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The mission of the Arkansas State Board of Nursing is to protect the public and act as their advocate by effectively regulating the practice of nursing.

The Annual Report of the Arkansas State Board of Nursing is prepared and distributed in accordance with the *Nurse Practice Act* of the State of Arkansas, Arkansas Code Annotated, § 17-87-203(4). It contains information regarding the Board’s activities, as well as information about nurses licensed by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, organized by licensure type and county of residence. Data on the supply and distribution of nurses licensed is included in Appendix B of this report. This data is obtained from responses during license renewal.

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FROM THE DIRECTOR



It is with great pleasure that I present to you the Arkansas State Board of Nursing's 2017 Annual Report. This report reflects the Board of Nursing's activity from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

The mission of the board of nursing is to protect the public and act as their advocate by effectively regulating the practice of nursing. The Arkansas State Board of Nursing is composed of 13 board members. In accordance with state statutes, there are seven registered nurses (RNs) on the board. Of these seven RNs, two are advanced practice registered nurses with prescriptive authority; one has (as their highest educational preparation) a diploma, two have an associate degree and two have a baccalaureate or higher degree in nursing. There are three licensed practical or licensed psychiatric technician nurses and two consumers, one of which represents the elderly population. One additional at-large member is a licensed registered nurse or licensed practical nurse. One registered nurse must be an educator. The agency consists of an administrative staff of 29 hard working and dedicated individuals.

The Board is involved in nursing regulation on the local, state and national levels in order to address the ever-changing needs of the citizens of Arkansas. The annual report reflects the myriad of activities conducted by the Board and its staff in their commitment of fulfilling the mission of public protection. As you review this information, I hope you find the report informative and useful.

Sue A. Tedford

**Sue A. Tedford, MNSc, APRN
ASBN Executive Director**

The Arkansas State Board of Nursing has a legislative mandate to protect the public by assuring that any person practicing nursing is qualified to do so. The law governing the Board of Nursing is covered under the *Nurse Practice Act* of the State of Arkansas (reprinted from Arkansas Code Annotated, § 17-87-101 - § 17-87-711). In keeping with the power and responsibilities in the *Nurse Practice Act*, the Board:

- Maintains an office for the administration of its business and employs personnel necessary for carrying out its functions; examines, licenses and renews licenses or certificates of duly qualified applicants for nursing licensure and medication assistant certification;
- Prescribes minimum standards, approves curricula, surveys and approves educational programs preparing nurses for nursing licensure and medication assistant certification;
- Promulgates rules necessary for the implementation of the *Act* and submits these to the Arkansas legislative bodies for review;
- Develops and recommends role levels of technical classes of nursing service and practice to state and federal health agencies and to public and private administrative bodies;
- Conducts disciplinary proceedings and causes prosecution of persons violating the *Act*; and
- Grants certificates of prescriptive authority to qualified advanced practice registered nurses.



BOARD MEMBERS

The Board of Nursing is composed of thirteen Board Members appointed by the Governor: there are seven registered nurses (RN) - one of which is advanced practice with prescriptive authority, one of which is advanced practice, one of which is a diploma school graduate, two of which are associate degree graduates, and two baccalaureate degree or post-baccalaureate degree graduates; three licensed practical nurses (LPN) or licensed psychiatric technician nurses (LPTN); one additional at-large member is a licensed registered nurse or licensed practical nurse; one consumer member; and one representative of the older population. The term expires October 1 of the year listed. The appointees for the fiscal year 2016-2017 are listed below:

- Kaci Bohn**, Ph.D., Searcy — 2019 (*Consumer Member*)
- Mike Burdine**, RN, White Hall — 2017 (*RN - associate degree*)
- Yolanda Green**, LPN, Jacksonville — 2017 (*LPN*)
- Karen Holcomb**, RN, Pine Bluff — 2017 (*RN - diploma*)
- Melanie Garner**, LPN, Fort Smith — 2020 (*LPN*)
- Stacie Hipp**, APRN, White Hall — 2020 (*BSN or higher*)
- Ramonda Housh**, APRN, Pocahontas — 2018 (*Advanced Practice with prescriptive authority*)
- Terri Imus**, RN, North Little Rock — 2017 (*RN - associate degree*)
- Janice Ivers**, RN, Jessieville — 2020 (*BSN or higher*)
- Pamela Leal**, RN, Shirley — 2019 (*Representative of the older population*)
- Lance Lindow**, RN, Benton — 2017 (*At-Large RN or LPN*)
- Renee Mihalko-Corbitt**, DNP, APRN, Cabot — 2019 (*APRN*)
- Haley Strunk**, LPN, Crossett — 2017 (*LPN*)
- Term expired October 1, 2016**
- Tammy Mitchell, LPN, Mountain Home — (LPN)
- Sandra Priebe, MSN, RN, Mountain Home — (RN - baccalaureate or higher degree)
- Cathleen Shultz, Ph.D., RN, Searcy — (RN - baccalaureate or higher degree)

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BOARD STAFF

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- Gail Bengal, *Fiscal Support Specialist*
- Margie Brauer, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Tammy Claussen, MSN, RN, CNE, *ASBN Program Coordinator*
- Carla Davis, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Corrie Edge, *Legal Support Specialist*
- Darla Erickson, CPA, *Administrative Services Manager*
- Debra Fletcher, *Legal Support Specialist*
- Debra Garrett, DNP, APRN, *ASBN Program Coordinator*
- Lori Gephardt, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Ellen Harwell, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Amanda Holiman, *Administrative Specialist III*
- Stephanie Johnsen, *Legal Support Specialist*
- Deborah Jones, MNSc, RN, *ASBN Assistant Director*
- Carla Jordan, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Fred Knight, *General Counsel*
- Susan Lester, *Executive Assistant to the Director*
- Andrea McCuien, *Administrative Specialist II*
- Karen McCumpsey, MNSc, RN, CNE, *ASBN Assistant Director*
- Susan Moore, *Computer Operator*
- Jim Potter, *Regulatory Board Chief Investigator*
- Markeisha Rotimi, *Licensing Coordinator*
- Carmen Sebastino, *Administrative Analyst*
- Patty Smith, *Legal Support Specialist*
- Tra'Vonda Tate, *Administrative Specialist II*
- Mary Trentham, MNSc, MBA, APRN, *Attorney Specialist*
- LouAnn Walker, *Public Information Coordinator*
- Albert Williams, *Information Systems Coordinator*
- Lisa Wooten, MPH, BSN, RN, *ASBN Program Coordinator*



