Advanced-Level Nurse Practitioner Cohort Study

**What we aim to do:**
1. Evaluate participants’ experience of the RCN credentialing system;
2. Evaluate participants’ career and job experiences and workplace wellbeing;
3. Evaluate participants’ attempts to measure their impact on patient care and outcomes.

**What we will do:**
- Recruit a group of nurses who have used the RCN credentialing scheme;
- Send annual questionnaires about their experiences;
- Send questionnaires to sub-groups, such as those in primary care or working with children;
- Conduct interviews with individuals selected from the group about specific elements of the study.

**Why join?**
This work will inform the RCN, NMC and wider NHS about the work and experiences of ANPs and benefits and costs of credentialing.
Over 50 nurses have already signed up, recruitment will continue to advertise to new nurses joining the credentialing scheme over the next 4 years.

**Recruiting now!!!**
Impact on patient care by improving experience and recognition of ANPs

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