



Some Reasons why Nurses should join the Royal British Nurses' Association

IT is the only body of trained nurses which has been honoured by incorporation by Royal Charter, and therefore Membership of the Royal British Nurses' Association gives to Nurses a status and prestige which no other existing organisations of nurses can.

Because, in order to become a Member a nurse must show evidence of possessing a three years' Certificate of Training in a General Hospital, and so, by becoming a Chartered Nurse and placing the letters M.R.B.N.A. after your name, you are recognised as possessing this high standard of qualification.

By becoming a Member you are entitled to wear the beautiful Badge of the Association—a Bronze Cross with the Royal Crown in the centre, and the national emblems of the four kingdoms between the arms of the cross. The R.B.N.A. is the only body of nurses which can place the Royal Crown on its Badge.

Because the Association has fought for many years to have Nursing standardized as a Profession by the State. This victory has been won for you and other trained nurses, but there is still need for effort to improve the position of the nurses. Every new name added to the Roll strengthens the power behind the Charter to press for better conditions and better salaries for you and your fellow nurses.

Because there is no lay control in this organisation. It is a professional body managed by members of the profession who have no employers' interests to serve, and, therefore, the members can trust the governing body to work for the interest of the working nurses.

UNION IS STRENGTH. JOIN NOW.

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