



Research Resources

Reminder: Bloomberg Nursing's Research Office [Research Funding Resources](#) page has information about predatory publishing; reductions in APC fees; EDI resources; free software licenses (e.g., how to access REDCap, NVIVO); and more.

Sign up for the [Centre for Research & Innovation Support newsletter](#) for information about training sessions, funding opportunities and other resources, such as [Accessible Social Media](#), April 22, 2025, 1-3 pm and NSERC [Alliance Society: Strategies for Success](#), May 20, 2025, 1 – 2:30 pm.

Sign up for CRIS Compass: <https://cris.utoronto.ca/about/cris-compass/> - the CRIS bi-monthly newsletter.

CRIS has posted new guides for researchers on **equity, diversity and inclusion**: [Environments and team cultures](#), [research design](#), and [team composition](#).

Check the CRIS [Calendar of events](#), for upcoming events, such as [Navigating Research Ethics and SoTL](#) on April 30, 2025, 1 – 3 pm.

The [University of Toronto's international opportunity](#) page lists several collaborative opportunities available to faculty. **Deadlines vary.**

If you missed a session, presentations and slide sets of past events are often available on the [CRIS website](#).

Grant and Award Opportunities

Remember – always check grant information carefully

New Canadian Opportunities

The [Cancer Research Society's](#) **Doctoral Award** deadline is **April 29, 2025**. Value: \$70,000 over two years.

The [Institute for Pandemics Spring 2025 Postdoctoral Fellowships](#) application deadline is **April 30, 2025**. Value: \$70,000 per year plus benefits. Three awards will be made.

The [Institute for Pandemics Knowledge Mobilization Grants](#) application deadline is **April 30, 2025**. Value: up to \$5,000 per award; a minimum of six grants will be awarded.

MyRoad (Maximize your Research on Obesity and Diabetes) Health Research Exchange Competition **application deadline for internships is May 1, 2025**, for internships beginning between September 1, 2025, and August 31,

2026, and **October 1, 2025**, for internships between January 1, 2026, and December 31, 2026. This opportunity is open to master's, **doctoral** or postdoctoral students or early career investigators.

The [CAMCCO-L](#), a CIHR funded **training program** on perinatal research on medications, **application deadline for participation in the one-year curriculum is May 9, 2025**.

The [Institute for Work and Health's S. Leonard Syme Research Training Awards](#) in Work and Health for Master's or **Doctoral Students** have an **application deadline of May 16, 2025**. Typically, up to three awards of \$5,000 each are made.

The [Cancer Research Society's Prostate Cancer Research Grant](#) program has launched. Four grants will be awarded; focus is on improving early detection and developing more effective treatments. **Letter of intent deadline is May 28, 2025, with full application due September 9, 2025**.

The [Canadian Nurse Educators Institute Fellowship](#) application deadline is **May 31, 2025**.

Students: Applying for research funding? Check with the Research office about your eligibility to hold funds. Contact the Research Office to get information and approval on proposals, administrative requirements, and ethics ahead of deadlines, and always check with your supervisor! Email: research.nursing@utoronto.ca

New International Opportunities

The [Sigma Theta Tau International](#) opportunity with a **June 10, 2025**, deadline is the Association of Rehabilitation Nurses Grant. **Opportunities with a July 1, 2025**, application deadline re: The American Board for Occupational Health Nurses Grant; Doris Bloch Research Award; Joan K. Stout Research Grant, American Nurses Credentialing Center Evidence-based Practice Implementation Grant, and the Dorothy Brooten Transitional Care Research Grant (new). Funding available ranges from US\$5,000 to US\$20,000. Some opportunities are limited to association or chapter members. Check carefully. **Nursing Students thinking of applying should check with their supervisor re: relevance, include their supervisor as a co-principal investigator on the grant, and connect with the research office re: administrative requirements.**

Use your Research Office. We are here to support you. Please let us know when you are beginning the grant process – we are happy to assist with developing budgets and providing editorial, financial, content, and methodological feedback. Let us know when you succeed! Email: research.nursing@utoronto.ca

New CIHR Opportunities

Notice of upcoming funding opportunity: [Strengthening Resilient & Equitable Public Health Systems](#) (STEPS) – Team Grants. Objectives: generate actionable evidence; identify, test and/or evaluate promising system-level solutions; build capacity; foster knowledge mobilization. Research areas: public sector; community sector; Indigenous communities promoting cardiovascular health; public health emergencies and pandemic preparedness. Partners required (there will be a partner linkage tool). Funds available: \$6,750,000, enough to fund approximately nine grants. Maximum amount per team grant: \$250,000 per year for up to three years for a

total of \$750,000 per grant. Anticipated timelines: webinar June 2025; launch June 2025; registration September 2025; and application deadline January 2026.

