

CAPITAL nurse

in North Central London

Returning to nurse in NCL for Covid-19

Thank you for asking about joining the Nursing & Midwifery Council (NMC) 'temporary register' in order to be part of the NHS Covid-19 workforce. Your skills and experience could be vital and CapitalNurse is here to support you.

The temporary register will act as a recruitment aid for the UK's health services, should a state of emergency be declared as a result of the Covid-19 outbreak.

The NMC has already written to around 50,000 nurses and midwives who have left the permanent register within the last 3 years to ask if they would like to opt in to join the Covid-19 temporary register.

It's vital that as many people register asap.

The organisations we work with in North Central London are below and there are many areas in each that require clinical support.

Whittington Health NHS Trust • University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust • Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust • Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust • North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust • Barnet, Enfield & Haringey Mental Health NHS Trust • Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust • Tavistock & Portman NHS Foundation Trust • Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust • Camden & Islington NHS Foundation Trust

Plus, General Practices and care homes across our boroughs of Barnet, Enfield, Haringey and Camden & Islington.

There is a simple process to get you back to work quickly...

1. If you left the NMC register AFTER 1st March 2017 and are under 70

- Apply via [this link to the NMC temporary register](#)
- When the NMC has processed your request and confirmed you have been accepted as a temporary registrant, it will send your details to NHS England (NHSE).
- NHSE will send you a questionnaire/survey that will help it best use your skills and experience and to match your placement with where you live/your preferred area. It will also ask how you would prefer to work (e.g. face to face or via phone).

2. If you are a nurse or midwife already on the NMC register, but not working for the NHS or any other health and care provider

Just click on the link and complete the [NHSE survey here](#).

- This link is for those **NOT** working in the NHS or working for other health or care providers. You may be working for HEIs, research/clinical trials or any Arm's Length Bodies such as CQC, HEE. Or, you may be a nurse or midwife not currently in employment.
- Your response will be promptly screened and NHSE will pass on your information to us. We will contact you to manage your return swiftly.
- More info and FAQs are [here](#)

3. If you left the NMC register BEFORE 1st March 2017 and are under 70

At the moment, the NMC is not in a position to accept you on to the temporary register.

HOWEVER, your skills are of great potential value to us, so please fill in [our own online questionnaire](#) so we can be in contact with you.

You can also email: capitalnursenlp.returningnursesbureau@nhs.net

Q: What happens once I've been accepted on to the temporary register?

Your details will be passed on to teams in your local or preferred areas so they can talk through options with you. Once you have been matched to an organisation a link nurse will liaise with your employer.

A bespoke package of support will be agreed so you can return to work safely. This will include:

- DBS and identity checks undertaken remotely and quickly.
- A fast-track induction including all key mandatory training requirements to ensure you are supported to practice safely.
- More specific training and guidance, for example, on the scope of your practice, management of coronavirus and use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Q: What sort of work might I be expected to do?

- There are a range of roles to consider, including (but not limited to) supporting clinical teams in NHS111, working on wards / care homes / community services, helping with outpatient clinics (maybe via telephone), providing online triage/advice in primary care or delivering education or training to clinicians or providing routine clinical cover.
- Your role will be dependent upon your expertise and skills, what you are comfortable doing and the need within your local or preferred areas.
- More information on the type of work is available here.



CapitalNurse is here to support all nurses and midwives who want to make a contribution to the Covid-19 workforce. We realise that in these challenging times as clinicians we may all be asked to work outside our normal field of practice and the regulators have published a joint statement to explain this, to support you here.

For more information or a chat about your situation, please contact:

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