Committees

Administrative

The ASBN Administrative Committee serves in an advisory capacity and makes recommendations to the full Board which align with the Board's mission of public protection. The committee provides oversight on administrative matters and is responsible for providing direction for the agency. Some of the activities conducted by the committee include developing and revising agency policies, addressing legislative issues, evaluating the strategic plan and providing guidance to staff on various administrative functions. During FY2017 the committee also planned a retreat for board members and staff. The purpose of the retreat was to examine how the passage of statute related to medical marijuana could affect nursing regulation. The committee also developed guidelines for the Jill Hasley Memorial Scholarship which will be awarded to two recipients each year.

Education

The Nursing Education Committee reviews nursing education issues and standards for the purpose of making recommendations to the Board. The Committee proposes guidelines for use in implementing the *Rules* regarding nursing education programs, reviews new and established nursing education programs and addresses current nursing education issues and trends. During FY2017, the Education Committee reviewed and approved nine existing nursing programs and gave initial approval to one PN program. The committee also approved revisions to the Chapter 6 education standards, PN equivalencies and International licensee requirements.

Budget

The ASBN Finance Committee is a group of designated board members who provide recommendations to the full board. Since the board members are responsible for the financial oversight of ASBN, the Finance Committee is charged with the review of ASBN’s financial information. The financial information reviewed by the Finance Committee includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Financial Statements
- Financial documents provided by the Department of Finance & Administration (DFA)
- Reconciliations of Financial Statements to DFA documents
- Accounting Policies
- Authorizations of board member attendees for travel (ie. Mid-Year, Annual Meetings)
- Strategic Plan- Finance related Items
- CAFR Reports
- Signs of Financial Difficulty Reminders
- Biennial Budget
- Annual Operations Plan
- Audit Review
- Risk Assessment Review
- Nursing Student Loan Program
- Any other finance related issues or documents

Practice

The ASBN Practice Committee members are appointed by the Board President and include Board members and nursing community representatives. ASBN Staff provide resource material to the committee members to assist in making informed decisions regarding the practice of nursing and protection of the public.

The ASBN Practice Committee reviews and researches best practices for current issues in nursing practice and recommends official positions or other actions to the full Board. In addition, the ASBN Practice Committee monitors open investigations for trends in length of time the case is open and makes recommendations to the full Board. The ASBN Practice Committee addresses other issues as assigned by the Board President.

This past year, the Practice Committee revised Position Statement 94-1, Role of the Registered Nurse in the Management of Patients Receiving Moderate Sedation, Anesthetic Agents or Neuromuscular Blocking (paralytic) Agents For Therapeutic or Diagnostic Procedures, allowing registered nurses to act as a “third hand” for the provider in certain situations; reviewed whether delegation by the APRN to RMA’s and CMA’s would be allowed; and revised the abstinence stipulation while under Board order or Consent Agreement. The Practice Committee is currently reviewing the practice of aesthetics and what other states are practicing regarding flag removal in certain circumstances.

Prescriptive Authority

The Prescriptive Authority Committee functions in an advisory capacity to assist the Board with oversight and implementation of the provisions regarding prescriptive authority.

This committee is composed of six members appointed by the Board and approved by the governor. Four members are APRNs with at least three members holding certificates of prescriptive authority and active DEA numbers. One member is a licensed physician who has been involved in a collaborative practice agreement with an APRN for at least five years. One member is a licensed pharmacist who has been licensed at least five years.

BUDGET

The Arkansas State Board of Nursing does not receive appropriations of general revenue from the state. Nurse licensure fees constitute the agency's primary financial support. The FY 2017 total revenue was \$3,759,743.40. Expenses for the fiscal year totaled \$2,888,814.77. Total revenue and expenses includes Board of Nursing operating fund, nursing student loan fund, continuing education workshop fund, and criminal background check fund.

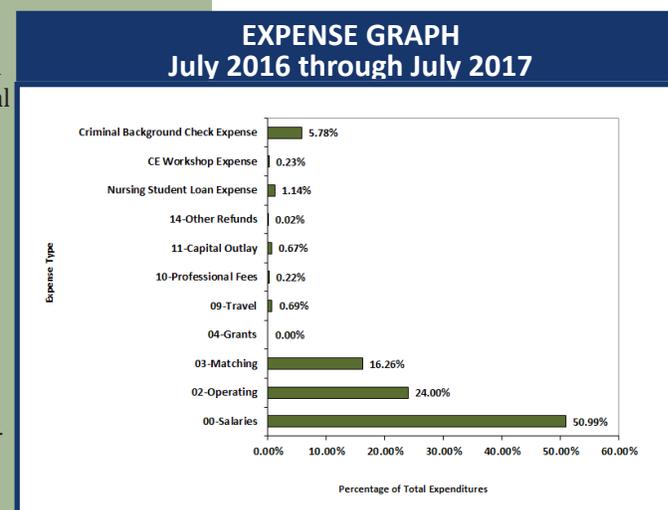
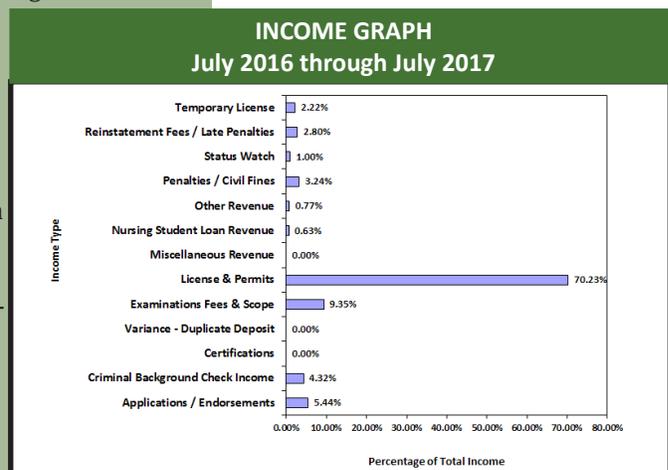
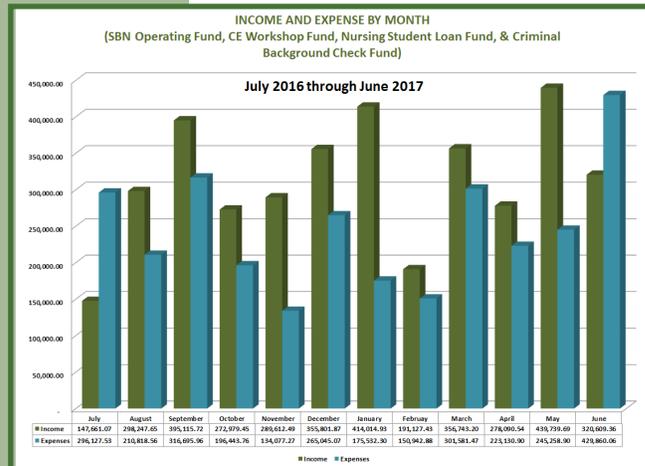
The Board is required to pay 1.5 percent of revenue fees to the Treasury of the State of Arkansas. These funds are credited to the State's General Fund for appropriation to various other agencies and services of state government. The Board paid \$56,699.89 to the General Fund for FY 2017. The financial statements and graphs on the following pages reflect the breakdown of revenue and expenses for the fiscal year 2017.