Notice of upcoming funding opportunity: [Emerging Learning Health Systems in Mental Health](#) will fund two national learning health systems in early psychosis intervention and perinatal mental health. Objectives: develop a national LHS, enhance access to services to improve quality of life and more. Anticipated timeline: Launch: Spring 2025; application deadline (there may be a registration or expression of interest deadline as well): fall 2025; and funding start date: Winter 2026.

Notice of upcoming funding opportunity: planning and dissemination grants are anticipated to launch in early April 2025.

The CIHR Institute of Cancer Research is calling for applications for its [early career researcher workshop](#), which will be held at the Canadian Cancer Research Conference in Calgary, Alberta, October 31 and November 1, 2025. **Application deadline is June 23, 2025. Applicants MUST submit an abstract to the conference by the abstract deadline of June 6, 2025.** CIHR-ICR will cover costs associated with travel and accommodation for the ECR workshop plus the 2025 CCRC registration fee. Accommodation will be covered for the duration of the ECR workshop and the 2025 CCRC.

The [Health System Impact Fellowship](#) **application deadline is July 7, 2023**. This opportunity is open to **doctoral and postdoctoral students**, and to non-Canadians who hold the award at a Canadian institution. There is a webinar May 8, 2025, 12pm-1pm ET for prospective applicants. [Register Here](#)

- **Doctoral trainees** receive a one-year experiential learning opportunity where they are embedded in their health system partner organization for at least 60% of their time focused on an impact-oriented project of direct relevance to their partner organization. The remaining time (up to 40%) is protected to continue with their Doctoral program commitments.
- **Postdoctoral researchers** receive a two-year experiential learning opportunity where they are embedded in their health system partner organization for at least 70% of their time focused on their impact-oriented program of work. The remaining time (up to 30%) is protected for academic research.

Funds Available

- **HSI Fellowship for Doctoral trainees:** The maximum amount per doctoral award is \$50,000 per year for up to 1 year (\$45,000 stipend plus \$5,000 professional development training and research allowance).
- **HSI Fellowship for Postdoctoral researchers:** The maximum amount per postdoctoral award is \$155,000 total for 2 years (\$70,000 stipend per year, plus \$7,500 professional development training and research allowance per year)

Information about the fellows and past awardees can be [found here](#).

SSHRC /Other Federal Agency Funding Opportunities

The next [Partnership Engage Grant](#) **application deadline is June 15, 2025** (\$7,000 - \$25,000 for work with a single partner organization, to respond to immediate needs and addressing a specific need); the next [Connections Grant](#) (\$7,000 - \$25,000;; outreach activities up to \$50,000; for events and outreach activities; **deadline is August 1, 2025**. Connection Grants require 50% of the amount requested from their sponsoring organizations. U of T Applicants must meet internal deadlines for both awards (about a week ahead of sponsor deadline).

Competitions with no fixed deadline



[NSERC and Mitacs](#) have developed a joint application process for researchers seeking support from both agencies. It is now possible to request support through Mitacs Accelerate internships as part of the full Alliance application.



[NSERC Alliance Grants](#). **Application deadline: No fixed date.** There are two streams: Alliance [Advantage](#): \$20,000 to \$1 million per year for 1-5 years, university researchers collaborate with external organizations to meet partner goals. Alliance [Society](#): \$20,000-\$1 million per year for 1-5 years; university researchers collaborate with partners on projects with societal impact.



[Mitacs Accelerate](#) accepts applications throughout the year. The competition is open to doctoral students and postdoctoral fellows. Students partner with a supervising professor and a partner organization to develop a research project. Partner funding is required. Funding begins at \$15,000 for 8 months.



[Mitacs Elevate](#) accepts proposals all year round. This is a postdoctoral fellowship with a professional development curriculum component. Value: minimum \$55,000 stipend (partner contributes \$30,000 per year).



