

National Major Trauma Nursing Group and National Major Trauma Rehabilitation Group

**Research sub-group
Terms of reference**

Date agreed: 29th April 2021

1. Research sub-group purpose

The overarching aim of the research sub-group is to promote the nursing and allied health professions contribution to research in major trauma care.

2. Research sub-group aims

- To improve access to research opportunities and clinical research for nursing and allied health professionals working with major trauma patients
- To develop and deliver collaborative research projects that are important to nursing and allied health professionals working with major trauma patients
- To facilitate multicentre research projects selected and designed by members of the NMTNG / NMTRG
- To provide opportunity for nurses and allied health professionals to engage with national research projects
- To provide expert advice to the NMTNG / NMTRG steering committee relating to research and publication outputs

3. Membership

The core group will have representation from all groups on the NMTNG and from the NMTRG. Any member of the NMTNG and NMTRG can be involved in the work of the research sub-group and attend its meetings. Other groups will be formed for short-term ‘task and finish’ projects.

The sub-group will meet at intervals in line with the NMTNG / NMTRG meeting structure.

Name	Position	Work region
Heather Jarman	Co-chair	London
Elaine Cole	Co-chair	London
National Major Trauma Nursing Group representatives		
Daniel Harris	Critical care group	Cambridge
vacant	Children’s group representative	
vacant	Coordinators group representative	
Paul Richards	ED group representative	Southampton

Daniel Harris	ICU group representative	Cambridge
vacant	Perioperative group representative	
Bronagh Grimley	Ward group representatives	Belfast
Dervla McCann		Belfast
National Major Trauma Rehabilitation Group representatives		
Stephen Friend	NMTRG chair	London
Heather Neary		Manchester
Natalie Marroney	MT physiotherapy representative	London
Sam Jones	Children's trauma representative	Manchester (children)
Jenny Coe		Brighton
Justine Theaker		Manchester

4. Reporting procedures

The co-Chairs will represent the research sub-group on the steering committee of the NMTNG/ NMTRG.