The Nursing Student Loan fund titled the Faith A. Fields Nursing Scholarship Loan is a separate fund used only for the purpose of providing loan/scholarships to nursing students and nurse educator students. The program is funded by donations that are deposited into the designated fund. From these funds, nursing students are awarded loans that can become scholarships if they work in the state of Arkansas for one calendar year after graduation and licensure for each year they receive the loan. In addition to the current recipient selections, beginning in the Fall of 2017, two recipients will be selected each year to receive the Faith A. Fields Scholarship Loan in memory of Jill Hasley, the ASBN Program Coordinator in the Advanced Practice Department from June 2011 until her death in July 2016.

The Continuing Education fund is also a separate fund that allows the Board of Nursing to collect registration fees for the educational workshops provided by the Board of Nursing. The designated funds from the registration fees are used to offset the costs associated with providing this service.

The Criminal Background Check fund is a separate cash fund the Board uses to collect and submit payments for the federal and state criminal background checks for applicants and employees. This fund was established to allow ASBN to run the background checks online. Online processing shortens the time to receive the results and speeds the application process.

The ending balance in the SBN0100 (Operating) fund as of June 30, 2017 was \$3,589,745.16. The balance in the NNB0000 (Continuing Education Workshop) Fund was \$12,863.45. The balance in the NNB0200 (Nursing Loan) Fund was \$124,047.53. The balance in the NNB0100 (Criminal Background Check) Fund was \$77.35.



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BUDGET

ASBN Profit & Loss (All Funds) July 2016 - June 2017

INCOME	
Appl/Endorse	206,700.00
CBC Income	164,180.94
CE Income	278.56
Certifications	2,190.00
Corp Nursing Reg	330.00
Exam Fees & Scope P	354,850.00
Intra-Agency Trans In	2,219.53
License & Permit	2,666,315.25
M&R Trans In	-18.75
Misc Income	22,963.64
NSL Income	23,941.91
Pen/Civil Fines	122,911.51
Rebate	1,326.72
Refund	68.13
Reinst Fees/Late Pen	106,130.70
Status Watch	38,040.00
Temp License	84,315.00
Variance-Duplicate Deposit Reversed	-36,999.74
Total Income	3,759,743.40
Cost of Goods Sold	
Special Rev Fee	56,699.89
Total COGS	56,699.89
Gross Profit	3,703,043.51
EXPENSE	
Advertising	247.05
Automobile Expense	439.77
Board Member Exp	38,220.50
Capital Outlay	19,348.98
CBC Expense	167,004.75
CE Workshop Expenses	6,709.96
Contract Labor	2,288.25
Dues and Subscriptions	2,729.83
Empl Benefits	146,160.00
Equipment Rental	11,067.66
Insurance	1,693.01
Investigations	98,700.00
Licenses and Permits	973.20
Low Value Asset Purchase	41,962.61
Miscellaneous	44.00
Nursing Student Loan Payment	33,000.00
Office Supplies	33,807.72
Payroll-Matching	323,590.16
Payroll Expenses	1,472,996.30
Postage and Delivery	25,544.61
Printing and Reproduction	31,922.64
Professional Fees	36,876.82
Refunds	569.45
Rent-Bldg	176,397.20
Repairs	2,219.57
Software	139,230.19
Supplies	6,725.37
Telephone/Communications	43,572.49
Travel-Staff	23,374.76
Travel - Other	485.84
Utilities	912.08
VOID	0.00
Total Expense	2,888,814.77
NET INCOME (Loss)	\$814,228.74

ASBN SBN0100 (Operating Fund) July 2016 - June 2017

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Total Income	3,571,341.99
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Special Rev Fee	56,699.89
Total COGS	56,699.89
Gross Profit	3,514,642.10
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Travel-Staff	23,374.76
Travel - Other	485.84
Utilities	912.08
VOID	0.00
Total Expense	2,682,100.06
NET INCOME (Loss)	\$832,542.04

BUDGET

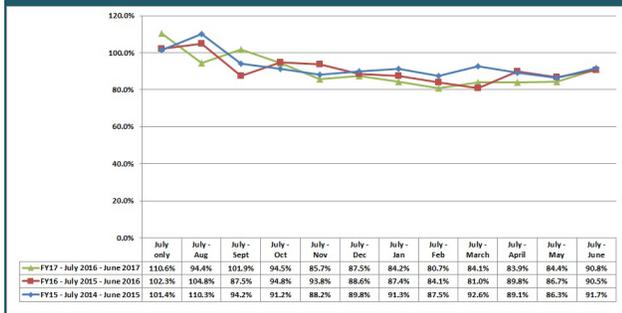
**ASBN CE Workshop Fund
Profit & Loss
July 2016 - June 2017**