[The Gateway Foundation for Cancer Research](#) accepts grants from researchers around the world on a rolling basis. Successful grant applications are typically funded within 3 to 4 months. A letter of intent is required, and if accepted, applicants have roughly four weeks to submit the full application.



The [Rising Tide Foundation for Clinical Cancer Research](#) (Switzerland) accepts letters of intent year-round. Note – matching cash funds are required. Check for eligibility by emailing grants@risingtide-foundation.org before beginning an application.



The [Mayday Fund](#) offers grants for research into pain. **There is no deadline; grants are reviewed at the next Trustee's meeting.**



[Max Bell Foundation](#) has an ongoing review of grant applications in health and wellness. An LOI is required, and full application is by invitation.



The [R. Howard Webster Foundation](#) (Canada) offers funding in the broad areas of Arts & Culture, Education, Environment, Medical, and Social Services. There are no specific deadlines, and once submitted, review and decision process may take up to 6 months.



[CANSSI Ontario](#) offers grants of up to \$5,000 to cover covers associated with accessing and working with large data sources. Canssi also offers two grants of up to \$10,000 each to support projects using ICES data. **Applications are accepted on a rolling basis** until two grants have been funded in a given academic year. **Trainees or faculty members** at Ontario-based universities are eligible to apply. Each proposal must include two faculty members from different academic units (at least one from a stats/biostats department). CANSSI also offers funds (\$500-\$1,000) to support Ontario workshop/lecture programs in emerging areas of statistical and data sciences.



The [Thrasher Foundation](#) in the US supports children's medical research. [E.I. Thrasher awards](#) focus on changing pediatric clinical care. **Concept submission deadlines are January 15, 2025, and July 15, 2025.** Funds available: grants are not awarded over \$550,000; grant duration: up to three years. Indirect costs of no more than 7% of direct costs are allowed. [Early Career awards](#) focus on development of researchers in child health. The competition is open to physicians or **postdoctoral researchers**. **Concept submission deadlines: March 18, 2025, and September 5, 2025.** Maximum funding: \$25,000 in direct costs, for up to two years; indirect costs of no more than 7% of direct costs are allowed. Up to \$12,500 in total may be used for salary of the new researcher.

Reminder – these competitions are still open

Canadian Opportunities

The [Cancer Research Society](#) in collaboration with Ovarian Cancer Canada is offering is the Next Generation Of Scientists Award. **Application deadline is April 22, 2025.** In Part 1 of this competition the postdoctoral fellow must have completed at least two years of postdoctoral training at the time of accepting fellowship. In Part 2 the fellow must obtain a faculty position at a Canadian university or affiliated accredited research centre. Value: the postdoctoral fellowship component is \$50,000 / 1 year; the operating grant component is \$135,000 / 2 years.

The [Centre for Aging and Brain Health Innovation Fuel Program](#) offers up to \$500,000 and acceleration services to help late later stage researchers and start up companies achieve research, development, and validation milestones. **Application deadline is April 23, 2025.**

The [CANStroke Recovery Trials](#) post doctoral fellowship for StrokeGoRed **application deadline is April 23, 2025.** This is a national training competition which will award two **postdoctoral fellowships** valued at up to \$30,000 each.

The Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing [Woodend Clinical Education Research Grant](#) is open to **master's or doctoral (PhD or DN) students to fund a research project** focusing on clinical practice education. Value: \$5,000. **Application deadline: May 2, 2025.** The [CASN Pat Griffin Research Grant](#) will support research that addresses 'Nursing Education Outcomes'. The research can focus on all academic levels of nursing education. **Application deadline: May 2, 2025.** Funds Available: up to \$15,000. Eligibility: PI must be faculty at a CASN member school.

[Arthritis Canada](#) has launched its research funding program. There are several opportunities including **STARS career development award**: registration deadline is May 13, 2025; Full application deadline is June 26, 2025. **Ignite Innovation grants**: abstract registration deadline is May 14, 2025; Full application deadline is June 27, 2025.

The [University of Toronto's Collaborative Centre for Climate, Health + Sustainable Care](#) student training program **application deadline is May 30, 2025**. This non-credit certificate program offers specialized training to help students and trainees develop knowledge and expertise in this field. The Centre's [graduate fellowship](#) application deadline is also May 30, 2025. Funds available \$10,000. The fellowship supports graduate students to develop their research expertise in sustainability and health.

