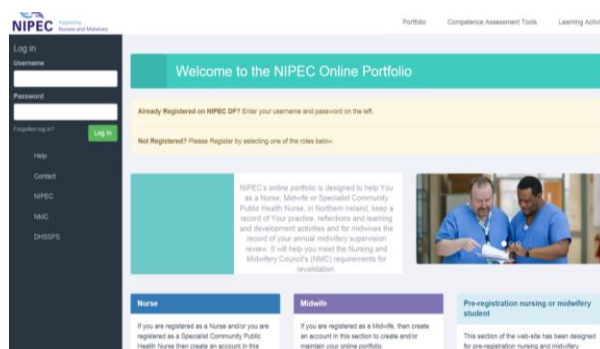


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# NIPEC UPDATES

## **NIPEC Stakeholder Engagement Survey**

NIPEC is keen to hear from Nurses and Midwives across all healthcare settings in Northern Ireland to get your views about our work and how NIPEC could best support your practice. We would be delighted if you would take 10mins to complete our survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/TH2VZYQ>

## **NIPEC Twitter chat**

Join NIPEC's Senior Professional Officers on a Twitter chat on the following topics:

*NIPEC Portfolio and NMC Revalidation* - **11 October 2017 from 1pm to 2pm**

*NIPEC Recording Care Project & the Electronic Health Care Record* - **18 October 2017 from 7pm to 8pm**

**#NIPECengage17**

## **NIPEC Independent & Voluntary Sector Forum**

14 December 2017 Effective Complaints Handling Workshop, for practitioners working in the Independent or Voluntary Sector, register for the event via this web link

<http://www.nipec.hscni.net/events/effective-complaints-handling-workshop/>

# POLICY/STRATEGY

“ *Sound strategy starts with having the right goal* ”  
*Michael Porter*

## UPDATES, KEY PUBLICATIONS, EVENTS

### **Nursing and Midwifery Task Group**

The summary communiqués of the Nursing and Midwifery Task Group, are available to view at the following link: <https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/publications/nursing-and-midwifery-task-group>

Follow the Nursing and Midwifery Task Group Turning the Curve workshops at #NMTG17 #outcomes #copro

### **Northern Ireland Official Publications Archive**

The Library at Queen's has been developing an online archive, known as the Northern Ireland Official Publications Archive (NIOPA). The archive is now freely available at the following address:

<http://niopa.qub.ac.uk/>

## ARTICLES

### **New strategy will emphasise key role played by research nurses**

Stephenson, J. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 10-11

### **Reducing drug resistance through antimicrobial stewardship strategies**

Alivdza, V. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p 22-25

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# QUALITY

“The standard you walk past is the standard you accept”

*Lieutenant General David Morrison*

## ARTICLES

### **Positive practice: the use of restrictive interventions**

Kelly, R. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 12-13

### **Singing their way to better health**

Trueland, J. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 18-21

### **Outdoor spaces improve dementia care**

Trueland, J. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 24-26

### **Improving communication with families in the intensive care unit**

Briggs, D. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 41-48

### **Swarm: a quick and efficient response to patient safety incidents**

Motuel, L. et al. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 36-38

### **Living with and beyond cancer 1: how well are we helping our patients?**

Bell, D. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 22-24

### **Living with and beyond cancer 2: the role of allied health professionals, support workers and volunteers**

Bell, D. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 26-28

### **Improving the physical health of people with severe mental illness**

Nazarko, L. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 42-45

### **Administering immediate antibiotics reduces death from sepsis**

Plowright, C. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 47

### **Recognising and responding to care erosion: part 2**

De Vries, J.M.A. & Timmins, F. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 31, no. 52, p. 44-51

### **Emergency department standards**

Dean, E. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 15

### **Speak out**

Dean, E. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 24-26

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# INNOVATION

“ *Dedication and innovation are transforming health care worldwide* ”

*Liya Kebede*

## ARTICLES

### **Nurses lead the way with webcam consultations**

Pearce, L. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 22-23

### **Developing a mobile device to record mental health inpatient data**

Killikelly, C. & Quist, H. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 52-55

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# LEADERSHIP

“ True leadership lies in guiding others to success, in ensuring that everyone is performing at their best, doing the work they are pledged to do and doing it well ”

*Bill Owens*

## ARTICLES

### **Remember their names with pride**

Trueland, J. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 24-25

### **Good leadership in nursing: what is the most effective approach**

Maxwell, E. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 18-21

### **We can all help maximise organ donation opportunities**

Dames, L. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 29

### **Is it time to create a new nurse role dedicated to helping carers?**

Farquhar, M. & Moore, C. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 39-41

### **Fundamental care on hospital wards: identifying research priorities**

Ballinger, C. et al. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 48-49

### **Changes and challenges: 30 years of senior nursing**

Shuldham, C. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 3, p. 22-23

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# WORKFORCE

“ *Workforce development is about getting the right people, the right skills for the right jobs at the right time* ”

*Anon*

## ARTICLES

### **“Short shelf life” remains a problem in senior posts**

Jones-Berry, S. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 12-13

### **The nurses who risk their safety**

Dean, E. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 31, no. 52, p. 18-21

