



## **Association of Breast Surgery**

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### **Nursing Trustee Role Description**

1. The Nursing Trustee will act as a Trustee of the ABS and must attend at least 70% of Executive Board Meetings per year.
2. The Nursing Trustee will chair the ABS Nursing Committee.
3. The Nursing Trustee will sit on the Clinical Practice and Standards Committee (or send an appropriate deputy).
4. The Nursing Trustee will liaise with the nurse unit and affiliate fellows to update them on relevant projects within the Association and to represent their views and requirements to the Executive Board.
5. The Nursing Trustee will ensure that such sessions as are relevant to nurse unit and affiliate fellows are organised for the ABS Conference, the ABS Nursing Conference and other ABS meetings.
6. The Nursing Trustee will ensure that projects furthering the ABS Objects represent and reflect the roles of the nurse unit and affiliate fellows.

*All ABS posts are voluntary and we appreciate that the post holder will need to fit in their ABS work around clinical and other commitments. However to ensure the effective running of the Association we do require Trustees to be able to commit to responding to urgent issues within a week and non-urgent issues within two weeks, unless a Trustee is on leave or there are extenuating circumstances (that the President/Association Manager should be made aware of). The Trustees are in a position to assign the Chair a deputy in special circumstances if required.*