



# Supporting nurses towards publication: the librarian's role

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## Oxford experience with One-to-one consultations

- Generic training gradually phased out
- Tailored workshops and individual sessions preferred
- One-to-one consultations very popular  
(in 2009 - 318 sessions by team of 6 librarians)
  - Library training rooms
  - Outreach in the wards/departments
- Follow ups / Ongoing support (mostly by electronic means)



## Nurses publish more

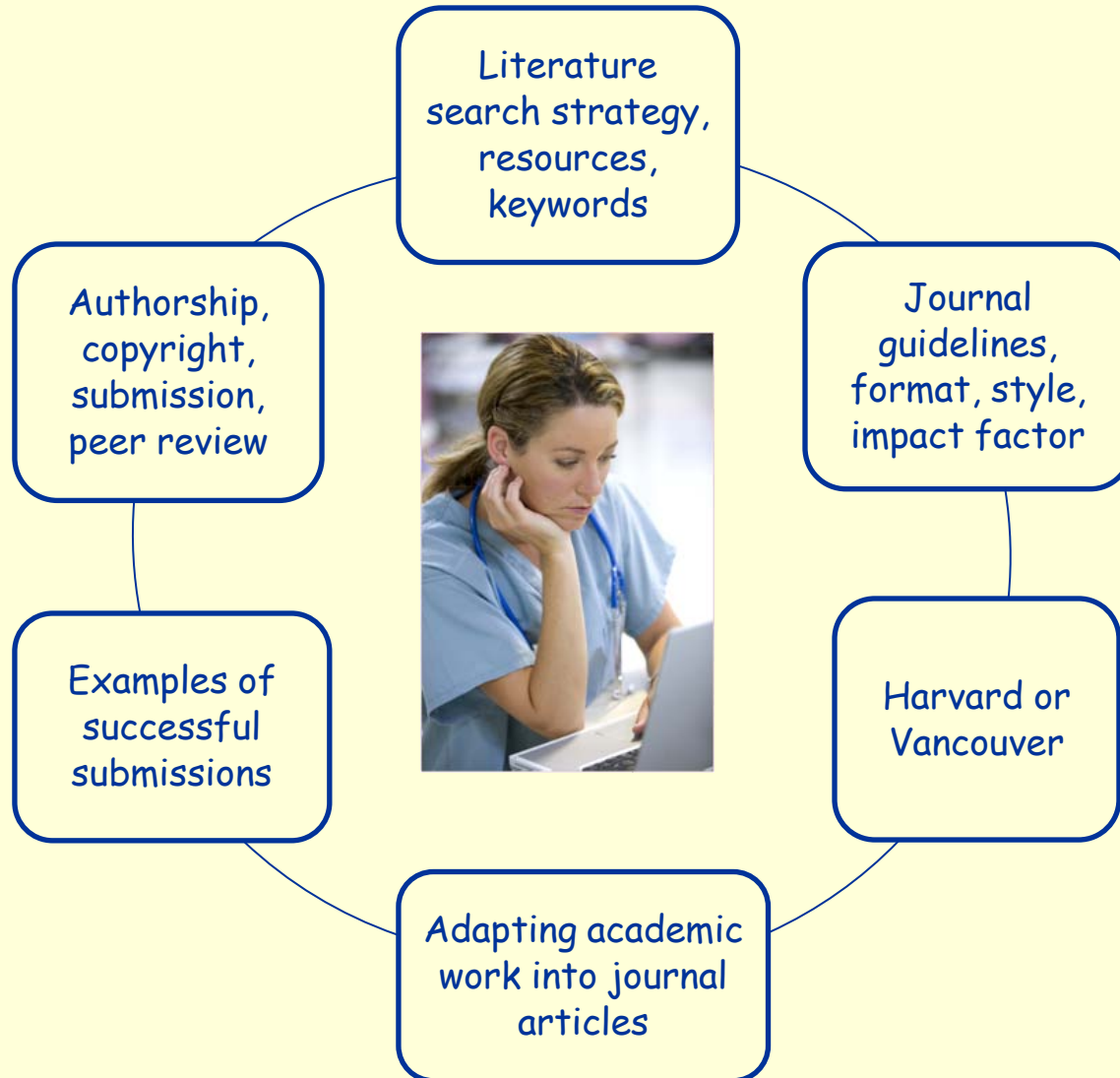
- Career progression
- Specialist nursing empowerment
  - Launch of very focused nursing titles (e.g. *British journal of cardiac nursing*)
- Research nursing evolvement
  - Multidisciplinary teams
  - Funding proposals
- Postgraduate dissertations / theses
- Encouragement by colleagues who have already published



## Supporting nurses towards publication

- Suited to one-to-one consultations
- Beneficial to first-time authors
- Not a result of any promotional effort (regular users, word of mouth)
- De-mystifying the process of publication
- Encouraging the author
- Saving time and effort

# Possible issues to raise





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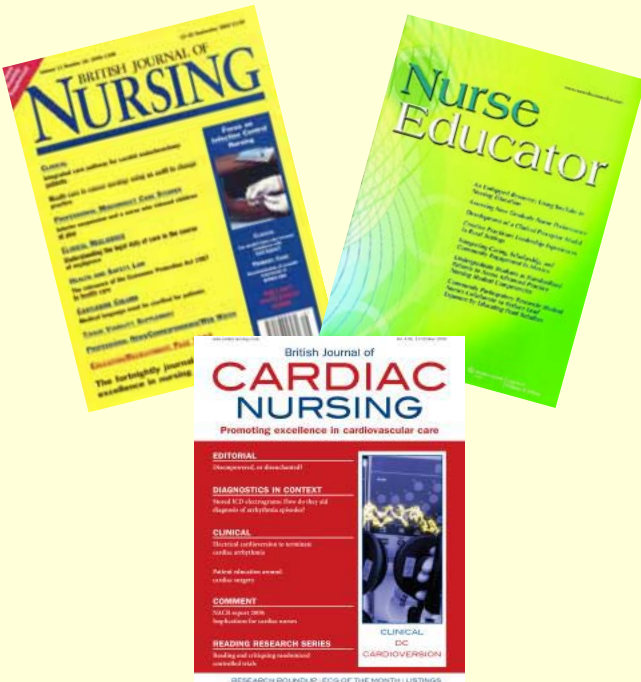
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