**College of Medicine & Health**

**School of Nursing and Midwifery**

**Summer Undergraduate Research Experience (SURE)**

**Awards 2023**

The College of Medicine and Health and the School of Nursing and Midwifery invites applications for Summer Undergraduate Research Awards (SURE) from undergraduate students in nursing and midwifery in UCC to support their participation in research during summer 2023. The purpose of these awards is to foster an interest in research and to give the student an opportunity to become familiar with research techniques.

**WHO should apply?**

1. Applications are open to undergraduate students registered within the School of Nursing and Midwifery, who are not in the final year of their degree course.
2. Applicants must be studying full-time at UCC.
3. Applicants must conduct the research with at least one School of Nursing and Midwifery based supervisor.
4. Each applicant may submit only one application.
5. Each supervisor may support only one student’s application.

**WHAT is the value of the award?**

Awards of up to €2,800 per student are available for a maximum of eight weeks’ research during the Summer of 2023.

€300 p/w x 8 weeks and €400 consumable budget

**How many awards are available?**

3 awards

**WHEN is the DEADLINE for applications:**

Applications for the School of Nursing and Midwifery SURE awards 2023 must be made using this official application form and emailed to [l.leahy@ucc.ie](mailto:l.leahy@ucc.ie) with SURE Award in the subject line. Applications will be accepted up to **4.00pm on Monday 8th May 2023**. Applications will not be accepted after this date or if sent to any other mailbox.

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**Application Form**

1. **Student Details**

Surname

First Name:

Student Number:

Email address:

Programme of Study:

Year of Study:

**Project Interested in Applying for: (please choose only one):**

1. **Development of a Programme Logic Model for "'Look, Feel, Tell': A breast awareness intervention for women with intellectual disability**.

*Supervisors: Dr Elaine Lehane, Dr Caroline Dalton, Dr Maria Caples, Dr Anne Marie Martin.*

1. **Sustainability in healthcare: understanding the application of the UN Sustainable Development Goals to Nursing and Midwifery practices and education.**

*Supervisor: Dr Angela Flynn.*

1. **The effects of sea swimming and its influence on perceived feelings of wellness in Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services** *OR* **A qualitative evaluation of the Wellbeing Coordinator for the Screen Sector (Film and TV industry) course.**

*Supervisor: Dr Johnny Goodwin.*

1. **Caring Canines: animal assisted intervention effects on day hospital patients undergoing cancer treatment.**

*Supervisor: Dr Irene Hartigan.*

1. **Sustaining patient engagement in child health research: A concept mapping exercise of current strategies used.**

*Supervisor: Dr Rachel Flynn.*

1. **Healthcare staff experiences of working in the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services** *OR* **The development and evaluation of a trauma informed programme on reducing restrictive practice, restraint and seclusion in Child and Adolescent Mental Health Units and Childrens wards.**

*Supervisors: Dr Aine O’ Donovan, Dr Maria O’ Malley, Ryan Goulding.*

1. **Evaluation of a health and well-being coordinator role for people with dementia in acute care wards.**

*Supervisor: Professor Corina Naughton*

**Have you applied for funding (including summer studentships) elsewhere?**

Yes □ No □

If yes, please provide

Name of project:

Awarding body:

Budget requested:

Expected date of decision:

1. **Why do you want to become involved in research?**

**Please outline below why you want to become involved in research (300 words maximum)**

1. **Additional Comments**

**If you have any other information to support your application, please provide details. Previous applications for a summer scholarship to the Health Research Board/APC-MI etc., should also be described if applicable (200 words maximum).**

1. **After Project**

**Please note successful applicants to the College of Medicine and Health, School of Nursing and Midwifery SURE awards will be required to submit a 200 word after project summary.**

**Signed Student:**

**Email address of student**

**Date of Application:**

**Applications will be adjudicated by members of the Research Committee within the School of Nursing and Midwifery. All decisions are final.**