

Get Recognised for Excellence - February 2023

Barron Prize. British Association of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons

Awarded for the best CD-ROM or DVD or video submitted by any Member of BAPRAS or by any plastic surgery trainee.

Staff group: Medical & Dental

Deadline: 31 August 2023

Apply: <http://www.bapras.org.uk/professionals/training-and-education/prizes-grants-and-fellowships/barron-prize>

Notes: Any entries should be received by 23.59 on 31 August each year.

BIR / Bayer Make It Better Service Award - New

The award will be given to the group of people who have demonstrated the best improvement in an aspect of service delivery by making it more effective, or have improved patient experience. This might be an innovative design of a piece of kit or changes to a patient pathway that has improved patient comfort or made the pathway less invasive, reduced delays or improved the environment for the patient.

Staff group: Allied Health Professionals

Deadline: 30 April 2023

Apply: <http://www.bir.org.uk/makeitbetterserviceaward>

British Journal of Nursing Awards - New

The BJN Awards are a showcase of nursing excellence, highlighting the critical contribution that nurses make to healthcare. They represent a fantastic opportunity to gain the recognition that hard work and dedication so richly deserves, and a chance to commemorate achievement at the nursing profession's night of the year.

Staff group: Nurse / Midwife / Health Visitor

Deadline: Not shown

Apply: <http://www.bjnawards.co.uk/>

Notes: Submissions can be entered but there is no closing date shown on the website. The ceremony will take place on the 24 March 2023.

Cavell Star Awards

Celebrating the best and brightest in UK nursing and midwifery talent.

Staff group: Nurse/ Midwife / Health Visitor

Deadline: No closing date - ongoing

Apply: <https://www.cavellstarawards.org/>

CIPR Excellence Awards - New

The CIPR Excellence Awards are a celebration of creativity, professionalism and the fantastic results that you're delivering for your employers or clients.

Staff group: Admin & Managers

Deadline: 2 March 2023

Apply: <http://ciprawards.co.uk/excellence/>

Notes: Launches in January 2023 / Early bird entry closes: 7 February 2023 / Standard entry closes: 21 February 2023 / Final entry closes: 2 March 2023 / Awards ceremony: June 2023

CN (Clinical Nutrition) Awards - New

The CN Awards provide the chance for all readers, advertisers and contributors of CN magazines to come together to recognise the achievements of those whose great work has made a significant difference within the nutrition industry – whether an individual, group or organisation.

Staff group: Allied Health Professionals

Deadline: 31 March 2023

Apply: <https://nutrition2me.com/cn-awards/nominations/>

Great British Care Awards - New

The Great British Care Awards are a series of regional events throughout England and are a celebration of excellence across the social care sector. The purpose of the awards are to pay tribute to those individuals who have demonstrated outstanding excellence within their field of work whether it is with older people services, specialist services, residential or care homes.

Staff group: All staff

Deadline: 21 August 2023

Apply: <http://www.care-awards.co.uk/>

IT Service and Support Awards - New

These awards recognise the excellence of outstanding service desk teams and individuals and celebrates their success.

Staff group: Admin & Managers

Deadline: 2 June 2023

Apply: <https://www.servicedeskintstitute.com/events-networking/sdi-awards-2023/>

LaingBuisson Awards - New

These awards are judged independently and objectively, to recognise excellence and focus on the people providing the care as well as their advisors. Categories cover a large range of areas covering advisors, clinical services, innovators & leaders, finance, property and social care.

Staff group: All staff

Deadline: 21 June 2023

Apply: <https://laingbuissonawards.com/>

Ministry of Defence Employer Recognition Scheme

The Defence Employer Recognition Scheme (ERS) encourages employers to support defence and inspire others to do the same. The scheme encompasses bronze, silver and gold awards for employer organisations that pledge, demonstrate or advocate support to defence and the armed forces community, and align their values with the armed forces covenant.

Staff group: Admin & Managers

Deadline: Bronze Award is open for submission - ongoing

Apply: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/defence-employer-recognition-scheme/defence-employer-recognition-scheme>

National Learning Disabilities & Autism Awards - New

The National Learning Disabilities & Autism Awards celebrate excellence in the support for people with learning disabilities and aim to pay tribute to those individuals or organisations who excel in providing quality care.

Staff group: All staff

Deadline: 13 May 2023

Apply: <http://www.nationalldawards.co.uk/nominate/>

Philip Goodeve-Docker Memorial Prize

The prize is offered to the top performing student of the District Nursing programme in every university in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Staff group: Nurse / Midwife / Health Visitor

Deadline: No closing date

Apply: <https://www.qni.org.uk/explore-qni/qni-awards/philip-goodeve-docker-memorial-prize/>

RCM Midwifery Awards - New

The RCM Awards reward, celebrate and share outstanding achievement in midwifery across the UK. They discover outstanding individuals and teams making a difference for women, families and the newborn. They are designed to promote best practice, showcase practice innovations and ground-breaking initiatives and recognise individual and team excellence.

Staff group: Nurse / Midwife / Health Visitor

Deadline: 31 January 2023

Apply: <https://www.rcmawards.com/>

RCN Award of Merit

The Award of Merit is the highest honour the RCN bestows for service. As an RCN member, if you know someone who has dedicated their time and energy to helping RCN members, you can nominate them for an RCN Award of Merit.

Staff group: Nurse / Midwife / Health Visitor

Deadline: No closing date

Apply: <https://www.rcn.org.uk/get-involved/rcn-awards/rcn-award-of-merit>

RCN Fellowship & Honorary Fellowship

The RCN Fellowship and Honorary Fellowship recognise practitioners, researchers, educationalists and leaders who share the RCN's commitment to advancing the art and science of nursing and the improvement of health care. Nominees are put forward by peers to acknowledge their experience, accomplishments and dedication to the nursing profession.

Staff group: Nurse/Midwife/Visit

Deadline: No closing date

Apply: <https://www.rcn.org.uk/get-involved/rcn-awards/rcn-fellowship-and-honorary-fellowship-awards>

The Dora Roylance Prize for Student Health Visitors

This academic prize is offered for outstanding students who have completed the Specialist Community Public Health Nursing (SCPHN) Health Visitor programme. The prize is available at every university in England, Wales or Northern Ireland where this programme is currently offered.

Staff group: Students

Deadline: No closing date

Apply: <https://www.qni.org.uk/explore-qni/qni-awards/dora-roylance-memorial-prize/>

The Queen's Nursing Institute Long Service Award

The QNI Long Service Award is available to all community nurses across all specialties, who have completed 21 years of service.

Staff group: Nurse/ Midwife/ Visit

Deadline: No closing date

Apply: <https://www.qni.org.uk/explore-qni/qni-awards/long-service-award/>

The following sites also have ongoing awards/prizes and should be checked each month:

- [National Institute of for Health Research](#)
- [Medical Research Council Awards](#)
- [Wellcome Trust Funding Opportunities](#)
- [Royal College of Surgeons](#)
- [The Royal College of Physicians](#)
- [Royal College of Ophthalmologists Awards](#)
- [The Royal Society of Medicine](#)
- [The Academy of Fabulous NHS Staff](#)
- [Great British Care Awards](#)