INCOME		
CE INCOME		
	CE Int Income	278.56
Total Income		278.56
Gross Profit		278.56
EXPENSE		
CE Workshop		
Expenses		
	Conf & Seminar	5,000.00
	Food Purchase	784.96
	Honorarium	600.00
	License	325.00
Total Expense		6,709.96
Net Income (Loss)		-6,431.40

**ASBN Nursing Student Loan Fund
Profit & Loss
July 2016 - June 2017**

INCOME		
NSL INCOME		
	Contribute/Donate	13,085.00
	Int Inc on Loans	3,318.85
	Interest Inc from NNB	2,323.46
	Loan Prin Report	5,214.60
Total Income		23,941.91
Gross Profit		23,941.91
EXPENSE		
	Nursing Student Loan Payment	
	NSL-Ln Pmt Grant	33,000.00
Total Expense		33,000.00
Net Income (Loss)		-9,058.09

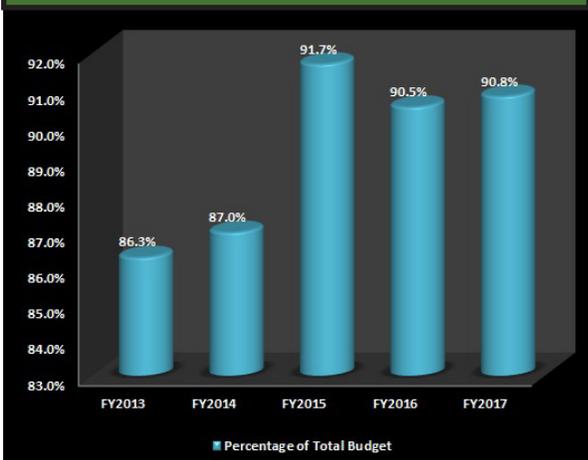
**Percentage Graph of Budget Used
FY2015 - FY2017**



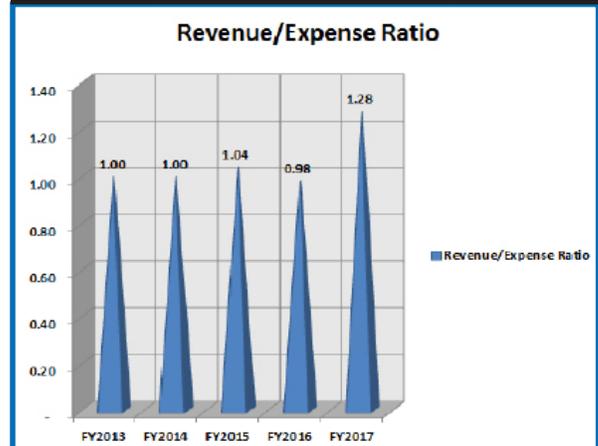
**ASBN CBC Fund
Profit & Loss
July 2016- June 2017**

INCOME		
	CBCChecks Inc Federal	62,191.25
	CBCChecks Inc State	101,640.00
	Total CBCChecks Inc	163,831.25
Interest Income		349.69
Total CBC Income		164,180.94
Gross Profit		164,180.94
EXPENSE		
	CBC Non Empl Exp	167,004.75
Total CBC Expense		167,004.75
Net Income		-2,823.81

**FINANCIAL STRATEGY MEASURES
PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL BUDGET
SPENT FY2013 - FY2017
(GOAL = 1.0 or above)**



**FINANCIAL STRATEGY MEASURES
FINANCIAL RATIO
REVENUE/EXPENSE FY2013 - FY2017
(GOAL = 1.0 or above)**



The Arkansas State Board of Nursing is a special revenue agency. Income is derived from fees authorized under provisions of the *Nurse Practice Act*. Fees are established and approved by the Board.

**Arkansas State Board of Nursing
Fee Chart for FY2017**

DESCRIPTION	FEES*	DESCRIPTION	FEES*
Licensure by Examination Application (RN & LPN)	\$100.00	Renewal License – CNM (must also hold a valid RN license)	\$65.00
Licensure by Examination Application (RN & LPN)	\$100.00	Renewal License – CNP (must also hold a valid RN license)	\$65.00
Medication Assistant – Certified Examination	\$35.00	Renewal License – CNS (must also hold a valid RN license)	\$65.00
International Nurse Application	\$200.00	Medication Assistant – Certified Renewal	\$40.00
Inactive Licensure Reinstatement (plus license renewal)	\$10.00	CRNA Corp Renewal	\$10.00
Lapsed Licensure Reinstatement (late penalty)	\$100.00	Replacement License	\$30.00
Lapsed Certification Reinstatement (late penalty)	\$50.00	Retired Application / Retired Renewal	\$15.00
CE Late Fee	Various	Continuing Education Workshop Registration	\$45.00
Certification to another state (RN, LPN & LPTN provided for jurisdictions outside the USA) (APRN, RNP & MA-C provided for all jurisdictions)	\$30.00	State Criminal Background Check Fee (collected by ASBN – entire fee submitted to INA)	\$22.00
CRNA Corp Registration	\$25.00	Federal Criminal Background Check Fee (collected by ASBN – entire fee submitted to INA)	\$15.75
Licensure by Endorsement Application (for LPTN- no change in FY17)	\$100.00	Annual Report	\$20.00
Licensure by Endorsement Application (for APRN, RN & LPN)	\$125.00	CE Approval Request	\$10.00
Medication Assistant – Certified Endorsement	\$65.00	Copies of Disciplinary Files (fee per page copied)	\$0.25
Fines - assed by ASBN	Various	Exam Results available on website	\$5.50
Temporary Permit Application	\$30.00	<i>Nurse Practice Act</i>	\$8.00
Advanced Practice Application	\$125.00	Position Statements	\$5.00
Prescriptive Authority Application	\$160.00	Publications Online	\$20.00
Certified Copy of Records	\$20.00	Returned Check Fee	\$30.00
Duplicate (wall) Credential	\$20.00	Rosters RN, LPN, APRN (ASBN receives \$100/\$100 to INA)	\$200.00
Duplicate Credential	\$30.00	Rosters, LPTN, RNP (ASBN receives \$75/ \$75 to INA)	\$150.00
Renewal License – RN	\$100.00	Visa Screening	\$30.00
Renewal License – LPN	\$90.00	Status Watch – Level 1 (annual fee) (ASBN receives \$60/ \$90 to INA)	\$150.00
Renewal License – LPTN	\$90.00	Status Watch – Level 2 (annual fee) (ASBN receives \$280 / \$420 to INA)	\$700.00
Renewal License – RNP (must also hold a valid RN license)	\$65.00	Status Watch – Level 3 (annual fee) (ASBN receives \$600/ \$900 to INA)	
Renewal License – CRNA (must also hold a valid RN license)	\$40.00		\$1500.00

