NHS, check out @SUHT today - live tweeting a day in the life of Paed cardiac ward #oceanward

1:12 pm **SUHT:** Just been catching up with Rihann, who's back on #oceanward after her operation. It went well and she too is having lunch now.

1:13 pm **Jas:** #FF @SUHT Soton's children heart unit in the UK's first hospital Twitterthon. Learn more <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward

1:13 pm **cristinacost:** RT @Jas: #FF @SUHT Soton's children heart unit in the UK's first hospital Twitterthon. Learn more <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward

1:13 pm **SUHT:** Rihann's op took longer than expected, so mum's busy making calls and reassuring the rest of the family that everything's ok #oceanward

1:18 pm **SouthamptonCC:** RT @Jas: #FF @SUHT Soton's children heart unit in the UK's first hospital Twitterthon. Learn more <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward

1:27 pm **SUHT:** Harry is up and about - the sedation has definitely worn off! Just waiting to get the ok to go home #oceanward

1:29 pm **SUHT:** PDA stands for patent ductus arteriosus. It's when a blood vessel that's supposed to close after birth, fails to do so #oceanward

1:33 pm **SUHT:** Florence is heading off to have her general anaesthetic and get ready for her operation, so we've left #oceanward & are in the cath labs.

1:34 pm **CHD\_UK:** RT @SUHT: PDA stands for patent ductus arteriosus. It's when a blood vessel that's supposed to close after birth, fails to do so #oceanward

1:35 pm **SUHT:** It's an emotional time for mums and dads, but Florence is in very safe hands #oceanward

1:41 pm **SUHT:** One of the radiographers, Angela, is explaining Florence's procedure #oceanward

1:43 pm **SUHT:** Quick pressure measurements and angiograms are taken to check the anatomy of the heart #oceanward

1:45 pm **wdon:** RT @SUHT: Dr Vettukattil has revolutionised how 3D echocardiography is used to diagnose heart conditions like Harry's #oceanward <http://ow.ly/4cp1Y>

1:46 pm **danslee:** RT @SUHT One year old Florence is watching the fish on #oceanward. We'll be heading to the catheter lab later to watch her procedure.

1:46 pm **SUHT:** The duct is measured and a device of the right size is selected and inserted, then scanned to check it's in the right place #oceanward

1:48 pm **SUHT:** The device is released and it's all over. Another echocardiogram will be carried out today or tomorrow. #oceanward

1:51 pm **marcusguinane:** Fantastic live updates from the amazing children's cardiac unit at Southampton Hospital -> <http://twitter.com/#!/SUHT> #oceanward #fb

1:52 pm **SUHT:** Larika, 2, is back from her procedure. We'll check in on her later #oceanward

1:54 pm **SUHT:** Baby Hannah has a very special visitor in her hospital cot: her twin, Lauren. #oceanward

1:56 pm **SUHT:** Not sure how happy Hannah is to see Lauren. Certainly making a lot of noise in the #oceanward nursery.

1:58 pm **SUHT:** Baby Evan, 11 days, is going to the treatment room with nurse Maddi to have a stitch taken out of his tummy #oceanward

