

Name of Forum	Nursing in Justice and Forensic Healthcare	Date of Report	29 th March 2023
Professional Lead	Dr Liz Walsh	Forum Chair	

Since our last report, the forum has been active in several key areas and with some significant stakeholders.

Of note is the forum's involvement at the RCGP Secure Environment Summit in Birmingham in October 2023. Three of the committee (Helen McNally, Paul McAleer, Deanna Mezen) presented a paper with the Professional Lead (Dr Liz Walsh) that discussed the role of the Justice and Forensic Forum and outlined its current and past work.

As a result of this presentation and their presence at the two day Summit, we are now collaborating with the RCGP and the RCPSych in the development and planning of the 2023 Summit, which will be held in Belfast in October. This means that nursing and nurses are firmly on the agenda of the Summit, which is the main annual conference that serves the justice and forensic community in the UK.

In addition to this, forum committee members have also been involved in

- Research activity with the University of Manchester (Deanna Mezen – health and social care of older prisoners)
- Sharing good practice and influencing best practice tool development in the field of palliative care in prison through attendance at an NHS England Task and Finish Group, and with Hospice UK (Deanna Mezen)
- Raising the profile of prison nursing through presentation at RCNi Jobs Fair (Emma Firth)
- Engagement with QNI on the steering group overseeing the development of field specific standards for advanced practice (Jess Davidson & Paul McAleer)
- Contribution to Publication latest edition of the Nursing Standard 'Non-Judgmental Nursing: when your patients may have committed a crime' (Deanna Mezen)
- Engagement with MacMillan and Teenage Cancer Trust to

What has been the impact or difference made as a result of the member representation?