SickKids Community Conference Grants support conferences, workshops or symposia which are relevant to the health of Canada's children. The purpose of this program is to support events which are organized by and/or for families with children with health challenges. Eligible events will have a focus on information sharing between health professionals, community organizations, and families. Academic conferences are not eligible for funding. There are three deadlines for applications each fiscal year: **May 31**; September 30; and January 31. [Apply online](#)

The [TRIANGLE](#) program awards competition is now open. **Application deadline is June 1, 2025**. Awards include **doctoral awards**, early career researcher awards, and **postdoctoral awards**. TRIANGLE is a training program for researchers in gastroenterology and liver.

International Opportunities

The [American Association for the History of Nursing](#) grants for historical **research deadline is May 1, 2025**.

[Sigma Theta Tau International](#) is **accepting applications for three grants with a May 1, 2025, deadline**: The Martha Pitel global nursing research grant has a value of up to US \$10,000 and requires collaboration between at least two countries. The Patricia Thompson global nursing research grant has a value of US \$10,000. It also requires collaboration between two countries. The Sigma Foundation for Nursing Latin America/ Caribbean nursing research grant has a value of US \$5000. This grant is for research being conducted in a Latin American or Caribbean country. **Nursing PhD students should check with their supervisor about relevance. If applying, students should include their supervisor as a co-investigator/co-PI on the grant.** Contact the research office (research.nursing@utoronto.ca) for more information.

The [American Society of Perianesthesia Nurses](#) **research grant competition deadline is June 15, 2025**. There are two funding categories: beginning nurse researcher, with a value of USD500 - 5000 U.S. dollars; experienced nurse researcher, USD3000 to 10,000.

The [Mendez National Institute of Transplantation Foundation Research Grant](#) **program letter of intent deadline is June 15, 2025. Full application deadline, by invitation only, is July 31, 2025**. Funds available: up to a maximum of USD\$150,000 over two years.

CIHR Grant Opportunities

[SickKids-CIHR-IHDCYH New Investigator Research Grants](#) **in Child and Youth Health (2025)**. Application deadline: **April 21, 2025**.

SSHRC /Other Federal Agency Funding Opportunities

The next [SSHRC connection grant](#) application deadline is **May 1, 2025**. University of Toronto investigators will have to meet internal deadlines approximately 1 week before May 1.

Research Updates

Tri-Agency Updates

[NSERC - Latest News - Launch of the new Harmonized Tri-agency Scholarship and Fellowship programs](#) – launching this summer.

The [federal funding agencies are seeking expressions of interest](#) for First Nations, Inuit, and Métis individuals to participate in the compliance oversight committee, which examines select complaints or allegations as necessary, under the tri agency policy on indigenous citizenship and membership affirmation, and to deliver a recommendation to the president of the agency program implicated in the allegation. **Application deadline is April 22, 2025.**

[CIHR's Patient Compensation Guideline](#)

The CIHR confirms that the [new tri-agency CV](#) **will not be used** for the Fall 2025 Project Grant competition.

University of Toronto Updates

A reminder that required documentation for some [travel to the United States](#) has been updated which may affect future or current stays.

Other Updates

Upcoming Events

New events and calls for abstracts

The [Canadian Alliance of Nurse Educators Using Simulation](#) annual conference will be held in Burnaby, BC, May 4-6, 2025.

The [Canadian Association on Gerontology](#) annual meeting will be held October 23-25, 2025, in Montreal, QC. **Abstract submission deadline has been extended to May 2, 2025.**

The [Association of Nurses in AIDS Care](#) annual conference will be held in Philadelphia, PA, November 6-8, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 4, 2025.**

The [National Institute of Nursing Research](#) at the NIH is hosting a virtual AI bootcamp on Teams. **Registration deadline is May 16, 2025, and the bootcamp will be June 2-3, 2025, 10 am – 3 pm.** Topics included include the ethical, legal and social implications of AI, describing the field and its use in health and wellness, and more.

