

Nursing Revalidation

Current Awareness Bulletin

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This Current Awareness Bulletin is produced by the Yeovil Academy Library to provide staff with a range of nursing revalidation-related resources to support practice. It includes recently published guidelines and research articles, as well as news and policy items.

Guidelines



<http://revalidation.nmc.org.uk/>

Journal Articles

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NICE [Healthcare Databases](#)

The 'Reality of Revalidation in Practice' (RRiP) project - Experiences of registrants and preparation of students in nursing and midwifery in the United Kingdom: A descriptive exploratory survey.

Author(s): Fisher, Margaret; Child, Jenny; Williamson, Graham; Pearce, Susie; Archer, Julian; Smethurst, Zoe-Louise;

Source: Nurse Education Today; Nov 2019; vol. 82 ; p. 21-28

Publication Date: Nov 2019

Publication Type(s): Academic Journal

The purpose and process of revalidation is enhanced if confirmation is undertaken by a registered nurse or midwife of the individual's choice. Preparation of students for future revalidation is facilitated by role-modelling of positive attitudes and explicitly linking relevant pre-registration curriculum activities to this process and purpose.

Social media participatory CPD for nursing revalidation, professional development and beyond.

Author(s): Moorley, Calvin; Chinn, Theresa

Source: British Journal of Nursing; Jul 2019; vol. 28 (no. 13); p. 870-877

Publication Date: Jul 2019

Publication Type(s): Academic Journal

Available at [British Journal of Nursing](#) - from MAG Online Library

Abstract: Through using a participatory CPD approach and embracing professional social media applications nurses have moved social media from the concept of a revolution to an evolution.

Database: CINAHL

COURSES, TRAINING AND REVALIDATION: UPDATE FROM THE BDNG

Author(s): Wheeler, Julia

Source: Dermatological Nursing; Sep 2019; vol. 18 (no. 3); p. 66

Publication Date: Sep 2019

Publication Type(s): News

Database: BNI

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Author(s):

Source: Nursing in Critical Care; May 2019; vol. 24 (no. 3); p. 179

Publication Date: May 2019

Publication Type(s): General Information

Database: BNI

First full cycle of revalidation deemed a success.

Author(s):

Source: Practice Nurse; Aug 2019; vol. 49 (no. 8); p. 7-7

Publication Date: Aug 2019

Publication Type(s): Academic Journal

Database: CINAHL

More than 600,000 nurses and midwives registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) have now been through revalidation at least once since it was first introduced three years ago.

Importance of reflection in revalidation.

Author(s): Coward, Melaine

Source: Nursing Management - UK; May 2019; vol. 26 (no. 3); p. 37-41

Publication Date: May 2019

Publication Type(s): Academic Journal

Following two previous continuing professional development articles, on reflection and professional learning and on reflection and personal learning, this article will aim to explore the specific elements of reflection required for revalidation. This publication should help demystify and support registrants embarking on the process.

Database: CINAHL

Top tips: preparing for appraisal and revalidation.

Author(s): Merriman, Honor

Source: Guidelines in Practice; May 2019; vol. 22 (no. 5); p. 37-39

Publication Date: May 2019

Publication Type(s): Academic Journal

Database: CINAHL

This article offers 10 tips to help to make the appraisal and revalidation process easier, and allow more time in the meeting to be devoted to discussing current challenges, health, career aspirations, and personal development.

Library Resources

The books listed below are a selection of those that can be found at the library. To search the library catalogue in full, visit swims.nhs.uk.

[Professional development, reflection and decision-making in nursing and health care \(2nd ed\) \(2013\)](#)

Jasper, Melanie; Rosser, Megan; Mooney, Gail

[Jasper, Melanie](#) [WY49](#) **Book**
[\(Editor\)](#)



[Successful professional portfolios for nursing students \(2nd ed\) \(2015\)](#)

Reed, Suzanne

[Reed, Suzanne](#) [WY49](#) **Book**
[\(Author\)](#)



In the News

Nursing Times

[NMC urged to make feedback prong of revalidation 'meaningful'](#)

19 Jul 2019 - Nurses and midwives seeking to renew their registration face “barriers” in obtaining the five pieces of practice-related feedback required to revalidate, an independent review has found.

[NMC highlights importance of nurses' 'reflection' on practice](#)

18 Jun 2019 - The Nursing and Midwifery Council has highlighted the importance for registrants to “reflect” on their practice and called on employers to ensure that their clinical staff have time to do so.

[NMC cuts red tape for overseas applicants by moving system online](#)

7 Oct 2019 - A new "simplified" application system has been launched for international nurses and midwives seeking to work in the UK. As of today, overseas applicants to the Nursing and Midwifery Council will be able to complete the process online, rather than sending in physical files.

[NMC proposes further changes to English language testing](#)

21 Nov 2019 - The Nursing and Midwifery Council has proposed lowering English writing standards which often make it difficult for overseas nurses to get on the UK register.

[NMC chief hits out against 'unacceptable' disrespect for social care nurses](#)

14 Nov 2019 - Social care nurses continue to be treated as "second-class citizens" compared with their NHS colleagues, including facing demands to provide proof of their registration from general practice staff, the leader of the UK nursing regulator has warned.

[Government removes 'unnecessary' extra language test for overseas nurses](#)

10 Sep 2019 - Overseas nurses and midwives will now only need to pass one English language test instead of two as part of moves to make it quicker and simpler for much-needed health professionals to come and work in the UK.

[Past, present and future: The importance of nurse registration](#)

8 Oct 2019 - Later this year will mark 100 years since the passing of the Nurses' Registration Act, making it prudent to reflect on the importance of the introduction of the nurses' register, which introduced training and regulation standards to the profession, and that remains in place today

[Tackling 'negative' perception of NMC part of new draft vision](#)

24 Jul 2019 - The nurses' regulator has outlined its commitment to building a better relationship with registrants by speaking up more about the challenges they face that affect their ability to provide good care.

[Exclusive: EU nurses face up to £940 fee hike under no-deal Brexit](#)

24 Oct 2019 - European Union nurses wanting to come and work in the UK face the prospect of much higher fees and a tougher application process in the event of a no-deal Brexit, Nursing Times has learnt.

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