Florence Nightingale 2020 Bicentenary Film Project – Submission instructions

ABOUT THE PROJECT…

For 2020, the Florence Nightingale Museum in London is commemorating 200 years of Florence Nightingale. For the bicentenary events programme, we are putting together a film project to celebrate her legacy and the inspirational stories of nurses who have followed in her footsteps. Capturing the experiences of nurses working in 2020, ‘The International Year of the Nurse and Midwife’, we hope to shine a light on the importance of the profession and the vital work that is carried out every day around the world. But we can’t do this without your help!

WHAT WE NEED FROM YOU…

Are you (or have you been/ are training to be) a nurse? Would you like to be able to share your story with us? If so, we would love you to create a video response. We want the film to reflect the diversity of the nursing profession and so we actively encourage submissions from nurses of all backgrounds and levels of experience, including trainee nurses.

The finished film will become part of our digital exhibition “Nightingale in 200 Objects, People and Places” and will be shared on the Florence Nightingale Museum’s social media platforms.

THINGS TO REMEMBER WHEN FILMING:

* Please leave a brief pause between each of your answers. This is to allow for easier splitting up of your submission in the editing process.
* If there are any questions you do not wish to answer, please say: "I'm not answering question \_\_\_" and move onto the next one.
* Please record in landscape view

* You can film yourself on your own device, if you have any questions or need assistance email [FilmProject@florence-nightingale.co.uk](mailto:FilmProject@florence-nightingale.co.uk) and we will be happy to help.

QUESTIONS TO ANSWER

*Florence Nightingale is celebrated today as the founder of modern nursing. Nightingale saw nursing as a calling, she dedicated her life to nursing and campaigning for better healthcare for ordinary people.*

1. In your opinion, how influential has Nightingale been to nursing, and/or to your work personally?
2. In her most famous book ‘Notes on Nursing’ Florence Nightingale laid out advice and guidance for other nurses. What do you think makes a good nurse?
3. 2020 is the International Year of the Nurse and Midwife. ‘Heroic’, ‘Frontline Workers’, ‘Pillars of Society’ are all phrases that have been used this year to describe nurses. How do you feel about the representation of nurses during 2020?
4. What has been a poignant moment in your time as a Nurse/ Trainee Nurse?
5. How has your view on Nursing changed over your time as a Nurse/ Trainee Nurse? Are there any changes to nursing you would like to see?
6. This year is Florence Nightingales bi-centenary, 200 years since her birth. What do you think her legacy is and what do think nursing will look like 200 years from now?

Find out more and submit your response here: <https://www.florence-nightingale.co.uk/nightingale-2020-film-project/>

Once you click through to the submission form you will be asked to upload your video, so it is best to record this in advance of clicking through to the form.