The [55th Annual Canadian Children, Youth and Communities Health in Equity Conference](#) will be held as a digital conference, October 29-30, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline for workshops and posters is May 16, 2025.**

The [14th World Congress of the World Society for Pediatric Infectious Diseases](#) will be held in Bangkok, Thailand, 28-31, October 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 20, 2025.**

The [UHN Transplant Infectious Diseases Symposium](#) will be held August 22-23, 2025, in Toronto, ON. **Abstract submission deadline is May 22, 2025.**

The University's [Collaborative Centre for Climate, Health + Sustainable Care 2025](#) Annual Symposium will be held in Toronto, ON, October 30, 2025. **Abstract submission (oral presentations and posters) deadline is May 30, 2025.** Topics of interest include climate costs of AI in medicine, reducing the environmental harms of care, climate crisis and mental health and more.

The [Canadian Cancer Research Conference](#) will be held in Calgary, AB, November 2-4, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is June 6, 2025.** Formats include oral presentations, electronic or physical posters. Abstract topics include adolescent and young adult cancer, cancer across the lifespan, end of life care, pediatric cancer, palliative and supportive care, and more.

[World Sleep](#) will be held in Singapore, September 5-10, 2025. **Submission deadline for oral presentations is May 15, 2025, and for poster presentations is July 1, 2025.**

The [European Multidisciplinary Congress on Urological Cancers](#) will be held in Prague, Czech Republic, November 13-16, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is August 1, 2025.** Abstract topics include quality of life and patient-reported outcomes for urological cancers.

Calls for Meeting Abstracts Still Open

The [Ajmera Transplant Centre Annual Education & Research Conference](#) will be held June 5-6, 2025, in Toronto ON. **Abstract submission deadline is April 22, 2025.** There are two categories: basic science and clinical science.

The [13th World Congress of the International Society for Developmental Origins of Health and Disease](#) will be held in Buenos Aires, Argentina, September 7-10, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is April 28, 2025.**

The [International Society of Geriatric Oncology's](#) 25th annual conference will be held in Ghent, Belgium, November 20-22, 2025. **Abstract submission closes April 29, 2025.** The theme is "Bridging Research and Clinical Practice in Geriatric Oncology."

[IDweek](#) (Infectious Disease Week) will be held in Atlanta GA, October 19 - 22, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 1, 2025.**

The [European Academy of Pediatrics](#) 9th Congress will be held in Warsaw, Poland, October 16- 19, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 1, 2025.**

The annual global meeting of the [International Gynecologic Cancer Society](#) will be held in Cape Town, South Africa, November 5-7, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 5, 2025.** Abstract topics include nursing and allied health care; palliative, symptomatic and supportive care; patient advocacy and survivorship; screening and early detection; global health, economic challenges and inequity; And more.

The [Canadian Cardiovascular Congress](#) will be held in Quebec City, QC. **Abstract submission deadline is May 8, 2025.**

The [Congress of Joint European Neonatal Societies](#) will be held in Belgrade, Serbia. **Abstract submission deadline is May 11, 2025.** Topics of interest include parental involvement in care and research, palliative care and end of life decisions, innovations in workforce /retention, and more.

The [European Society Of Medical Oncology Congress 2025](#) will be held in Berlin, Germany, October 17- 21, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 13, 2025.** Abstract submission topics include breast cancer, palliative care, policy, supportive care, and cancer nursing.

The [10th Digital Mental Health Global Congress](#) will be held in Toronto ON, November 19- 21, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 14, 2025.** Abstract themes include equitable access and digital inclusion, AI and machine learning in mental health, policy and strategy, and more.

The 51st Annual Conference of the [Transcultural Nursing Society](#) will be held in Portland, ME, October 29- November 1, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 15, 2025.**

The 9th annual meeting of the [US Developmental Origins of Health and Disease Society](#) will be held in Portland OR July 30 to August 1, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 16, 2025, for oral presentations, and June 30, 2025, for poster presentations.**

The [American Society of Nephrology Kidney Week](#) will be held in Houston TX, November 6-9, 2025. **Abstract submission opens April 9, 2025, and closes May 21, 2025.**

The annual education conference of the [American Society of Addiction Nursing](#) will be held in Las Vegas NV August 8 to 10, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is May 31, 2025.** The theme is New Directions in Treatment, Education, Inclusivity and Service.

The [American Heart Association](#) scientific sessions will be held in New Orleans LA, from November 7th to November 10th, 2025. **Abstract submission opens on April 9, 2025, and closes June 5, 2025.**

The [International Psycho oncology Society's](#) annual conference will be held in Adelaide, Australia, November 11-14, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is June 6, 2025.** Abstract categories include digital health, psychosocial care in LMICs, palliative care, and more.

