



Evidence Based Nursing: Associate Editor Vacancy

Evidence-Based Nursing is looking to appoint a new associate editor to join our team.

The journal serves to provide nurses, midwives and other healthcare practitioners with insights into the latest clinical and professional research. The journal commissions and publishes commentaries on recent literature, providing analysis and critique of methods, findings, and implication for practice and research. In addition, the journal stimulates discussion and supports learning through publication of editorials, review articles (such as 'research made simple' and nurse education summaries) and opinion pieces. Further information about the journal can be found on the *Evidence-Based Nursing* [website](#).

Applications are welcomed from Registered Nurses (RNs) from around the world and across all fields and specialities, but we would particularly welcome applications from RNs with:

- An interest in promoting evidence-based nurse/midwife education; or
- Expertise in Intellectual Disabilities care

EBN seeks to ensure our editorial team is as diverse as possible and so we encourage applications from eligible candidates from underrepresented groups.

Applicants should have a doctorate and significant research expertise, with a track record in publishing in a range of academic and professional journals. Applicants should also have an active presence on social media.

Associate editors are expected to:

1. Identify at least four published articles per month (from database searches and other sources) that may be suitable for commissioned commentaries.
2. Review and make editorial recommendations regarding commentaries that are submitted for publication.
3. Actively promote engagement of journal readers using social media (e.g. disseminating journal content and news via Twitter)
4. Write and/or commission *Evidence-Based Nursing* blogs (approximately 4 per year)
5. Write and submit content for the journal, two or three times per year. This may include an editorial, a paper for the 'Research Made Simple' series, or an evidence summary.
6. Peer-review contributions of members of the editorial team (once or twice a year).
7. Provide the Editor-in-Chief with advice on the direction of the journal and attend quarterly EBN editors' meetings (reasonable travel expenses are covered, when meetings are not held remotely).

A small honorarium of £1000 per annum is offered for this role (paid in two instalments at the end of June and end of December) to recognise your contribution to the journal.

If you are interested in this role, please submit your CV and 500 words about what you would contribute to the journal to **Alice Shuttleworth** (ashuttleworth@bmj.com) by **Monday 15th May**.

For informal discussions about the role please contact Ben Parkinson, Deputy Editor for Content at: ben.parkinson@gcu.ac.uk