

FACE CERTIFICATION

Our Finance and Clinical Educator (FACE) Network aims to inspire better relationships by educating clinicians and managers about how finance works in the NHS. We aim to have a Finance and Clinical Educator in every NHS organisation who is best-placed to champion clinical engagement and financial training in that organisation. If you are not already part of the network but would like to join, please get in touch by emailing futurefocusedfinance@nhs.net or by filling in the [FACE form here](#).

FACE Certification is a way of recognising active members of the network who are teaching finance to clinicians and non-finance managers in their organisations. We also hope this will encourage our FACES to share what teaching they are doing with other members in the network.

Each year there will be a FACE of the year award where number of teaching hours logged with us will be taken into account.

THE CERTIFICATION HAS 3 LEVELS:

**5 HOURS OF
TEACHING**



LEVEL 1

**10 HOURS OF
TEACHING**



LEVEL 2

**20 HOURS OF
TEACHING**



LEVEL 3

Once you have logged your teaching with us [via our online form](#), we will add the stars to your profile on the FFF website. Your teaching hours that you log will last for one year from the date of the session, for example if you logged 4 hours on the 2nd December 2020 this will be part of your accumulative total until 2nd December 2021 when those 4 hours will drop off your total hours of teaching for the year. You will therefore need to keep logging your hours to maintain your level of FACE certification.

FAQS:

• Do I need to be a FACE to get FACE certification?

Yes, the FACE certification is part of the FACE network, you need to join the network before logging your teaching hours with us to become a certified member of the network.

• Is FACE certification for me or my organisation?

FACE certification is for the individual – it is the individual that is certified not the organisation.

• How do we record our teaching with FFF to get FACE certification?

We have a teaching log form for you to [fill out here](#).

• Can I log teaching hours from last year?

You can log teaching hours as long as they are within a year of the current date. Once a year has passed since a teaching session those hours will be wiped from your total which could affect your certification level.

Please note that FACE certification is part of the FFF Towards Excellence Accreditation Process, so don't forget to keep your FFF FACE teaching logs up to date.

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