

Nursing and Allied Health Professions Research

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Nursing Research

- [Nurses' Experience in Providing End-of-Life Care in Intensive Care Unit: A Scoping Review](#)
- [Measuring Advanced Practice in Health Visiting: Development and Psychometric Testing of the Health Visiting Advanced Practice Scale in Public Health Nursing](#)
- [Nurses' Challenges With Personal Protective Equipment: A Qualitative Content Analysis Based on the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)

Mental Health Nursing:

- [Dismantling the Diagnostic Construct of Borderline Personality Disorder: A Critical Discourse Analysis](#)
- [Mental Health Nursing Students' Perceptions of Psychological Trauma Education and Its Impact on Their Practice: A Qualitative Study](#)
- [Functional, Contextual, and Interventional Drivers of Formal Coercion in Acute Mental Health Units: A Feature Analysis](#)

AHP research:

- [Elevating the allied health professions workforce: leadership's role in shaping professional identity](#)
- [A Scoping Review of Active Service User Involvement in Undergraduate Allied Health Professions Education](#)

Art/music/drama therapy:

- [Assessment of Music Experiences in Navigating Depression \(AMEND\) through a Tour of the Room assessment model](#)
- [Online art therapy for breast cancer patients. A feasibility study on acceptance and psychosocial health during cancer treatment](#)
- [Treatment differentiation between group music therapy and recreational choir singing for people with dementia and depression living in residential care homes: structured video analysis of the interventions in the MIDDEL trial](#)

Dietetics/nutrition:

- [Associations of Dietary Omega-3 and Omega-6 Fatty Acids, Obesity, and Psychological Stress with Fatigue in Patients with Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease: A Cross-Sectional Study](#)
- [Nutrition-induced remission of type 2 diabetes: mechanisms, clinical evidence, and future directions-a mini review](#)

Occupational therapy:

- [Challenges in accessing and implementing innovative interventions in occupational therapy](#)
- [Enabling Change and Home Participation for an Individual with Intellectual Disability: A Case Study in Complex Occupational Therapy Practice](#)
- [The role of occupational therapy in supporting parenting occupations: An Irish occupational therapy perspective](#)

Orthoptists

- [Symptoms of Depression and Anxiety among Myopes: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis](#)
- [The Measurement and Clinical Implications of the CA/C Ratio in Binocular Vision: A Literature Review](#)

Osteopaths

- [The effect of kinesiology tape on pain reduction in patellofemoral pain syndrome: a systematic review and meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials](#)
- [Osteopathic manipulative treatment as a complementary and integrative approach to mitigate stress, anxiety, and depression: A systematic review](#)



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Physiotherapy

- [Physiotherapy management of multiple sclerosis](#)
- [Adult patients' experiences on the management of Gluteal Tendinopathy: a qualitative study](#)
- [Functional Mobility, Balance and Gait in Individuals with Early, Moderate and Advanced Primary Open Angle Glaucoma: A Pilot Study](#)

Radiographers

- [Computed tomography, ultrasound and fluoroscopy guidance in intra-articular sacroiliac joint injections: A systematic review](#)
- [Chest Radiography Optimization: Identifying the Optimal kV for Image Quality in a Phantom Study](#)

Speech and language therapy

- [The Effect of Diverse Linguistic Experience on Second Language-Accented English Sentence Recognition Among Monolingual and Spanish-English Bilingual Children and Adults](#)
- [Naturalistic language sample analysis practices used by speech-language pathologists for the language assessment of multilingual children: A systematic review with a narrative summary](#)
- [Vowel space change as a predictor of speech intelligibility gain in Down syndrome](#)

Upcoming Training Sessions...

Visit our Noclor Programme Training page at <https://www.whittington.nhs.uk/default.asp?c=47473> for dates and times of our online sessions aimed at nursing and allied health professionals. [Additional sessions are offered by Noclor.](#)

- “Getting into Research”: next session is Monday 12th March 2026, 9:30-10:30
- “What the Library can do for me - Introduction to Library Services”: next session Monday 23rd March 2026, 11:30 - 12:00
- “Academic Writing”: next session is Friday 20th March 2026, 11:00-12:00
- “Reference Management”: next session is Wednesday 25th March 2026, 0:30 - 11:30
- “Critical appraisal of qualitative research”: next session is Wednesday 4th March 2026, 12:00–13:00
- “Writing for Publication”: next session is Tuesday 31st March 13:30 - 14:30

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