**RCN Foundation Monica Baly Application Form**

The Monica Baly Fund was established through a gift from Dr Monica Baly’s will. Monica Baly entered nursing in the 1930s but always had a passion for history.  
  
Grants of up to £1,000 are available for research projects or activities related to the history of nursing and midwifery, for the duration of up to one year.

If you want support with writing your application and becoming active in the history of nursing, please contact us at [grants@rcnfoundation.org.uk](mailto:grants@rcnfoundation.org.uk) so that we can put you in contact with a member of the panel who can help you.

Please read the guidelines on our website before completing this application. The closing date is **Friday 31 May 2024.**

**Section A: Applicant details**

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| Your name |  |
| Full address |  |
| Telephone |  |
| Email address |  |
| Are you an RCN Member?  If so, can you provide us with your RCN Membership number |  |
| NMC Pin number |  |
| Are you a tax resident in any country outside of the UK? |  |
| Are you applying for an apprenticeship programme? |  |

**Section B: Employment**

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| 1. Current Job Title: |
| 1. Employer Name: |
| 1. Start date: |
| 1. Sector: |
| 1. Pay band: |
| 1. Brief description of current role: |
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| 1. Previous Employment History   (please provide employment history for the past 5 years, including job title, start and finish date and which pay band you were) |
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| **Section C: Proposal details** |
| 1. Please provide a summary description of your proposal: (300 words)   Please set out the topic, the date range and the activity or research question |
| 1. If applying for research funding, please indicate the need for the research, the research methods and significance of the research: (300 words) |
| 1. Please provide your proposed timescales for your proposal. Include key activities and milestones. Please state when you expect to start and end: (500 words) |
| 1. What will be your main outputs and outcomes? (250 words) |
| 1. If applicable, describe how you will disseminate the results and implement the findings of your project. Who will be your target audiences and how will you ensure that the findings of the project reach them? (500 words) |
| 1. How will this activity contribute to the wider field of the history of nursing and/or midwifery? (500 words) |
| 1. How will this activity contribute to your professional development in nursing or midwifery? How will you evaluate the effectiveness of your learning and development? (300 words) |
| 1. What challenges do you foresee in completing this activity and how to you plan to address them? (e.g. time constraints, work-place support, financial) (300 words) |
| **Section D: Costings** |

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| **Activity/Resource** | **Details** | **Cost** |
| *e.g. Travel* | *Where to/from, when, how* | £ |
| *Accommodation* | *Where, when, why* | £ |
| *Conference fees* | *Where, when, why* | £ |
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|  |  | £ |
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|  |  | £ |
| **TOTAL** |  | £ |

**Please complete and return this form to:** [**grants@rcnfoundation.org.uk**](mailto:grants@rcnfoundation.org.uk) **by Friday 31 May 2024**