- 1:59 pm **royalmarsden:** Big #followfriday to @SUHT tweeting live from their specialist children's cardiac ward all day til 8pm #oceanward
- 2:04 pm **SUHT:** Evan was very good and didn't cry, says nurse Maddi. Mum is glad to have him back for a cuddle #oceanward
- 2:07 pm **SUHT:** Hannah and Lauren are now gazing adoringly at one another in the cot #oceanward
- 2:09 pm **SUHT:** Hannah has to come off her special continuous feeding tube before the doctors will consider sending her home, to Petersfield #oceanward
- 2:09 pm **MichelleTH:** RT @lizmcwilliams It's going to be a long day for @MichelleTH and I doing a 12 hour stint tweeting from @SUHT - please follow #oceanward
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- 2:20 pm **RhiannonBluemel:** RT @SUHT: A very creative 5 year old patient is handing out the chocolate crispy cakes she made earlier with play specialist Becky #oceanward
- 2:22 pm **SUHT:** It would be rude not to sample a cake. They were made in the special families' kitchen on #oceanward
- 2:26 pm **AdamManning:** ?@SUHT: It would be rude not to sample a cake. They were made in the special families' kitchen on #oceanward? ah, the hardship of it all ;)
- 2:27 pm **nhssm:** Will a transcript of today's #oceanward tweets be available?
- 2:29 pm **include\_music\_h:** @lizmcwilliams Would you be interested in sharing your work with #oceanward on the #nhssm blog?
- 2:29 pm **SUHT:** The kitchen is a haven for relatives to make a cup of tea and take a break. One teen patient has told gran to go away for a bit. #oceanward
- 2:34 pm **SUHT:** Michael, 12, is feeling groggy. He came out of intensive care on Tuesday after having a valve repaired on Monday. #oceanward
- 2:38 pm **SUHT:** Michael's condition was not diagnosed until he was 4. His first valve replacement was at Oxford. #oceanward
- 2:41 pm **SUHT:** Michael had his dressing removed today but still has some cannulas in place and he's in the high dependency bay being observed. #oceanward
- 2:43 pm **tom0r3:** RT @SUHT: It would be rude not to sample a cake. They were made in the special families' kitchen on #oceanward
- 2:45 pm **SUHT:** Baby Hannah and her special visitor, her twin Lauren #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48h02h>
- 2:48 pm **SUHT:** How handy - the League of Friends have brought round their mobile shop, a trolley of sweets and magazines #oceanward
- 2:51 pm **SUHT:** One 11 year old patient has just been discharged, clutching balloons. She had a catheter test yesterday, on her birthday #oceanward
- 2:53 pm **SUHT:** William, 4, is still in theatre. Heart surgery can take 4-5 hours. Some children spend 12 hours in theatre for very complex ops #oceanward
- 2:53 pm **SUHT:** Families of #oceanward at their coffee morning <http://twitpic.com/48h2hy>
- 3:02 pm **SUHT:** Mr Marku Kaarne, consultant cardiac surgeon, has popped in to tell William's mum that the operation went well #oceanward
- 3:04 pm **SUHT:** From the post-surgical recovery room, William will be transferred to the paediatric intensive care unit (PICU) #oceanward
- 3:05 pm **AdamManning:** ?@SUHT: Baby Hannah and her special visitor, her twin Lauren #oceanward <http://t.co/xHDs5SY?> beautiful photo :)
- 3:07 pm **SUHT:** Families of #oceanward at their coffee morning <http://twitpic.com/48h6aq>
- 3:10 pm **SUHT:** One of the parents had just put on a load of washing in the Sluice room #oceanward
- 3:10 pm **SUHT:** The school tutor has been in this afternoon, making sure our young patients don't miss out #oceanward
- 3:12 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Ruth escorts Florence's parents down to the catheter lab, where the procedure is over. The artery is closed #oceanward
- 3:13 pm **lisaharris:** RT @AdamManning: ?@SUHT: Baby Hannah and her special visitor, her twin Lauren #oceanward <http://t.co/xHDs5SY?> beautiful photo :) <yay!
- 3:13 pm **SUHT:** Dr Wilson from Oxford hospitals carried out the procedure on little Florence. #oceanward
- 3:13 pm **Jas:** RT @SUHT: Nurse Ruth escorts Florence's parents down to the catheter lab, where the procedure is over. The artery is closed #oceanward
- 3:15 pm **SUHT:** Mum's getting a lift back to #oceanward, sitting on the trolley holding Florence, 1,