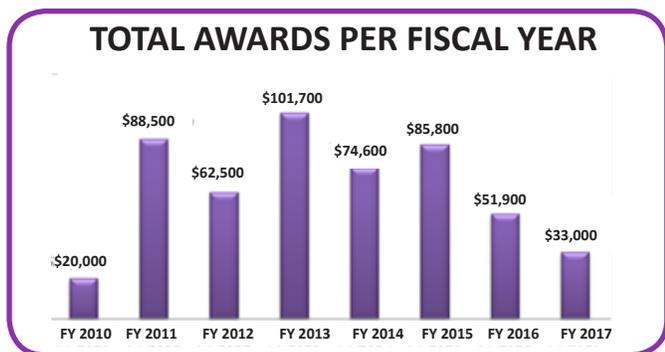
*Note the amount of the fee received by the Board of Nursing is dependent upon the form of payment. For example, the charge to an RN for license renewal is \$75.00. The amount of this fee that ASBN receives varies as follows: If they pay by check, ASBN receives the full \$75.00. If they renew online with a credit card, ASBN receives \$71.75 of the fee, with the \$3.25 retained by INA as a processing fee.

FAITH A. FIELDS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP/LOAN

The ASBN nursing student loan program was established in 2003 and legislatively revised by Act 9 in 2009. The purpose of the program is to provide funding for individuals attending a nursing program which will lead to licensure as a nurse or provide a higher degree in nursing. The goal is to increase the number of nurses in practice settings and faculty in nursing education programs. Representative Tracy Pennartz, the sponsor of the 2009 legislation supported nursing education and requested emphasis be placed on nurses desiring to teach in an Arkansas nursing education program.

Applicants apply for one of two types of scholarship/loan. Applicants entering a nursing program which leads to initial licensure as a nurse or who desire to remain in the practice setting apply for the Practice Loan. Applicants who are already a nurse and currently teach or plan to teach in a nursing program apply for the Educator Loan. Recipients of either loan type may have their loans converted to scholarships according to the terms of the loan. Recipients of the Practice Loan must practice full-time as a nurse in an Arkansas facility one year for each year of the loan and the Educator Loan recipients must teach in an Arkansas nursing program one year for each year of the loan.

The amount of funding varies each semester depending on the qualifications of the applicants and amount of money available. The table below demonstrates the amount disbursed for scholarship awards by fiscal year.



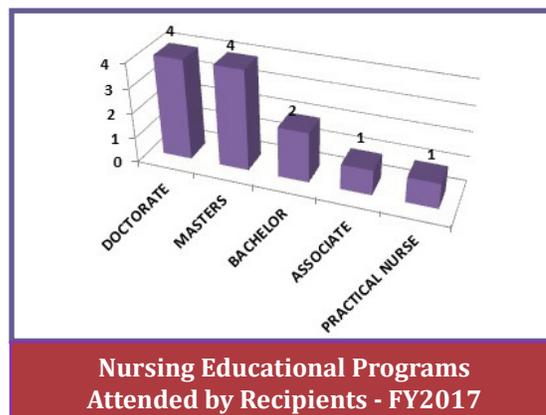
Since 2010, the majority of loans have been made to individuals living in Pulaski County (22%) with Washington County following at 11%. The diagram below displays the counties in which recipients from FY2017 reside.

RECIPIENTS BY COUNTY



Educational Programs

Nursing education programs attended by the twelve individual recipients of fiscal year 2017 were from a variety of educational levels with the majority of recipients attending a post-bachelors program. The table below indicates the breakdown of nursing educational programs attended by recipients.



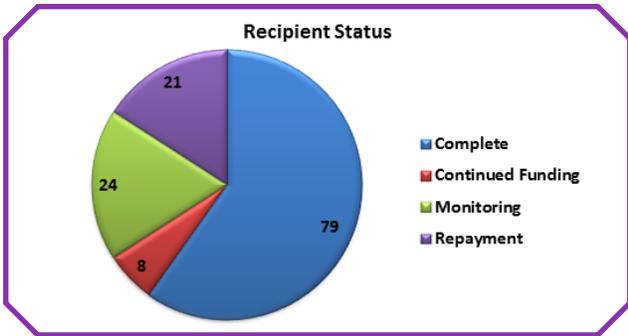
Loan Recipient Status

Each recipient has a nine month grace period following graduation to allow time to secure a nursing position that meets their contract requirements. During this time and while completing their work requirements they are placed in monitoring status.

