

BACCN Conference 2024 Grant Report

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Once again, due to the generosity of the BACCN, I was able to attend this years conference. As well as being able to attend many presentations on other nurses projects, it also allows lots of networking and sharing of ideas. I heard Aisha Holloway talk about the Nursing Now Challenge, followed by David Wightwick telling us of his experiences with UK-Med, a company which sends medical professionals abroad to help in disaster zones, disease outbreak areas and areas of conflict.

The keynote on the first day was an online presentation by American author Sarah Digregorio based on her book about the nursing profession. Lots of insight and love for us all!

Another reason for me attending was to record some podcasts from the day, and I was able to do this with David Wightwick, Francesca Trota (Impact of critical illness on ICU family members: a Phenomenological Study) and Sarah Vollam (Enhanced Recovery After Critical Care: Designing a care pathway for post-ICU patients). These conversations will then be available for others to listen to via their podcasts app.

Once again a wonderful event and I look forward to Blackpool next year.

Thank you BACCN!