### **“People were coming up to us on the streets asking for help”**

Merrifield, N. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 6-7

### **CNO’s new plan to boost practice nurses in England**

Ford, S. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 10-11

### **Overseas nurses struggling to break language test “barrier”**

Longhurst, C. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 3, p. 7

### **Practice nursing: an action plan for a disparate workforce**

Dean, E. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 3, p. 25-26

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# EDUCATION

“Let us think of education as the means of developing our greatest abilities”

*John F. Kennedy*

## ARTICLES

### **Let's axe the culture wars on nurse education**

Rafferty, A.M. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 13

### **A tool for healing the planet**

Moore, A. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 31, no. 52, p. 35

### **Leading from day one**

Pearce, L. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 18-20

### **Exploring the use of student-led simulated practice learning in pre-registration nursing programmes**

Brown, J. et al. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 50-58

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# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

“All that is valuable in human society depends upon the opportunity for development accorded the individual”

*Albert Einstein*

## UPDATES, KEY PUBLICATIONS, EVENTS

### Rae Bequest Training Fund and Marcia Mackie Fund

The RCN Foundation is currently offering support from two funds: Rae Bequest Fund and Marcia Mackie Fund. Details of the two funds are available via the [RCN Foundation](#) website. Application forms are available from [siobhan.mcnally@rcn.org.uk](mailto:siobhan.mcnally@rcn.org.uk) and the closing date is **Thursday 30 November 2017**. Related enquiries should be directed to Rita Devlin at 028 90 384 600 or [rita.devlin@rcn.org.uk](mailto:rita.devlin@rcn.org.uk)

### You are the panel

- What should happen to a nursing home manager after a resident died following a fire incident?
- What is your verdict? Go online to check what really happened:

<https://www.nursingtimes.net/news/youre-the-panel>

### RCN NIRAQ Workshop

Northern Ireland Research and Quality (NIRAQ) workshop: an interactive session on how to complete an IRAS application. The workshop is facilitated by Research Managers from HSCNI Trusts and aims to provide guidance and clarity on the completion of the Integrated Research Application System (IRAS). It will be held on **Wednesday 25 October 2017**, Computer Suite, Fern House, Antrim Area Hospital Site, Antrim, BT41 2RL for more information visit <https://www.rcn.org.uk/news-and-events/events/niraq-workshop>

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### We all have a role to play in ending domestic abuse

Burston, A. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 29

### X-rays: what the nurse needs to know

Myatt, R. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 39-43

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### **Using bibliometrics to support revalidation requirements**

Benton, D.C. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 44-51

### **Improving nurses level of reflection**

Price, B. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 52-63

### **Anatomy & physiology of ageing 7: the endocrine system**

Knight, J. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 48-51

### **How to use a corticosteroid nasal spray**

Bartle, J. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 31, no. 52, p. 41-43

### **Heart failure 1: pathogenesis, presentation & diagnosis**

Jarvis, S. & Saman, S. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 50-54

### **Heart failure 2: treatment options and long-term management**

Jarvis, S. & Saman, S. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 55-58

### **Award will boost careers of outstanding nurses**

McKew, M. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 9

### **How to administer lidocaine in wounds**

Welsh, J. & Rowe, G. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 41-48

### **Developing and maintaining compassionate care in nursing**

Henderson, A. & Jones, J. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 4, p. 50-69

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# CLINICAL PRACTICE

*“Clinical practice is not a science but an endeavour that uses science. Good science is necessary but insufficient for good practice”*

*Nuala P. Kenny*

## ARTICLES

### **Supporting children after a traumatic event**

Pearce, L. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 15

### **Fit to sit**

Moore, A. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 32, no. 1, p. 22-23

### **Infection outbreaks in care homes: prevention and management**

Curran, E. T. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 18-21

### **Specimen collection 2: obtaining a catheter specimen of urine**

Shepherd, E. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 29-31

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Shepherd, E. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 27-29

### **Intermittent catheterisation as an alternative to indwelling catheters**

Hallam, C. & Shepley, M. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 30-33

### **Anatomy and physiology of ageing 8: the reproductive system**

Knight, J. & Nigam, Y. *Nursing Times*, September 2017, vol. 113, no. 9, p. 44-47

### **Care of older people with diabetes**

Dunning, T. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 3, p. 50-63

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# PATIENT EXPERIENCE

*“We healthcare workers are the patient experience”*  
Christina Thielst

## ARTICLES

### **Does intentional rounding practice improve patient safety and experience?**

Langley, S. et al. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 27-29

### **Patients' experiences of treatment and care after ileostomy**

Nicholls, A. et al. *Nursing Times*, August 2017, vol. 113, no. 8, p. 56-57

### **Supporting safe sexual and intimate expression among older people in care homes**

Syme, M. *Nursing Standard*, August 2017, vol. 31, no. 52, p. 52-63

### **Role of patient education in postoperative pain management**

Ingadóttir, B. & Zoëga, S. *Nursing Standard*, September 2017, vol. 32, no. 2, p. 50-63

### **Contributing to making the school a safe place for the child: School nurses' perceptions of their assignment when caring for children having parents with serious physical illness**

Golsäter, M. et al. *Nursing Open*, September 2017, DOI: 10.1002/nop2.92

### **Experience of directed living donor kidney transplant recipients: a literature review**

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