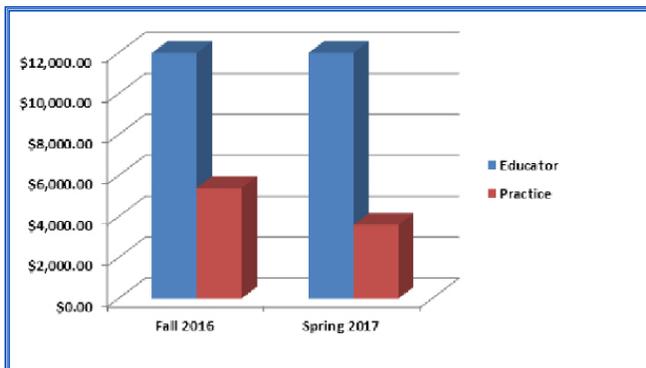
FAITH A. FIELDS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP/LOAN

Loan Recipient Status

Since 2010, one hundred thirty-two (132) individuals have received a scholarship/loan from the Faith A. Fields Scholarship. As noted in the table below seventy-nine (79) have completed the terms of their scholarship by practicing/teaching in Arkansas or repaying their scholarship funding. Eight (8) recipients will continue receiving scholarship money for the upcoming fiscal year. Twenty-four (24) recipients are being monitored for compliance with the terms of the loan and twenty-one (21) are in collections for repayment of the loan due to failure to fulfill the terms of the contract. Loan recipients who fail to complete the nursing program or graduate and do not comply with the terms of the loan (fail to practice or teach in an Arkansas institution) are placed into repayment status



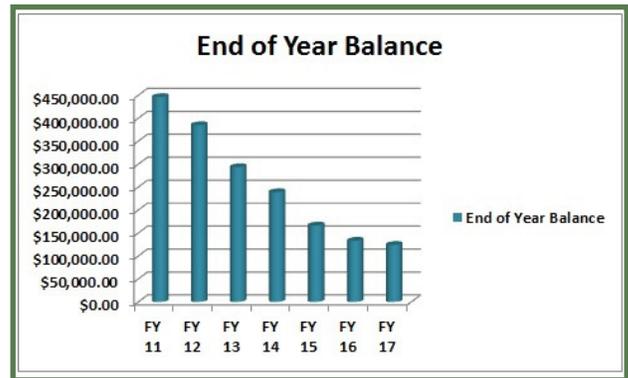
Recipients of the educator loan receive up to \$3,000 semester and recipients of the practice loan receive up to \$1,200/semester. A total of twenty-three (23) loans were granted during the reporting period totaling \$33,000. For the fall semester six (6) educator loans and six (6) practice loans were disbursed. The loans awarded for the following spring semester (2017) consisted of a continued funding of six (6) educator loans and five (5) practice loans. The table below depicts the amount of funding per semester.



Funding Allocated for the Two Loan Types FY2017

Scholarship Fund Balance

The balance in the Faith A. Fields Scholarship/Loan at the beginning of the fiscal year was \$133,105.62. Disbursements for the year totalled \$33,000. Deposits to the account consisted of \$5,642.31 in interest, \$5,214.60 in loan repayment and \$13,085.00 in contributions for an ending balance of \$124,047.53. The graph below represents the fund balance at the end of each fiscal year.



The Faith A. Fields Scholarship/Loan program continues to meet its goal of providing money for individuals attending nursing education programs. Interest and donations received each year do not keep up with the annual disbursements. An additional source of revenue will need to be pursued in the future for this program to continue.

DISCIPLINE

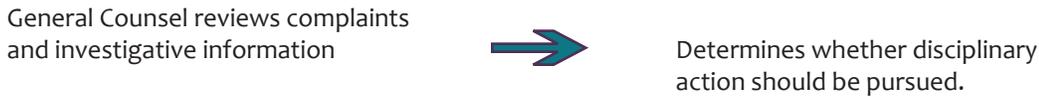
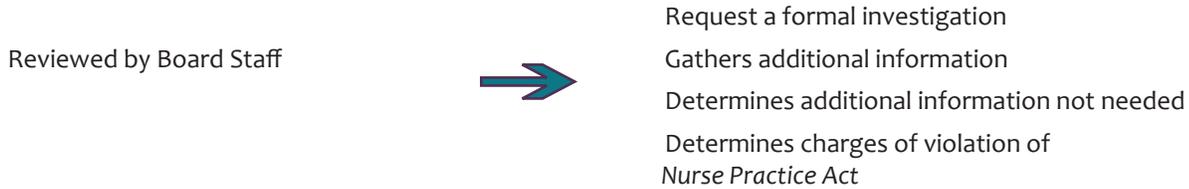
The Arkansas *Nurse Practice Act* (NPA) and its *Rules* provide that the Board may deny, suspend, revoke, limit or otherwise discipline any license to practice nursing or certificate of prescriptive authority for certain causes. These causes include: (1) is guilty of fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing; (2) is guilty of a crime or gross immorality; (3) is unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits, or other causes; (4) is habitually intemperate or is addicted to the use of habit-forming drugs; (5) is mentally incompetent; (6) is guilty of unprofessional conduct; (7) has had a license, certificate, or registration revoked, suspended or placed on probation or under disciplinary order in any jurisdiction; (8) has voluntarily surrendered a license, certification, or registration and has not been reinstated in any jurisdiction; or (9) has willfully or repeatedly violated any of the provisions of any chapter of the Arkansas NPA. The Arkansas NPA further provides that the Board shall refuse to issue or shall revoke the license of any person who is found guilty of or pleads guilty or nolo contendere to any offense listed in §17-87-312(e).

Inquiries and reports to the Board concerning safety in individual nursing practice continue to increase. Investigations of these inquiries and reports are completed by Board staff, legal counsel, contract investigators or other governmental agencies. During its investigations, the staff has continued to emphasize the Board's commitment to the due process afforded each licensee under the provisions of the Arkansas NPA and the Administrative Procedures Act as well as the Board's charge to protect the public. During the reporting period, 1,904 complaints were received, 1,582 cases were assigned to an investigator and 1,926 cases were closed. At the end of the reporting period 448 cases were pending resolution. Of the 448 pending cases, 78 were awaiting a formal hearing and 92 cases were awaiting consent agreements.

