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# What we do

**The Burdett Trust for Nursing Trustees focus their funding on three key areas:**  
**Building nursing research capacity and capabilities;** **Building nurse leadership capacity and capabilities;** and  
**Supporting local nurse-led initiatives.**

# The Objects of the Charity

**Promote and advance education, research and training within the nursing and other healthcare professions for the benefit of the public and to promote public awareness of nursing and health issues.**

**Provide for the relief of hardship and mental or physical ill-health among nurses and other health-care professionals, and their dependants.**

**Promote and advance the provision of nursing and other health services for the benefit of the public.**

# Grant-Making Policies & Procedures

The Trustees target their grants at projects that are nurse-led and focused on supporting the nursing contribution to healthcare.

**Building Nursing Research Capacity:** supporting clinical nursing research and research addressing policy, leadership development and delivery of nursing care.

**Building Nurse Leadership Capacity:** supporting nurses in their professional development to create a cadre of excellent nursing and allied health professionals who will become leaders of the future and foster excellence and capacity-building in advancing the nursing profession.

**Supporting Local Nurse-led Initiatives:** supporting nurse-led initiatives that make a difference at local level and are focused explicitly on improving care for patients and users of services.

All information is on the Burdett Website <https://www.btf.n.org.uk>.

# **Nurse Retention**

**13 Projects were funded by Burdett Trust in 2016 on this important topic**

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