The [Early Detection of Cancer Conference](#) will be held in Portland OR, October 21 to October 23, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is June 6, 2025.**

The [9th World Congress on Controversies in Breast Cancer - Latin America](#) will be held September 12 to 13, 2025, in Lima, Peru. **Abstract submission deadline is June 16, 2025.** Topics of interest include screening, prevention, symptom management, genetics, and more.

The [International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare Canberra](#) will be held November 19 to 21, 2025, in Canberra, Australia. **Abstract submission deadline is June 18, 2025.** The conference themes include safety, people, populations, change, and leading. The theme is "Think differently, start small, have impact."

The [Fall 2025 National Neonatal Nurses Conference](#) will be held September 3-6, 2025, in Arlington VA. **Abstract submission deadline is July 2, 2025.**

The [12th Canadian Conference on Dementia](#) will be held in Calgary AB, October 16 to 18, 2025. **Abstract submission deadline is July 11, 2025.** This year's theme is Across the dementia cognitive continuum: prevention, precision medicine, and practice implications.

Requests for Manuscripts

New Calls for Manuscripts

[The Patient](#) (Springer, IF 3.4) has several open calls for a variety of collections, including patient-reported outcomes; patient preferences in oncology; good practice in health preference research.

[Sociology of Health and Illness](#) (Wiley, IF 2.7) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Urban Experiences of Health and Illness: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Care and Wellbeing in the City. Abstract submission deadline is April 30, 2025, with full paper due November 30, 2025.** Topics of interest include urban health disparities, aging in the city, migration, and more.

[Clinical Interventions in Aging](#) (Taylor & Francis, IF 3.5) is calling for papers for an article collection on [perioperative management and integrated surgical care for older adults](#). **Manuscript submission deadline is May 31, 2025.**

[Nurse Education in Practice](#) (Elsevier, IF 3.3) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Exploring the Frontiers of Artificial Intelligence in Nursing/Midwifery Education. Submission deadline is May 31, 2025.** Topics may include AI literacy for healthcare students and educators, machine learning and AI models for predictive learning analytics, and more.

[International Nursing Review](#) (Wiley, IF 1.94) is calling for papers for a special issue on the Impacts of artificial intelligence on nursing and midwifery policy and practice. **Manuscript submission deadline is July 15, 2025.** Topics of interest include papers exploring regulations, policies and guidelines; implementation of AI-assisted clinical, educational and management services; improving nursing workforce conditions; and more.

The [Journal of Emergency Nursing](#) (Elsevier, IF 1.8) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Health Equity in Emergency Care Settings. Submission deadline is August 15, 2025.** Topics of interest include community care and referrals for ongoing care needs, methods for addressing bias and inequitable care, structural competency among nurses and health care professionals.

[Clinical Interventions in Aging](#) (Taylor & Francis, IF 3.5) is calling for papers for an article collection on Innovative Care Models for Older Adults: [The role of telehealth and emerging technologies](#). **Manuscript deadline is November 30, 2025.** Topics of interest include innovative digital health tools designed to address age-related health challenges; caregiver integration tools that enhance support; and more.

Continuing Calls for Manuscripts

[Health and Quality of Life Outcomes](#) (BMC, IF 3.2) is calling for papers for a collection on **AI in Measurement and Valuation of Health: Embracing the revolution or a call for a cautionary embrace. Manuscript submission deadline is April 23, 2025.**

[Palliative Medicine](#) (Sage, IF 3.6) is calling for papers for a special issue on **digital health in palliative care. Manuscript submission deadline is April 28, 2025.** Topics of interest include but are not limited to digital care

delivery and monitoring; ethical, legal and social implications; digital therapeutics and patient support; and more.

[BJOG](#) (Wiley, IF 4.8) is calling for papers for a special issue on **modern management of the menopause and post-reproductive women's health**. **Manuscript submission deadline is May 1, 2025**.

The [Journal of Nursing Scholarship](#) (Wiley, IF 6.3) is calling for papers for a special issue on the **mental health and wellbeing of nurses and healthcare professionals**. **Manuscript submission deadline is May 1, 2025**. Topics include but are not limited to post-COVID mental health and wellbeing of nurses and healthcare professionals; innovative interventions and approaches to promote mental health (car and delivery) amongst healthcare professionals and mental health users; and evidence-based strategies to promote mental health wellbeing of nurses.

