

NIHR School for Social Care Research 2024-2029

Research CV Guidance

Your CV submitted alongside your Post-Doctoral Fellowship application must be no longer than 2 pages, minimum 11-point font. It must include your qualifications, professional experience, any research/other publications, and any research funding (if applicable).

The bullet points below may be used to help structure your research CV - they are given as guidance and completion of all headers is not required.

Required sections

- Name
- Email address
- Current role
- Past employment/professional experience
- Education
- Qualifications
- Relevant professional registrations

Optional sections (to complete where relevant)

Below is a list of suggested headers which may also be used where you have relevant information to share – completion of all headers is not required:

- Other relevant roles (i.e. roles in advisory groups, working group membership, etc).
- Funding, prizes and professional achievements
- Research experience
- Practice experience
- Professional development and training
- Selected publications

Additional CV-related resources

Other useful resources include:

- [Academic CV workbook \(Newcastle University\)](#)
- [How to write an effective CV and cover letter \(Vitae\)](#) – note: this content is geared towards CVs for employment, but there are some useful tips around structure, drafting and formatting that are equally relevant.