BOARD DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS							
July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017							
ACTION	APRN	RN	RNP	LPN	LPTN	APPLICANT	TOTAL
Licenses Suspended	0	29	0	32	0	0	61
Licenses Revoked	1	2	0	6	0	0	9
Placed on Probation	6	119	0	52	0	0	177
Written Reprimands	4	39	0	51	0	0	94
Voluntary Surrenders	5	52	0	53	1	0	111
Prescriptive Authority Disciplined	7						7
Cease and Desist Order Issued	0	10	0	3	0	0	13
TOTAL	23	251	0	197	1	0	472
Administrative Hearings	2	39	1	44	0	2	88
Consent Agreements	5	115	0	52	0	0	172
Non-Disciplinary Actions							
Written Warnings	6	17	0	28	0	0	51
Licenses Reinstated	2	11	0	7	0	0	20
Probation Removed	1	41	0	18	0	0	60
Suspension due to non-payment of child support	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Imposters Investigated	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	9	69	0	56	0	0	134
Total Fines Assessed							\$296,230.00
Assessments from CNPs	\$ 12,350.00						
Assessments from CRNAs	\$ 1,500.00						
Assessments from RNs	\$168,565.00						
Assessments from LPNs	\$113,815.00						
Total Fines Collected (including online processing fees retained by INA)							\$124,655.25

One of the methods used by the Board of Nursing to insure protection of the public is to cause the prosecution of persons violating provisions of sections 17-87-101 through 17-87-402 of the Arkansas *Nurse Practice Act*. The following is the order of disciplinary proceedings against nurses in the state of Arkansas:

LETTER OF COMPLAINT RECEIVED



CONSENT AGREEMENT

The Board staff determines the violations and proposed stipulations. Board Attorney draws up a legally binding agreement.



The licensee receives a copy of the Agreement, agrees to the terms, including waiving their right to a hearing before the Board, signs the agreement, and returns it to the Board office. (If the licensee refuses to sign the agreement, the Disciplinary Hearing process begins.)



Board attorney and a staff witness sign the Consent Agreement and forward it to the Board.



Board President signs the Consent Agreement following a majority approval by the Board.

DISCIPLINARY HEARING

The General Counsel files formal charges. This may be done initially or after the licensee refuses a Consent Agreement.



Disciplinary Hearing is Held

If the Board finds the nurse violated the *Nurse Practice Act*:



Disciplinary Order
The Board issues an Order setting forth the discipline (reprimand, probation, suspension, revocation or limitation).

If the Board finds that the conduct which was charged did not occur or that the conduct which did occur is not a violation of the *Nurse Practice Act*, the case is dismissed and no further action is taken.

The Order becomes effective the day it is signed.



Appeal

The licensee may appeal this decision to the circuit court of the Arkansas county in which he or she resides or the Circuit Court of Pulaski County, AR.

LICENSURE

The *Nurse Practice Act* requires that any person practicing as a(n)

- Registered Nurse
- Advanced Practice Registered Nurse
- Registered Nurse Practitioner
- Practical Nurse, or
- Psychiatric Technician Nurse

in this state shall be licensed by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing. Legislation enacted in 1979 authorized the licensing of registered nurse practitioners. Act 409 of 1995 created advanced practice nurse licensure. This licensure includes the previous categories of certified registered nurse anesthetist and certified nurse midwives and adds licensure of certified nurse practitioners (previously known as advanced nurse practitioners) and clinical nurse specialists. Appendix B gives totals of nurses licensed in Arkansas by licensure category and county of residence. The information is derived from questions that are completed on the licensure renewal forms. Incomplete data indicates that the licensee did not provide that information.

ADVANCED PRACTICE

The table below lists the numbers of Advanced Practice Registered Nurses granted initial licensure in Arkansas during the reporting period:

Certified Nurse Practitioners	425
Endorsement 94	Exam 331
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	49
Endorsement 21	Exam 28
Clinical Nurse Specialists	10
Endorsement 4	Exam 6
TOTAL	484

ADVANCED PRACTICE PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY

Act 409 of 1995 gave the Board authority to grant certificates of prescriptive authority to qualified advanced practice registered nurses. Advanced Practice licensure categories and numbers of licensees granted a certificate of prescriptive authority during the reporting period are identified below:

Endorsements	35
Initial	322
TOTAL	357

Licensure examinations for registered nurse and practical nurse candidates are administered via computerized adaptive testing. State boards of nursing contract with the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) for these examinations. In Arkansas, tests are administered by technology centers located in Little Rock, Fort Smith and Texarkana. A candidate may test at any center nationwide or internationally for licensure by the Board that provided authorization to test.

The licensure examinations have one purpose: to test knowledge, skills and abilities essential to the safe and effective practice of nursing at the entry level. The use of national RN and PN examinations facilitates licensure by endorsement from one jurisdiction to another. The passing standard is set by a panel of practicing nurses who are knowledgeable of entry-level nursing practice. Membership on the panel is open to all NCSBN jurisdictions. Examination results are reported to boards of nursing and to the candidates as either “pass” or “fail”. Unsuccessful candidates are provided with a performance report that gives information on areas for remedial study.

The Board participates in the test development system administered by the testing service of the NCSBN. The Arkansas Board approves practicing nurses to participate in RN and PN item writing, item review and standard-setting panel.

Graduates of an approved nursing program are eligible for licensure in Arkansas after passing the National Council Licensure Exam (NCLEX®). The number of registered nurse and licensed practical nurse licenses issued by examination is shown in the following table.

