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Professor George Lewith Award 2025 open for submissions

The Research Council for Complementary Medicine (RCCM) Professor George Lewith Award is open for submissions until October 2025. This is an annual award for the best early career project that addresses RCCM's aim to "promote research that will widen the availability of and access to safe and effective complementary medicine for patients within the National Health Service in the UK."

The eligibility criteria are:

- Paying RCCM members are eligible to enter, as well as two from each RCCM corporate member (CNHC are corporate members so our registrants can apply).
- Students or early career researcher (up to 6 years post-PhD).
- Your project needs to have results. Protocols or plans are not eligible.

To submit your project for consideration, send an abstract to info@rccm.org.uk by 31 October 2025.

Find out more



Latest updates from the ASA on advertising



The Advertising Standards Authority (ASA) have published two useful articles on their website that will be of interest to our registrants:

- A quick guide to changes to the misleading advertising rules
- "Write a useful article helping marketers with tips for using AI"

CNHC guidance for registrants

We take this opportunity to remind all our registrants that they must comply with the Committee of Advertising Practice (CAP) Non-Broadcast Code. To help our registrants with compliance we have produced guidance on advertising. Please read it in full and use it as a resource to check the content of your website and other forms of marketing.

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News from our Verifying Organisations

UK Reiki Federation Annual Conference 2025

The UK Reiki Federation is holding its Annual Conference on the weekend of 5-6 July 2025. Saturday 5 July will be an in-person event held at Coulsdon Manor Hotel in Surrey. Speakers include CNHC's Chief Executive Margaret Coats who will be talking about regulation and standards at 10.45 and taking part in the panel discussion at 12.15 on Saturday 5 July. Sunday 6 July will be an online event. Find out more here.

Kinesiology Federation 2025 One Day Conference

The Kinesiology Federation is holding its One Day Conference on Friday 11 July 2025 at the Winchester Hotel & Spa in Hampshire. Find out more about the day and book your place here.

CSTA Conference Day: From the Heart

The Craniosacral Therapy Association (CSTA) Conference Day takes place on Saturday 20 September 2025 at Colet House in Hammersmith, London. The day is open to both members and non-members and will feature talks by principals of CSTA's accredited training schools, offering rich perspectives drawn from years of embodied experience in the field of craniosacral therapy. Find out more here.



CNHC Workshop at IPM 25: The regulation of complementary healthcare in the UK

Thanks to everyone who attended our workshop at the Integrative and Personalised Medicine (IPM) Congress 2025 on 19 June 2025. The presentation is available to download as a pdf on our website.

If you attended and have any further questions or were unable to attend but would like to find out more, please feel free to contact us at info@cnhc.org.uk

Download the presentation



Does your home insurance cover practising from home?

If you are a CNHC registrant and your practice is based in your home (whether you see your clients inperson or online), you are reminded to check your home insurance policy to make sure you it provides coverage. A registrant recently contacted us after his insurer withdrew cover for practising at home on renewal and he asked us to bring this to the attention of all our registrants. It's important to check what your insurance covers, especially when it is renewed.



Advertise your vacancies to CNHC registrants

Are you looking for a CNHC registered complementary therapists for a paid or voluntary role? Did you know you can advertise your job opportunities for free on the Vacancies section of our website. We will also share it in our monthly e-newsletter and across our social media channels.

Email us at info@cnhc.org.uk with details of your vacancy.

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