

Welcome,

We are delighted that you wish to commence or renew your professional membership within the SHFNF. The membership fee for both Full Members and Affiliated Members for 2018/19 remains at **£30:00**. **If you are a new applicant then fees are due immediately but if renewing then the due date is 31/05/2018.**

Your membership fee allows the SHFNF to remain independent and able to attract a high calibre of speakers to our educational meeting of which, attendance remains free for our members. SHFNF Membership also provides regular updates and mailings and access to our national network for sharing best practice, seeking support and advice. As a member, you are also entitled to apply for SHFNF Grants up to the maximum amount of £250 to support educational development such as accredited modules or attendance at national/European educational meetings and events.

As well as benefits to the individual member, the fee also allows us to continue our work to raise the profile of and endeavour to protect the Specialist Heart Failure Nurse role.

The SHFNF:

- Published the SHFNF Review 2013 and coordinated a national launch with extensive media coverage to promote the specialist heart failure nursing role. A further review is on the SHFNF work plan for 2018
- Continues to represent the SHFNF at Parliament through Heart Failure specific meetings with Health Minister for Scotland, membership of the Heart Disease & Stroke Cross Party Group and presented the Review 2013 to Members of Parliament.
- Represents the interests of SHFNF members on the National Advisory Committee for Heart Disease [NACHD] and been instrumental in the development of a national heart failure hub (sub-group reporting to the NACHD) of which we are now key members.
- Developed and maintains www.shfnf.co.uk, a members' website as an excellence, and current resource of best practice and SHFNF information

As the forum continues to modernise its administration and management processes, we are able to offer a variety of payment methods, please note that you will be removed from the membership if payment is not made by 1st June 2018:

Bank mandate:	complete attached form and return to the treasurer- Betty Graham
Personal cheque:	made payable to SHFNF
Invoice:	please contact Betty Graham
Electronic bank transfer:	Royal Bank of Scotland Sort Code: 83-27-09 Account number: 00726903 Reference: <u>You must state your Name, NHS board and type of membership</u> E.g. Jill Nicholls NHS Tayside, Full

Any queries regarding payment should be made to Betty Graham (Treasurer) betty.graham@nhs.net
 Yours faithfully,

Jill Nicholls

Chair, SHFNF

SHFNF Membership 2018/19: Only complete if you require changes to your previous details

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