- wheeled by the porters.
- 3:17 pm **lisaharris:** RT @Jas: #FF @SUHT Soton's children heart unit in the UK's first hospital Twitterthon. Learn more <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward
- 3:18 pm **SUHT:** Lots of bed movements and porters on #oceanward. Better get out of the way.
- 3:19 pm **SUHT:** Michael's on the move, out of high dependency and into the Coral room - his own space. Peace and quiet! #oceanward
- 3:22 pm **SUHT:** Carolyn, our psychologist, is here talking to staff about a patient who's struggling in the community after being discharged from #oceanward
- 3:24 pm **SUHT:** The play specialists work closely with the psychologist when patients struggle with aspects of their treatment such as needles #oceanward
- 3:25 pm **SUHT:** Register for your local consultation event to find out about the national review of children's heart surgery <http://ow.ly/4c0ld> #oceanward
- 3:26 pm **SUHT:** Staff nurse Teresa has been giving intravenous antibiotics to a 5 year old with a permanent pacemaker #oceanward
- 3:28 pm **SUHT:** An antibiotic infusion will take at least half an hour. The patient watches TV with nanny while she waits #oceanward
- 3:30 pm **SUHT:** Caroline the ward clerk is on the phone, arranging for a patient to transfer to #oceanward from Oxford on Monday.
- 3:31 pm **SUHT:** It's afternoon tea time in the liaison office. Where's mine?! #oceanward
- 3:33 pm **SUHT:** A porter brings a delivery from the pharmacy; medicines for patients to take home. #oceanward
- 3:34 pm **lisaharris:** @indiaknight please can you produce something for the Times re #oceanward? It would be fantastic publicity for them :-)
- 3:35 pm **SUHT:** I've never used so much alcohol hand gel in my life. Hand hygiene is an essential part of the routine here on #oceanward
- 3:36 pm **SUHT:** Florence, 1, is having a very peaceful time with mum. She's had some milk and recovering well from her procedure. #oceanward
- 3:40 pm **SUHT:** Some beautiful colouring is being done by play specialist Jo and Rhiann, 6, who had a catheter procedure this morning #oceanward
- 3:42 pm **SUHT:** Rhiann particularly likes the funky bright decoration of the #oceanward play room, and all the toys.
- 3:44 pm **SUHT:** One of the #oceanward mums, Sam, who is campaigning to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton <http://twitpic.com/48hgr6>
- 3:49 pm **SUHT:** As her prize for having her cannula put in yesterday, Rhiann received a whoopee cushion and stickers on her chart #oceanward
- 3:50 pm **SotonA\_buzz:** RT @SUHT: One of the #oceanward mums, Sam, who is campaigning to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton <http://twitpic.com/48hgr6>
- 3:52 pm **SotonA\_buzz:** RT @SUHT: Register for your local consultation event to find out about the national review of children's heart surgery <http://ow.ly/4c0ld> #oceanward
- 3:54 pm **SUHT:** Michael, 12, is pleased he's out of high dependency. He's in his own room with a TV and pizza and lots of family visiting him. #oceanward
- 3:59 pm **crstinacost:** RT @SavetheUnit3052: @SUHT any chance of a mention? SOTON uni students campaigning to keep the surgery open! @SavetheUnit3052 #oceanward #FB
- 4:09 pm **lisaharris:** @SarahBrownUK Please can you RT? Campaign to save the Southampton Hospital Children's Cardiac Unit? <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward
- 4:11 pm **SUHT:** For more information about safe and sustainable and how you can help visit [www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable](http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable) #oceanward
- 4:15 pm **SUHT:** William is now getting settled on PICU and we'll be joining his mum soon when she goes to see him #oceanward
- 4:18 pm **Jas:** @stephenfry Please can you RT? Campaign to save the Southampton Hospital Children's Cardiac Unit? <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward
- 4:21 pm **SUHT:** Rachel is back, after her trip to Oxford with Danielle. Quick cup of tea and then she'll be off home - no more transfers today #oceanward
- 4:23 pm **SUHT:** Meanwhile, nurse practitioner Katy is arranging next week's surgical outpatients appointments and an urgent surgery case #oceanward
- 4:29 pm **SUHT:** Some local students have joined the campaign to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton #oceanward <http://ow.ly/4czel> @savetheunit3052
- 4:33 pm **SUHT:** It's all very peaceful in the nursery on #oceanward. Evan is sleeping and Hannah chilling out with her mum and twin, Lauren.
- 4:35 pm **Jas:** @geekaren Thx for your support! #oceanward

