



LEADING THE WAY: Nurses and midwives for a safe, healthy and peaceful world

The 4th Commonwealth Nurses and Midwives Conference

Royal College of Physicians, Regent's Park, London, UK

Saturday 10 and Sunday 11 March 2018

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Closing date 30 June 2017

Our world today is far from being safe, healthy or peaceful. Many countries are experiencing war or civil conflict; there are more refugees than ever before seeking a safe place to live for themselves and their families; bush fires, floods, earthquakes and tsunamis are a frequent occurrence; diseases such as Ebola and Zika threaten health and stability; climate change threatens entire populations. Nurses and midwives are in a unique position to act as role models and lead the way in promoting a safe, healthy and peaceful world.

Calling all nursing and midwifery leaders, clinicians, administrators, academics, researchers, activists and advocates to submit an abstract to the 4th Commonwealth Nurses and Midwives Conference and share your work with colleagues across the world. The conference has four key themes:

Promoting health and wellbeing

- Working with older people, young people, adolescents or children; people with mental health issues or other disabilities; in health education; or primary health care settings.

Alleviating illness and disease

- Working to develop or implement new or improved practices, policies or quality improvement projects; to prevent or minimise communicable or non-communicable disease; in all health care settings.

Promoting social harmony and cohesion

- Working with minority groups; with people who are marginalised, vulnerable or oppressed; in cross cultural settings; with refugees or people seeking asylum.

Contributing to a safe environment

- Working with disease outbreaks; in disaster zones; with the effects of climate change; in areas of conflict; or in peacekeeping activities.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Submit your abstract of no more than 300 words to the Commonwealth Nurses and Midwives Federation **by 30 June 2017**. Late abstract submission cannot be accepted. Abstract submissions must be made using the abstract template which can be downloaded from the CNMF website:

<http://www.commonwealthnurses/conference2018>.

Website abstract submission: <http://www.commonwealthnurses.org/conference2018>

Email abstract submission: cnf@commonwealthnurses.org

MORE INFORMATION

If you require further information please email: cnf@commonwealthnurses.org



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Abstract Template

Contact person (full name including title):

Contact email:

Contact phone number (please include country code):

Title of presentation (no more than twelve words):

Name of presenter/s:

Title (Miss, Ms, Mrs, Mr, Dr, Professor etc):

Given names (first or middle names):

Family name (last name or surname):

Presenter/s country of origin:

Employment position of presenter/s:

Job title and employer:

Preferred mode of presentation:

Oral or poster:

Abstract (no more than 300 words):

(Abstract should be in Calibri font size 11 with 1.5 spacing, A4 portrait style with 2.54 margins top, bottom, left and right)

All submissions will be acknowledged on receipt and presenters will be advised whether or not they have been accepted for presentation by 31 July 2017.

Please note conference organisers **cannot** provide financial support for presenters' travel or accommodation to present at the conference.

When registration opens for the conference on 1 August 2017, all presenters must register for the conference and pay the registration fee to be included in the conference program. There will be a reduced registration fee for presenters.



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