[Behaviour and Information Technology](#) (Taylor and Francis, IF 2.9) is calling for papers for a special issue on **"Designing with AI for wellbeing."** **Manuscript submission deadline is May 8, 2025**. Themes include challenges related to designing with data and AI for wellbeing, open problems for AI in designing for wellbeing; opportunities for AI in designing for wellbeing (e.g., how can we enhance user experience).

[Seminars in Oncology Nursing](#) (Elsevier, IF 2.3) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Cancer care in haematologic malignancies**. **Manuscript submission deadline is May 29, 2025**. If thinking of submitting, contact the guest editors for more information (Maura.Dowling@universityofgalway.ie; and Karen Campbell (k.campbell@napier.ac.uk).

[Journal Awards: Children](#) (Basel, MDPI, IF 2.0) is offering a young investigator award (**nomination deadline April 30, 2025**) and best **PhD thesis award** (**application deadline May 31, 2025**).

The [International Journal of Public Health](#) (SSPH, IF 2.6) is calling for papers for a special issue on the **health of displaced people: a challenge for epidemiology and public health**. **Manuscript submission deadline is June 30, 2025**. **Manuscripts accepted for publication by May 31, 2025**, will automatically enter the competition for the Rodolfo Saracci Best Paper Award 2025.

The [Journal of Advanced Nursing](#) (Wiley, IF 3.8) is calling for papers for a special issue on [Doctoral Education in Nursing](#). **Submission deadline is Monday, May 31, 2025**.

[Nursing Open](#) (Wiley, IF 2) is calling for papers for a special issue on [Gerontological Nursing and Interprofessional Collaborations](#) in Gerontological Nursing – **deadline is May 31, 2025**

[Cancer Management and Research](#) (Taylor and Francis, IF 2.5) is calling for papers for an article collection on **"Self-screening for cancer: Promises and pitfalls."** **Manuscript deadline is June 1, 2025**. Topics of interest include technological advancements in self-screening tools, regulation, accuracy and reliability, health systems implementation for successful screening, and more.

The [American Journal of Medicine](#) (Elsevier, IF 5.1) is calling for manuscripts for a special issue on **"Transforming healthcare: The frontier of integrative medicine"**. **Submission deadline is June 1, 2025**.

The [Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care](#) (Lippincott, IF 1.6) is calling for papers for a special issue on the **ethical, social, and political issues in HIV prevention, care, and treatment**. **Manuscript submission deadline is June 1, 2025**. Topics include ethics in relation to particular populations or settings; analysis of nurses' and health professionals' responses to ethical issues in HIV, including whistle blowing and activism; elder care and advocacy; substance use and diverse global political and social approaches; and more.

The [Journal Of Clinical Nursing](#) (Wiley, IF 3.2) is calling for papers for a special issue on **advancing nursing practice through simulation: enhancing competency, quality, and patient outcomes**. **Submission deadline is June 15, 2025**. Topics of interest include but are not restricted to use of simulation for competency assessment and maintenance in clinic settings; implementation of simulation to improve interdisciplinary collaboration and teamwork among healthcare professionals; and more.

[Research in Nursing and Health](#) (Wiley, IF 2.1) is calling for papers for a special issue on **the impact of stress, trauma, and violence on well-being and physical health**. **Submission deadline is June 15, 2025**. Topics of interest include health disparities related to stress, trauma, and violence; nursing interventions for stress, trauma, and violence; nursing strategies for managing stress in patients; and more.

The [Asia-Pacific Journal of Oncology Nursing](#) (Elsevier, IF 2.4) is calling for papers for a special issue on **understanding and supporting the needs of older adults with cancer and their caregivers and care partners**. **Submission deadline is June 30, 2025**. Editors: Kristin Haase, Margaret Fitch.

The [Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing](#) (Lippincott, IF 1.7) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Intersectionality-based cardiovascular care among equity-deserving groups: Promoting cardiovascular health equity**. **Manuscript submission deadline is June 30, 2025**.

