



RCN research conference

There are only a few days left to submit your abstract for the annual RCN International Nursing Research Conference 2018, which takes place from 16 – 18 April 2018 in Birmingham, UK. Keynote speakers include Janet Davies, Davina Allen and Michael Traynor. Don't miss this opportunity to present your research, to network with international colleagues, to influence and to respond to the challenges that lie ahead.

[Submit by 3 November](#)

Renal research

The purpose of the allied health professional fellowships (clinical) award from Kidney Research UK is to enable nurses and allied health professionals to undertake a renal research study and obtain a higher degree.

[Apply by 24 November](#)

Cancer research

The population research catalyst award from Cancer Research UK supports



Research involvement

International guidance for reporting involvement of patients and the public in research has been developed, and this article includes tools to enhance the transparency, quality and consistency of the evidence base.

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Hawking annual lecture

This inaugural motor neurone disease (MND) lecture, taking place on 22

capacity building and collaboration in population health with funding up to £5 million, enabling groups to deliver impact over and above what they could do alone

[Apply by 30 November](#)

November in London, has been organised by the MND Association and the RCN Neurosciences Forum. Join Professor Carolyn Young who will talk about her latest research.

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The Academic Health Science Networks (AHSN) have produced a report, *Disruptive and collaborative innovations in mental health*, highlighting the potential for innovation to drive improvements in mental health and demonstrating the important role AHSNs play in the health system. Examples include:

- [supporting and preventing high intensity mental health crisis](#)
- [memory clinics](#)
- [dementia awareness training in care homes using Barbara's story](#)
- [routine enquiry about adversity in childhood](#).

Alternatively, [download the report](#) to view the full range of innovations in mental health.

Nursing history research

Two postdoctoral research fellow posts are available, based in Nottingham, to support the research project *Bringing Nightingale home for 2020: an historic-linguistic analysis of her family life*.

[Apply by 13 November](#)

PhD studentship

What physical, emotional and social factors influence adherence to oral cancer treatment in the home is the study question for this fully funded PhD studentship, based in Cardiff, Wales.

[Apply by 13 November](#)

Research management

The publication *Research for all: sharing good practice in research management*, contains over 50 case studies to share how NHS research and development departments are working in partnership

Webinar channel

The National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) has created a new channel that brings together a collection of webinars designed for current and aspiring NIHR trainees. They cover a

with clinical colleagues to lead the way for research.

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variety of topics to help researchers develop their research careers.

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Diabetes research

Project grants from Diabetes UK provide support for high quality, diabetes related research. Applications should normally be for hypothesis-driven projects.

[Apply by 1 December](#)

Nursing debate

London South Bank University is hosting a free debate, *When does advanced clinical practice stop being nursing*, on 15 November in London.

[Register soon](#)

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