

**Please tell us what you think
about these changes we are
planning to make to our
standards**





This is an easy read survey for members of the public.



We want to know what you think about some changes we are making to our standards.



These are extra standards for registered nurses and midwives who care for people in their own homes or near their homes, not in hospitals.



These standards are about extra things they need to know and be able to do.



You do not have to answer every question, just the ones you want to.



Anything you tell us will be kept private. No one else will know.



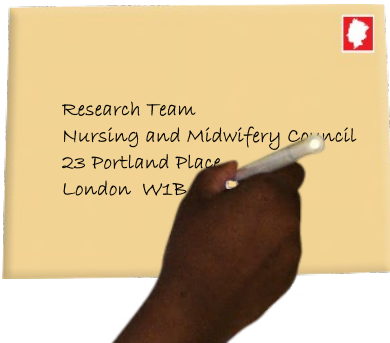
Please tell us what you think by Monday 2 August 2021



You can tell us what you think by going to www.pyetait.com/future-community-nurse-easy-read



Or you can email us at:
consultations@nmc-uk.org.



You can post your answers to:
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Who we are



We are the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC).



Our job is to make sure nurses, midwives and nursing associates are safe and kind, and have the skills and knowledge they need to do their jobs well.



This way people will be safe in their care.

Part 1.

Questions about new standards for community nurses who care for you at home or near your home

This includes:



Community children’s nurses, community learning disabilities nurses, community mental health nurses, district nurses and general practice nurses.

How important is it for community nurses to be able to:



- 1. Work with you and other health and care workers, like physiotherapists, doctors and social workers, to help you make the best decisions about your care?**



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



2. Support you to live the healthiest life you can?



Very important

Important

Not important

Don't know



3. Examine you if you are worried about your health and plan what needs to be done to help make you better?



Very important

Important

Not important

Don't know



4. Prescribe medicines for you so that you do not need to go to the doctor for your prescription?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



5. Decide when other people are able to look after you and make sure they are doing the right thing?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



6. Make sure that your care is as safe as possible, and stop any accidents or mistakes from happening?



Very important

Important

Not important

Don't know



7. Use their experience and tell others how caring for people like you can be made even better in the future?



Very important

Important

Not important

Don't know



Is there anything else that:

1. Community children's nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



2. Community learning disabilities nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



3. Community mental health nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



4. District nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



5. General practice nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



Should the NMC make sure that other nurses working in the community (like in nursing homes, residential homes or prisons) also know about and are good at doing these extra things that are in the new standards?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us why

Part 2.

Questions about new standards for health visitors, occupational health nurses and school nurses who support you to stay healthy at home, in school or at work



How important is it that health visitors, occupational health nurses and school nurses know how to:



1. Help people get the support they need to keep healthy or be healthier?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



2. Help people who may not have had a full education, cannot work very often, or do not have enough money to be as healthy as possible?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



3. See things that might happen in people's homes, schools or work, that are bad for their health or safety, and try to stop these things from happening (like taking drugs, or falling while at work or school or in their home)?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



4. Notice and act when people do not get the care they need, get harmed, or ignored, and speak up for those people to get help for them?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



5. Prescribe medicine so people do not need to visit a doctor to get their prescription?



Very important



Important



Not important



Don't know



Is there anything else that:

1. Health visitors need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



2. Occupational health nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



3. School nurses need to know and do?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please tell us what



4. Should other nurses who learn to do the things above be able to get a NMC specialist public health nursing qualification?

Yes

No

Do not know

Please tell us why



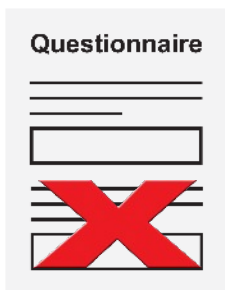
5. Is there anything else you want to say?

Part 3.

More about you



We want to make sure that we have asked lots of different people for their views. So these questions help us do that.



You do not have to answer these questions if you do not want to.



What is your sex? (Please tick one box)

Female

Male

Other (please say)

Prefer not to say



How old are you?

Please say

Prefer not to say



Are you? (Please tick one box)

Bisexual – you fancy both men and women

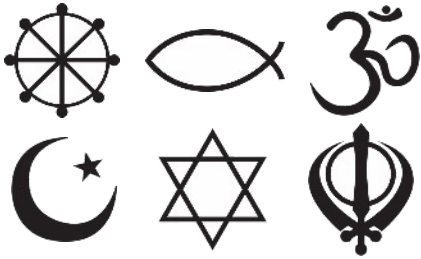
Straight – you fancy people of the opposite sex

Lesbian or gay woman – you fancy other women

Gay man – you fancy other men

Other (please say)

Prefer not to say



Do you have a religion?

Please say

No Religion

Prefer not to say



Are you? Please chose the option that describes you best

Asian, or Asian British

Bangladeshi

Chinese

Indian

Pakistani

Other (please say)

Black, or Black British

African

Caribbean



Other (please say)

Mixed race

Asian and white

Black African and white

Black Caribbean and white

Other (please say)

White

English/Northern Irish/
Scottish/Welsh/British

Gypsy or Irish Traveller

Irish

Other (please say)



Other

Arab

Any other (please say)

Prefer not to say



Do you to have a disability?

Yes

No

Prefer not to say



If yes, please tell us what disability you have.

Blind or can't see very well

Deaf or can't hear very well

Difficulty with speech

Difficulty walking short distances,
climbing stairs

Difficulty lifting and carrying objects



Difficulties with learning, thinking or remembering

Mental health concerns

Short of breath or keeping going

Autism, Attention Deficit Disorder or Asperger's Syndrome

Prefer not to say

Other (please say)



Which country do you live in?

England

Northern Ireland

Scotland

Wales

Prefer not to say

Other (please say)



Thank you for answering our questions.



Please remember any answers you send will be kept private.



This means we will not see your name when we look at your answers.

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