- 4:39 pm **SUHT:** Florence is sleeping too, mum's reading a book. It's been a long day for them, but time to relax now #oceanward
- 4:43 pm **SUHT:** Checking out the #oceanward playroom - so many lovely toys, mostly bought with charitable donations.
- 4:51 pm **SUHT:** Leaving #oceanward now to visit William in PICU
- 4:52 pm **SUHT:** Sorry for the short hiatus - we lost our wireless access while we moved through the hospital. #oceanward
- 4:53 pm **melsheppard:** RT @Jas Please can you RT? Campaign to save the Southampton Hospital Children's Cardiac Unit? <http://jasshar.es/hBXu2d> #oceanward
- 4:54 pm **SUHT:** Mum is happy and relieved to see William. He's hooked up to lots of tube and monitoring equipment and still unconscious. #oceanward
- 4:59 pm **SUHT:** Staff nurse Amy is carrying out observations, which are regular checks on William's blood and other indicators of his health #oceanward
- 5:03 pm **SUHT:** Dr James comes over to check on William, then heads off to talk to some VIP visitors who've arrived on PICU. #oceanward
- 5:07 pm **SUHT:** Medical director Michael Marsh set up PICU 12 years ago. He's here keeping an eye on some patients and misses working here #oceanward
- 5:09 pm **SUHT:** William is being kept sedated so that doctors can insert another cannula, and then they'll bring him round #oceanward
- 5:09 pm **SUHT:** The councillors will be helping us with our fight to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton #oceanward - thanks @southamptoncc
- 5:12 pm **AdamManning:** RT @SUHT: The councillors will be helping us with our fight to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton #oceanward - thanks @southamptoncc
- 5:12 pm **SUHT:** Leader of SCC, fellow councillors and community reps speak to a PICU consultant and tour the unit #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48i6c8>
- 5:13 pm **SUHT:** Mr Marcus Haw, one of our top surgeons, is explaining all about the work we do here #oceanward
- 5:15 pm **SUHT:** Leader of SCC, local councillors and community reps speak to a PICU consultant and tour the unit #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48i70p>
- 5:17 pm **AdamManning:** @SUHT what about a photo of your staff who are doing all the tweeting about #oceanward - they're heroes too :)
- 5:18 pm **SUHT:** William's mum @5hearty5 will be here at his bedside for the rest of the evening now. Using the #oceanward tag although we're on PICU now.
- 5:19 pm **SUHT:** Time to leave PICU to the specialists and go back up to #oceanward
- 5:20 pm **SUHT:** Patient, William, under sedation in PICU #oceanward <http://twitpic.com/48i8a7>
- 5:26 pm **SUHT:** Michael and his family are in the teenagers' room playing pool and watching TV #oceanward
- 5:28 pm **SUHT:** Nurse specialist Gill says we need traffic lights on the ward, as the kids enjoy driving their toy cars up and down. #oceanward
- 5:31 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Kerry and healthcare assistant Sarah are dishing out dinner. Sweetcorn, jacket potatoes, chilli... Yum. #oceanward
- 5:34 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Maddi is giving baby Hannah a new nasogastric tube, which takes her food direct to her stomach. #oceanward
- 5:35 pm **SUHT:** You can fill in an online questionnaire to have your say on the national review of children's heart surgery <http://ow.ly/4c0QW> #oceanward
- 5:37 pm **SUHT:** Baby Evan is enjoying a spell in the swing chair while mum sits back and has a rest. #oceanward
- 5:38 pm **Jas:** @melsheppard Thanks for you support Shep! #oceanward
- 5:39 pm **SUHT:** The councillors from @southamptoncc have now arrived on #oceanward to meet some of the children and staff here.
- 5:40 pm **AcewordsUK:** ## to @lizmcwilliams and @SUHT for their Tweetathon on Southampton children's cardiac #oceanward. Keep up the great work!
- 5:44 pm **SUHT:** Our visitors have popped into our teenagers' room, known as The Reef. Wonder if they'll join in the game of pool? #oceanward
- 5:47 pm **SUHT:** The next stop for our @southamptoncc guests is Shell Bay, the nursery, where they'll meet Hannah and Evan #oceanward
- 5:50 pm **SUHT:** Talking to @Royston\_Smith, the leader of @southamptoncc - he's been enjoying our tweetathon from #oceanward today.
- 5:54 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Ruth is preparing medicines for baby Hannah - five different ones in total #oceanward

