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## Mary Seacole Awards

As a nurse, midwife or health visitor, you can apply for a Mary Seacole Award to fund a project that aims to improve the health outcomes of people from black and minority ethnic communities.

[Apply by 22 July](#)



## Celebrating innovation

Emma McKinney has won the title of RCN Northern Ireland Nurse of the Year 2019, for her work in transforming the care of young people in the criminal justice system. Details of her innovation, as well as information about all the finalists, are now available.

[Find out more](#)

## Research training

Applications are now open for the East of England internship programme, and pre- and post-doctoral bridging fellowships. These programmes will support individuals who aspire to combine research and clinical practice, and develop a clinical academic career.

[Apply by 31 July](#)

## Arthritis research

Nurses are eligible to apply for PhD scholarships from Versus Arthritis. Applications should be made by the proposed PhD supervisor. The deadline for applications is 18 September 2019.

[Find out more](#)

## Research funding

The Health Foundation invites proposals for research to help them understand how the health of a population in a given place influences their social and economic outcomes.

[Apply by 25 July](#)

## Research funding

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

- [Research grants](#), British Scoliosis Research Foundation, closes 1 August.
- [Lymphoedema research grant](#), British Lymphology Society, closes 2 August.
- [Scientific research grants](#), Northern Ireland Chest, Heart and Stroke, closes 23 August.
- [Research project grants](#), Dunhill Medical Trust, closes 30 August.
- [PhD studentship](#), Diabetes UK, closes 31 August.

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

[Find funding](#)

## Research involvement

The National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) has launched the Be Part of

## Research capability

Applications are now open for the Norfolk and Waveney Clinical Commissioning

Research study search site. Designed for the public, it makes information about research available to anyone who wants it.

[See the resource](#)

Groups' research capability funding. The focus is to support the development of grant applications in a wide range of areas.

[Apply by 28 June](#)

## Increasing impact

The National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) provides national guidance to improve health and social care. As a nursing professional, there are a number of ways you can participate in the development of NICE guidance.

[Find out more](#)

## Research impact

Research for Patient Benefit (RfPB) is a national NIHR programme that funds research on a regional level through eight regional advisory panels. Panel members are recruited on an ongoing basis. Nurses are encouraged to apply.

[Find out more](#)

## NIHR research funding opportunities

The National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) funds research through its nine programmes, which include Health Technology Assessment and Health Services and Delivery Research.

- [Research for patient benefit programme \(competition 39\)](#), closes 24 July.
- [Community focused approaches that mobilise people as assets](#), closes 30 July.
- [Behavioural intervention to treat anxiety in adults with autism and moderate to severe learning disabilities](#), closes 31 July.
- [Call for ambitious data-enabled trials, health services and public health research studies](#), closes 4 September.

- [Strategies in older people's care settings to prevent infection](#), closes 4 September.

Visit the NIHR web page for a complete list of current NIHR funding opportunities.

[Search for funding](#)

## Care homes research

A cross-CLAHRC (Collaboration for Leadership in Applied Health Research and Care) care homes event takes place on 23 July 2019 in London. This event will aim to foster a culture of research collaboration and implementation of best practice in care home settings.

[Register](#)

## Research data

The National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) now has a searchable database of NIHR supported activity in health and care research, including expenditure and research findings. The data includes details of organisations, people, outputs, outcomes and impacts.

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