

RCN Flight Nursing Conference

Critical Care and Flight Nursing Forum



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of Nursing

Across Borders: Flight Nursing in an Unpredictable World

RCN HQ, 20 Cavendish Square, London, W1G 0RN

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Please note these programme details and timings are subject to change. A final programme will be in your delegate pack at the event.

Programme at a glance

09.00	Registration, exhibition, networking and refreshments
09.45	Chair's opening remarks , Ciara Collins, <i>Chair, RCN Critical Care and Flight Nursing Forum</i>
10.00	Nursing on the Frontlines of a Destabilised World: Power, Practice, and Possibility , Marcus Wootton, <i>Associate Director, RCN International Academy</i>
10.30	The Global Political Landscape and Its Impact on Flight Nursing , Taylor El Hage, <i>Security Manager: EMEA, International SOS</i>
11.00	Refreshments, networking and exhibition
11.30	High Latitude: Lessons learnt from Nursing in Antarctica with Aviation Operations , Ben Cooper, <i>Emergency Nurse Practitioner-Charge Nurse, Emergency Department, Sheffield Teaching Hospital Trust</i>
12.00	Safer Travel and Professional Responsibility in Flight Nursing , Dawn Heeger and Ines Cruz, <i>RCN Flight Nursing Forum Members</i>
12.30	AI Readiness in Flight Nursing Ana Batista, <i>Independent Health Project Consultant, CESADI and Egas Moniz School of Health&Science</i>
13.00	Lunch, networking and exhibition
14.00	Beyond Limits: Nursing Values on Top of the World , Rowena Rowberry, <i>Nurse Lecturer, University of Derby</i>
14.30	Adult In-Flight Emergencies , Sebastien Lizeau, <i>Medical Trainer & Flight Nurse, International SOS</i>
15.00	Refreshments, networking and exhibition

15.20	Panel Discussion – Adam Booth, <i>RMS</i> , Sandi Northwood, <i>AXA Assistance</i> , Kerryn McGowan, <i>International SOS</i> . Chaired by Rachel Benbow, <i>International Medical Group</i> Topic: When Plans Change - Real Case Studies
16.05	Closing Remarks , Ciara Collins, <i>Chair, RCN Critical Care and Flight Nursing Forum</i>
16.15	Conference close