- 5:54 pm **Scrumppreserves:** RT @SUHT: Some local students have joined the campaign to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton #oceanward <http://ow.ly/4czel> @savetheunit3052
- 5:57 pm **Scrumppreserves:** RT @SUHT: You can fill in an online questionnaire to have your say on the national review of children's heart surgery <http://ow.ly/4c0QW> #oceanward
- 5:59 pm **SUHT:** Everyone's busy with dinner. The ice cream went down particularly well with Larika, who was in the catheter lab earlier. #oceanward
- 6:05 pm **KateGoodallWM:** Leaving work. Shopping. Home. First must congrat @suht on tweeting about #oceanward today. Absolutely fascinating. Thx for letting us in.
- 6:06 pm **SUHT:** #oceanward treats around 360 new patients every year and carries out about 400 operations.
- 6:09 pm **SUHT:** @KateGoodallWM thank you! Really glad you've enjoyed #oceanward
- 6:10 pm **SUHT:** RT @dailyecho Heart surgeons saved and inspired young Laura <http://dlvr.it/Jr9v4> #oceanward
- 6:10 pm **SUHT:** Hiccups for baby Evan as he has an evening feed. #oceanward
- 6:11 pm **BevDP:** have enjoyed keeping up with @SUHT #oceanward today. Baby Lucy had her first heart operation there at 2 days old in Dec 1999
- 6:12 pm **SUHT:** Lauren is back in the cot with her twin, baby Hannah. They're fascinated by the mobile and enjoying tummy strokes from mum. #oceanward
- 6:14 pm **MichelleTH:** Less than two hours to go with our @suht 12 hour tweet. Have really enjoyed my day on #oceanward - a real eye opener.
- 6:14 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Teresa is getting some pain relief for one of the older teenagers on #oceanward, who had her op yesterday.
- 6:17 pm **SUHT:** Some parts of #oceanward are sleepy and quiet but there is still activity in the playroom.
- 6:20 pm **SUHT:** Larika has just been allowed to walk again so she's enjoying playing with the toy camper vans and animals. #oceanward
- 6:23 pm **SUHT:** Just been presented with some lovely drawings by one of the artistic young ladies currently residing on #oceanward
- 6:30 pm **SUHT:** RT @bournemouthecho: Two Dorset mums fight to save child surgery at Southampton hospital <http://bit.ly/gc5kD1> #oceanward
- 6:30 pm **SUHT:** Like many #oceanward patients, Larika carries a remote monitoring device to enable staff to check her heart rhythm while she moves around.
- 6:31 pm **SUHT:** Data from the mobile monitoring devices and high dependency beds is picked up on computers at the #oceanward nurses' station.
- 6:34 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Georgina has brought a patient down from G level for a scan. #oceanward
- 6:36 pm **SUHT:** Writing up patient notes is one of nurse Kerry's last tasks before she can go home for the day. #oceanward
- 6:37 pm **SUHT:** Just seen Dr Ahmad again, who we met first thing. He's doing an echo on 8mth old Matilda who had a stroke on Wednesday #oceanward
- 6:44 pm **SUHT:** Dr James is going to the Princess Anne Hospital to confirm a diagnosis for a newborn baby #oceanward
- 6:47 pm **SUHT:** The baby who Dr James is seeing was scanned while still in the womb, and may have a minor heart abnormality #oceanward
- 6:48 pm **SUHT:** Matilda's having her echo scan now, while mum distracts her with toys. She's being very good - I bet the gel's cold on her chest! #oceanward
- 6:50 pm **carlylou:** #ff @SUHT to hear all about the important work of #oceanward - the children's heart surgery unit under three of closure in #Southampton
- 6:50 pm **SUHT:** Spoke too soon, a few tears from Matilda now. The doctors are trying to find out why she had the stroke #oceanward
- 6:51 pm **SUHT:** Rhiann and her mum are exploring the #oceanward DVD collection. Perhaps Nanny McPhee would make good bedtime viewing?
- 6:51 pm **richmondbridge:** RT @carlylou: #ff @SUHT to hear all about the important work of #oceanward - the children's heart surgery unit under three of closure in #Southampton
- 6:51 pm **SUHT:** Dad's joined in the distraction techniques and Matilda's settled again. Dr Ahmad's nearly finished the scan now #oceanward
- 6:55 pm **SUHT:** Clown doctors make regular visits to #oceanward to entertain the children. One young patient is sporting her souvenir red nose for us.
- 6:55 pm **drowens88:** I am all for keeping paediatric cardiac services in #Southampton #oceanward @SUHT
- 6:57 pm **SUHT:** Colette and Gill, the specialist nurses, have gone home now. They've been very

