

UKBHC Board Member profiles

Brief account of your experience to date:

I first got involved in chaplaincy as a Curate over twenty years ago through involvement in the local mental health trust and have been employed as a chaplain since finishing my curacy in 2002. I was Senior Chaplain of Birmingham Children's Hospital from 2005 and in 2018 became Chaplaincy and Spiritual Care Team Leader at the newly formed Birmingham Women's and Children's Hospital. I lead a multifaith team of staff, honorary chaplains and volunteers. I have a Masters degrees in both Chaplaincy and Adult Education and Theological Reflection. I lecture in chaplaincy at undergraduate and postgraduate levels and have been involved in setting up the Centre for Chaplaincy with Children and Young People at St John's College, Nottingham. I cofounded and co-convene the Paediatric Chaplaincy Network and established the Centre for Paediatric Spiritual Care. I have published a range of articles and books on different aspects of chaplaincy and spiritual care, See https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Paul_Nash5 for a list of publications. Most recently I have co-edited Paediatric Chaplaincy Principles, Practices and Skills with Sally Nash and Mark Bartel.

Any role you fulfil on the Board:

What you hope to contribute to the work of UKBHC:

I am convinced of the need for evidenced based best practice and using a spectrum of research, audit and service improvement methods to find this.

Photograph:



Name (including qualifications):

Rev Paul Nash MA MA