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COVID-19: information for members

Find information and resources to support your understanding and management of COVID-19.

Find out more



Nursing professoriate

The RCN maintains a listing of nurses and midwives who hold substantive chairs (either personal or organisational) in UK universities. Please help us to keep the list up to date.

View the list

Research you may have missed

A reminder that 126 oral and poster presentations from the 2019 RCN annual international nursing research conference are still available to view on the conference repository website.

Have a look

COVID-19 research

Health and Care Research Wales (HCRW) has created a hub for COVID-19 research guidance and updates. The hub includes research studies, study set up advice, guidance for researchers and funding for COVID-19 research.

View the resources

Research funding

On behalf of the Department of Health and Social Care, the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) has established a UK-wide portal for applying for funding and/or prioritised support for urgent COVID-19 research.

Find out more

Research funding opportunities

The following research funding opportunities are relevant for nurse or midwife researchers. Closing dates for June 2020 include the following grants.

- Career development bursary, Healthcare Infection Society, closes 1 June.
- Foundation fellowships, Versus Arthritis, closes 17 June.
- PhD studentship, North West Cancer Research and Tenovus Cancer Care, closes 22 June.
- Research fellowships for health professionals, Wellcome, closes 30 June.

You can see more opportunities like these, including fellowships and help to attend conferences, on our research funding web page.

Find funding

Demonstrating value

Donna Hastings, a family support team worker at St Columba's Hospice, has

Celebrating nursing

The 2020 Nursing Times awards are now open for entries. Amongst the 23

successfully completed the RCN
Demonstrating Value programme. Her
case study is an economic assessment of
the child and family service at St
Columba's Hospice.

Read the case study

categories is one for clinical research nursing. You can either nominate yourself and your team or nominate another individual, ward or team that you admire.

Apply by 5 June.

Find out more

Research report

Allison O'Kelly, a nurse from Cornwall, travelled to Australia to investigate support for LGBT people with dementia, as part of her Winston Churchill Memorial Trust fellowship.

Read the report

Research dissemination

The Health and Care Research Wales (HCRW) conference, Making a difference: the impact of health and care research, takes place on 7 October in Cardiff.

Poster abstracts are invited.

Submit by 20 May

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