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I introduce myself as Joby v George, a nursing professional from India, I have done my Nursing education from the state of Karnataka, India in the year 2007 and hold the professional membership of Trained Nurses

Association of India. After my nursing education I was engaged as staff nurse for 2 years thereby with an intent to improve scientifically and be a part of innovative care I joined as research nurse in BA/BE studies , I feel proud in saying that I'm a GCP certified Nurse ,not with stand my thirst for better practice to the fellow patients enabled me to join as Research nurse in Phase III,IV, observational studies. I've completed Certificate of Nursing administration course from Apollo Health and Education research foundation, New Delhi, currently pursuing for Advanced PG diploma in Clinical Research and Medical writing from James Lind institute, Hyderabad.

Currently I'm a member of Clinical Research team of a tertiary care hospital of Northern India as Research nurse/ Sr. Staff Nurse where my role is not seen by other nurses as nursing. I guess the lack of recognition of my role in research stems from the lack of exposure in my country of nurses performing formal investigations involving patient care. For this reason, I am convinced that in order to turn the view of others, relative to nursing research and nurses conducting them, that I have become a beacon, a source of "knowing" and an example so that interest in it may be generated.



My interest in research has been due, in most part, in reading and listening to significant investigations of phenomena that bears nursing implications. Sadly, this interest has not been generated by my baccalaureate preparation in nursing, but rather in being associated with researchers themselves, most of whom are not nurses. Their passion in problem identification and generating hypotheses as well as their commitment in respecting the rights and humanity of their subjects while finding answers to the same fascinated me. Their generation of a “new mirror” for others to view reality and to make this reality a springboard for improving care became the impetus in my joining the hospital’s research team. When research is seen as relevant to practice, enthusiasm in research among nurses becomes evident. New ways of approaching patient care are based on research and communicating these links to nurses making them cognizant of the importance and impact research exerts on patient care and nursing practice. I also encourage others to participate in any research activity that my department is currently engaged in so that it will improve the view of nurses of research as an integral nursing activity.



It was nice to join Global Research Nurses network, compared to other groups I feel it's a good platform to get updates about research, The sections like e-learning, events and networking, tools and templates are some of the good sections that I like to visit on and often. In nutshell it's a budding tool for all nurses to get involved into one kind or another research. I think there is a lack of discussions by all of the members of the group although we are having more than 350 members, Its highly recommendable that the administrative faculties are ready to help for any kind of issues, I reiterate that all the nurses across the globe - get involved in GRNNs, explore the maximum, best wishes to all the nurses in their careers towards significant innovation in their respective areas of specialization.

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