1 | Step 1: Download the critical care skills matrix

How can it help me?
- Cross-check your team model is collectively able to perform all the necessary ITU and COVID-19 skills (mapped against national frameworks e.g. NMC, GMC)
- Identify any **skill gaps** in your current training programmes
- Inform conversations within your organisation about **which skills to prioritise** for training

What should I do?

a. **Open the matrix:** Scroll to the "Step 1: Interprofessional skills matrix" section. Click on the link to open the excel

b. **Select the correct excel tab:**
   - "ICU Generic skills" and "COVID-19 Generic skills" tabs: Skills relevant for all professional groups
   - Remaining tabs: Skills relevant for specific professional groups (e.g. Registered support clinician, physiotherapist)
     - For detailed descriptions of each professional group, click on the first tab "Introduction to skills matrix"

c. **Identify skills of interest:** In each tab skills have been written at three levels of depth, to support you to identify your skills of interest:
   - Category (e.g. "Safety")
   - Sub-category (e.g. "Infection prevention & control")
   - Learning objectives (e.g. "Infection control in ICU including ETT, disposing of fluids from filters / suction cannisters, sending investigations to lab")

We recommend downloading the excel, and marking the skills of interest you have identified

e. **Identify relevant resources**: Once you have identified skills you would like to provide education on, you can find relevant educational resources in the "Trainer resources" and "Learner resources" columns

2 | Step 2: Explore the multimedia resources

How can it help me?
- See what **Great Operational Practices** other Critical Care Units across London are implementing
- Consider which Great Operational Practices your site could **learn from and adapt**

What should I do?

a. **View the Great operational practices:** Scroll to the "Step 2 (for Units or Systems): Great operational practices" section. Resources available will be listed in the blue boxes.
   - Click on the blue boxes to see a description of the resource and access the resource

3 | Step 3: Share any resources or feedback

How can it help me?

We want the Interprofessional skills matrix, educational resources and Great Operational Practices to be as useful for your unit and others' as possible.

They are still in development so we would appreciate any feedback and contribution you think can improve this resource.

What should I do?

a. **Share Great Operational Practices:** Email LTLC@hee.nhs.uk with any practices from your critical care unit, that you think would benefit others (even if they may need some adaption for their unit)

b. **Share educational resources (trainer or learner):** Email LTLC@hee.nhs.uk with any educational resources you have developed, co-developed or are aware of

c. **Share your feedback:** Email LTLC@hee.nhs.uk with any feedback on the Interprofessional skills matrix or educational resources, or complete the brief survey (for Interprofessional skills matrix feedback only)

Scroll to the "Step 3: Sharing your resources and feedback" section for more detail and link to the brief survey

Critical Care Unit or System – interested in content and resources to inform my unit / system's operations and model