

Date and Time: 9th January 2018 19:00- 20:00

Subject: Role of ICU Research Nurse

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BACCN Twitter Chat was launched during the #BACCNConf2016 in Glasgow and it's been great exploring all your views and opinions on subjects that matters to us all.

Clinical research is vital for finding new treatments and improving overall patient care. Research nurses are at the forefront of this process. Clinical Research Nurses play a vital role in ensuring clinical research studies run smoothly and that the various participants are safe and fully informed with regards to the study that they participate in.

So, I would like to ask:

- What makes a great ICU Clinical Research Nurse?
- How do we justify these roles when we have a daily struggle to staff our ICU units?

So let's talk #icuresearch

Reading list:

1] <https://www.nihr.ac.uk/nihr-in-your-area/wessex/documents/Integrating%20research%20into%20the%20patient%20care%20pathway%20by%20Mrs%20Julie%20Camsooksai.pdf>

2] <https://www.nihr.ac.uk/our-faculty/documents/NursesVoices2016%20web%20version.pdf>