- helpful today and made us feel welcome on #oceanward
- 6:57 pm **drowens88:** Why take services away from a centre with so much expertise? Surely its better to add to the services instead? #oceanward #southampton
- 7:00 pm **SUHT:** Matilda's scan is finished and Dr Ahmad says everything looks fine - great news #oceanward
- 7:04 pm **SUHT:** Dr Ahmad will be on call till tomorrow morning in case patients need echo scans on PICU, neonatal intensive care, #oceanward or elsewhere.
- 7:08 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Ruth has just removed the pressure dressing from the leg of a baby who was in the catheter lab today. #oceanward
- 7:09 pm **SUHT:** Pressure dressings are specially tightly bound because the catheter enters through an artery. #oceanward
- 7:10 pm **SUHT:** All the children on #oceanward are getting ready for bed, everyone in their pyjamas now. Night night Larika!
- 7:15 pm **SUHT:** Special Olympics gold-medal winner Ashton Hicks was treated on #oceanward - read his story at <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/ashtonhicks>
- 7:15 pm **SUHT:** Reading the suggestion board in the #oceanward playroom. One patient asks for a miniature pond with boats! Another wants a full time clown.
- 7:16 pm **SUHT:** Using saline (sterile salty water) nurse Ruth is flushing out some cannulas to keep them patent (open). #oceanward
- 7:17 pm **SUHT:** There are also lots of lovely thank you cards on the playroom wall. Feeling quite emotional - not for the first time today #oceanward
- 7:18 pm **SUHT:** All the babies in the nursery are sleeping. Aw. #oceanward
- 7:21 pm **SUHT:** Our children's heart surgeons treat patients from birth until they are 18 or 19 years old. #oceanward
- 7:25 pm **SUHT:** The nurses will remove Larika's pressure dressing and give her antibiotics before she settles for the night. #oceanward
- 7:28 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Maddi has been telling us how much progress baby Hannah has made since she arrived on #oceanward from the neonatal unit. Amazing.
- 7:30 pm **SUHT:** Consultation events about Safe and Sustainable are taking place in Southampton on 24 May and Oxford on 4 May <http://ow.ly/4cpor> #oceanward
- 7:34 pm **SUHT:** In a quiet moment, nurse Teresa takes the opportunity to catch up on some paperwork #oceanward
- 7:35 pm **Aliayres:** RT @SUHT: Consultation events about Safe and Sustainable are taking place in Southampton on 24 May and Oxford on 4 May <http://ow.ly/4cpor> #oceanward
- 7:38 pm **SUHT:** If you've been following #oceanward, have your say in the children's heart surgery review via <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 7:38 pm **Aliayres:** RT @SUHT: If you've been following #oceanward, have your say in the children's heart surgery review via <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 7:39 pm **SUHT:** One of the #oceanward babies has woken up and is testing their lungs out! Silence broken.
- 7:41 pm **SUHT:** Ah, that's baby Evan who's awake. #oceanward
- 7:41 pm **SUHT:** The night shift is about to start - lots of new faces appearing on #oceanward and the handover will start soon.
- 7:44 pm **SUHT:** DVD players are being put to good use in most bays, though one little girl is still trundling round #oceanward in her favourite toy car.
- 7:46 pm **SUHT:** Some of these patients certainly have more energy than us! 15 minutes until our 12hr shift on #oceanward finishes.
- 7:47 pm **sbedvek:** #ff @SUHT to hear all about the important work of #oceanward - the children's heart surgery unit under threat of closure in #Southampton
- 7:49 pm **SUHT:** Senior sister Margaret is pleased with the way today has gone on #oceanward; it really reflects the high quality of the service we provide.
- 7:50 pm **MsPMeyer:** @SUHT Really interesting tweetathon from #oceanward today. Thanks so much for sharing what you do with us!
- 7:50 pm **lisaharris:** RT @MsPMeyer: @SUHT Really interesting tweetathon from #oceanward today. Thanks so much for sharing what you do with us!
- 7:51 pm **SUHT:** Talking to the nurses about their shift patterns - these 12 hour days are normal for them. They deserve lots of respect! #oceanward
- 7:52 pm **SUHT:** Nurse Kerry is briefing the night staff on all the patients here on #oceanward as the shift handover begins.
- 7:54 pm **SUHT:** Wish we could have mentioned every member of staff we've met on #oceanward