The [Journal of Nursing Regulation](#) (Elsevier, IF 4.2) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Technology and the nursing needs of tomorrow: Innovation and regulation**. **Manuscript submission deadline is July 1, 2025**; publication planned for October 2025. The special issue will examine how telehealth, virtual nursing, AI, robotics and other innovative technologies impact nursing regulation and the nursing profession.

[Advances in Health Sciences Education](#) (Theory and Practice) (Springer, IF 3.0) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Historical scholarship in health professions education**. **Manuscript submission deadline is July 1, 2025**. The editors (including Cynthia Whitehead, University of Toronto) are interested in papers that offer a focused examination of historical research in the field; that examine health education in a variety of historical and geographical context; and more.

[Critical Public Health](#) (Taylor and Francis, IF 3.1) is calling for papers for an article collection on **intersectional stigma and LGBTQ+ Health**. **Manuscript deadline is July 23, 2025**.

BMC Public Health (BMC, IF 3.5) is calling for papers for a collection on promoting health [equity among aging adults](#). **Manuscript submission deadline is July 24, 2025**. The journal is also publishing a collection on [improving social inequities in health in the global south](#). **Manuscript submission deadline is August 15, 2025**.

The [Asia-Pacific Journal of Oncology Nursing](#) (Elsevier, IF 2.4) is calling for papers for a special issue on **cardio-oncology nursing – addressing the intersection of cardiac and cancer care**. **Submission deadline is July 31, 2025**. Topics of interest include cardiotoxicity management, survivors support, enhancing cancer patients' quality of life with heart comorbidities and more.

The [Journal of Clinical Nursing](#) (Wiley, IF 3.2) is calling for papers for a special issue on **“Generative AI in nursing and Healthcare”**. **Manuscript submission deadline is ~~March 31, 2025~~. New deadline: JULY 31, 2025**. Topics of

Clinical Interventions in Aging (Taylor and Francis, IF 3.5) is calling for papers for a special issue on understanding [physical functioning in older adults](#) – new approaches and novel interventions. **Manuscript submission deadline is July 31, 2025**.

[International Emergency Nursing](#) (Elsevier, IF 1.8) is calling for papers for a themed issue **on Advanced Clinical practice in emergency care**. The journal will accept papers across the four pillars of advanced clinical practice: clinical practice, education, leadership and research. **Submission deadline is August 1, 2025.**

The [Journal Of Advanced Nursing](#) (Wiley, IF 3.8) is calling for papers for a special issue on **gender equity in healthcare**. **Deadline for submission is August 15, 2025.** Topics of interest include but are not limited to removing barriers and improving access to health care for people of all genders; the “gender gap” or gaps in published research which continue to contribute to inequity; removing gender bias in clinical research, medical education and teaching practices; and more.

[Breast Cancer: Targets and Therapy](#) (Dove Press, IF 3.3) is calling for papers for an article collection on “**Breast cancer in young women**.” **Manuscript submission deadline is September 5, 2025.** Topics of interest include psychosocial impact, health disparities, diagnosis and screening, and more.

[Nursing in Critical Care](#) (Wiley, IF 3) is calling for papers for a special issue on **Humanizing and elevating critical care: The power of families**. **Manuscript submission deadline is October 1, 2025.** Topics of increase interest include long term outcomes of family centred interventions; family participation in decision making; nurses’ perspectives on family centred care; and more.

The **Journal of Advanced Nursing** (Wiley, IF 3.8) is calling for papers for a special issue on [healthy work environments](#). **Deadline for submissions is October 15, 2025.** Topics of interest include workforce retention and job satisfaction; psychosocial and physical safety; education and professional development; and more.

[Advances in Medical Education and Practice](#) (Dovepress, IF 1.8) is calling for manuscripts for an article collection on the **future in health professions education: innovative teaching alternatives**. **Manuscript submission deadline is October 31, 2025.**

[Patient Preference And Adherence](#) (Dovepress, IF2.0) is calling for manuscripts for an article collection on **digital healthcare solutions for patient experience and medication adherence**. **Submission deadline is November 21, 2025.** Topics of interest include but are not limited to the relationship between digital healthcare and patient outcomes; and more.

Worth Reading

[Stamp out paper mills](#) – science sleuths on how to fight fake research. Anna Abalkina et al., *Nature*, January 27, 2025.

[The San Francisco Declaration on Research Assessment continues to gain traction in Canada](#). Shauna McGinn, *University Affairs*, March 31, 2025.

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