

# Civility

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There is academic evidence to support the fact that rudeness upsets colleagues, and can have a negative impact on patient care.

Civility fosters good relationships, builds trust and supports a compassionate and inclusive culture.

If you would like to find out more please contact the training and development department to book on the Civility course

### What is Civility

- Respect
- Politeness
- A willingness to engage in genuine communications
- Intention to seek common ground
- Good manners
- Having a conversation starting with, "how are you today?"
- Holding a door open
- Listening

We are in this together | Just do the best that you can do | Look out for each other | Its ok not to be ok