today; they're all amazing.

- 7:55 pm **SUHT:** Thanks to all the patients, families and staff on #oceanward for opening up their world for a day and helping us share it with everyone.
- 7:59 pm **SUHT:** The senior house officer for the night shift is doing a round of the ward. #oceanward
- 8:01 pm **SUHT:** We're off. It's been a fascinating day. Thanks for following #oceanward and please check out <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 8:04 pm **DebbieAndr:** RT @SUHT: We're off. It's been a fascinating day. Thanks for following #oceanward and please check out <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 8:45 pm **MichelleTH:** Shattered but worth it, great day on #oceanward. Well done @lizmcwilliams for brilliant idea & excellent tweeting. Time to rest our thumbs.
- 8:51 pm **danslee:** RT @SUHT: We're off. It's been a fascinating day. Thanks for following #oceanward and check out <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 8:51 pm **KateGoodallWM:** @MichelleTH @lizmcwilliams very well done both of you. Fan-bloody-tastic effort. How about A & E on a Sat night next? #oceanward
- 8:53 pm **danslee:** Have to say the 12 hour shift in an NHS hospital tweeted by @SUHT on the #oceanward hashtag has been informative and compelling.
- 8:56 pm **BrownhillsBob:** RT @danslee: Have to say the 12 hour shift in an NHS hospital tweeted by @SUHT on the #oceanward hashtag has been informative and compelling.
- 9:16 pm **MrsD82:** @MichelleTH enjoyed finding out about #oceanward I suggest a large glass of wine should help those thumbs!
- 9:23 pm **waggers5:** RT @SUHT: It's been a fascinating day. Thanks for following #oceanward and please check out <http://www.suht.nhs.uk/safeandsustainable>
- 9:27 pm **jiiii:** RT @danslee: Have to say the 12 hour shift in an NHS hospital tweeted by @SUHT on the #oceanward hashtag has been informative and compelling.
- 9:29 pm **danslee:** Brilliant work today @michelleth on #oceanward. Very, very impressed : )
- 10:08 pm **lisaharris:** @suht @lizmcwilliams you might find this useful: archive on #oceanward Containing 376 Tweets; <http://archivist.visitmix.com/4b328e8f/1>
- 10:56 pm **SouthamptonCC:** RT @SUHT: The councillors will be helping us with our fight to keep children's heart surgery in Southampton #oceanward - thanks @southamptoncc