Licensure by Examination	
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Registered Nurses	2,049
Practical Nurses	968
TOTAL	3,017

ENDORSEMENTS

Pursuant to the Arkansas Nurse Practice Act, the Board may issue a license to practice nursing by endorsement to an applicant who is duly licensed as a nurse under the laws of another state, territory or foreign country if the applicant meets Board qualifications. Applicants for endorsement must have successfully completed a nursing education program, the appropriate NCLEX®, and must be verified by the jurisdiction of original licensure. In addition to these requirements, advanced practice registered nurses shall have documentation of current unencumbered advanced practice license/authority to practice in another jurisdiction. Nurses licensed in Arkansas by interstate endorsement from each state during the reporting period are shown in the following tables:

Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Endorsements July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

STATE	CNP	CNM	CNS	CRNA	TOTAL BY STATE	STATE	CNP	CNM	CNS	CRNA	TOTAL BY STATE
Alabama	1	0	0	1	2	Missouri	12	1	1	6	20
Alaska	0	1	0	0	1	North Carolina	0	1	0	0	1
Arizona	1	0	0	0	1	Oklahoma	4	0	0	2	6
California	2	0	0	0	2	Rhode Island	1	0	0	0	1
Florida	2	1	0	0	3	Tennessee	17	0	0	6	23
Illinois	2	0	0	0	2	Texas	14	1	1	3	19
Kansas	2	0	0	2	4	Virginia	1	0	0	0	1
Louisiana	2	0	0	4	6	Washington	1	0	0	0	1
Maine	1	0	0	0	1	Wisconsin	0	0	0	1	1
Michigan	1	0	0	0	1	TOTAL BY APRN ROLE	75	5	2	27	109
Mississippi	11	0	0	2	13						

LICENSURE

Registered Nurse Endorsements
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

Alabama	35	Louisiana	104	Ohio	35
Alaska	1	Maine	1	Oklahoma	95
Arizona	5	Maryland	15	Oregon	6
California	53	Massachusetts	9	Pennsylvania	28
Colorado	6	Michigan	23	South Carolina	4
Connecticut	6	Minnesota	22	South Dakota	3
Delaware	2	Mississippi	27	Tennessee	33
District of Columbia	2	Missouri	85	Texas	91
Florida	71	Montana	1	Utah	4
Georgia	30	Nebraska	5	Vermont	8
Hawaii	2	Nevada	2	Virginia	13
Idaho	4	New Hampshire	1	Washington	11
Illinois	94	New Jersey	8	West Virginia	6
Indiana	23	New Mexico	4	Wisconsin	7
Iowa	12	New York	55	Wyoming	3
Kansas	54	North Carolina	10		
Kentucky	11	North Dakota	1	TOTAL	1,131

Practical Nurse Endorsements
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

Alabama	5	Louisiana	19	Oklahoma	78
Arizona	1	Maryland	2	Tennessee	6
California	7	Michigan	6	Texas	33
Colorado	1	Minnesota	2	Virginia	1
Florida	3	Mississippi	5	Washington	2
Georgia	5	Missouri	21	West Virginia	2
Illinois	6	Nebraska	1	Wisconsin	1
Indiana	2	Nevada	1	Wyoming	1
Iowa	2	New York	4		
Kansas	5	North Carolina	1		
Kentucky	2	Ohio	9	TOTAL	234

Psychiatric Technician Nurse Endorsements
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

N/A	0			TOTAL	0
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LICENSURE

Act 1423 of 2005 gave the Board authority to grant certification to qualified unlicensed persons to administer certain medications in facilities determined by the Board. The Board decided to allow medication assistants only in Arkansas nursing homes in which nursing supervision is available and nurse patient ratios are legislatively required. This authorization included persons who have met certain qualifications in Arkansas or who have met substantially similar qualifications and held similar credentials under the law in another state. In addition, in 2007, persons who have completed a certain portion of a nursing education program may be eligible to take the certification exam and work as a certified medication assistant if successful. The numbers of medication assistants granted certification and certified renewals in Arkansas during the reporting period are shown in the following tables:

Medication Assistants - Certified	
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Medication Assistants-certified by examination	0
Medication Assistants-certified by endorsement	0
TOTAL	0

Medication Assistants - Certified Renewals	
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Medication Assistants-Certified	8
TOTAL	8

RENEWALS

The *Nurse Practice Act* requires biennial license renewal for practicing nurses. Renewal reminders are mailed at least thirty days before the license expiration date. Nurses who allow their licenses to lapse and who have not practiced nursing during the preceding licensure period may be reinstated upon request, payment of the renewal fee and late penalty, and after meeting the continuing education requirements. Nurses who do not renew are in good standing as long as they do not practice nursing in Arkansas. Legislation to require continuing education prior to license renewal was passed in the 2001 Legislative session.

License Renewals	
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Registered Nurse	19,185
Licensed Practical Nurse	6,985
Licensed Psychiatric Technician Nurse	0
Registered Nurse Practitioner	236
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	382
Certified Nurse Midwife	16
Certified Nurse Practitioner	1,089
Clinical Nurse Specialist	84
TOTAL	27,977

LICENSURE

Any licensee in good standing, who desires to retire from the practice of nursing for any length of time in this state, submits a written request, surrenders the current license and pays the required fee, will have their current license placed on inactive status and a retired license issued. A retired license shall be renewed biennially following submission of a retired renewal application and fee. While retired, the licensee shall not practice nursing; however, the nurse may use respective credentials. When the licensee desires to resume practice, he or she shall request a renewal application, which shall be completed and submitted with a reinstatement fee and the active renewal fee. If the retired license is allowed to lapse, the licensee shall not hold himself or herself out as an APRN, RN, LPN or LPTN, and pays a reinstatement fee in addition to the fee required for renewal of the retired license.

RETIRED LICENSES BY CREDENTIALS JULY 1, 2016 - JUNE 30, 2017	
Certified Nurse Practitioner	3
Certified Nurse Midwife	0
Licensed Practical Nurse	21
Licensed Psychiatric Technician Nurse	0
Registered Nurse	73
TOTAL	97

TEMPORARY PERMITS

Temporary permits may be issued to Arkansas licensed nurses who are graduates of a nursing program. This permit allows a nurse to practice between graduation and receipt of results of the first examination for which the licensee is eligible. The number of temporary permits issued during the reporting period is shown in the following table:

Temporary Permits - Examination Applicants July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Registered Nurse	1,064
Licensed Practical Nurse	712
Certified Nurse Practitioner	117
Certified Nurse Midwife	1
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	6
Clinical Nurse Specialist	4
TOTAL	1,904

An amendment to the *Nurse Practice Act* enacted by the 1980 Special Session of the Legislature, provided for issuing temporary permits to qualified endorsement applicants holding current licensure in other states. The number of temporary permits issued to advanced practice registered nurses, registered nurses and licensed practical nurses during the reporting period is shown in the following table:

Temporary Permits - Endorsement Applicants July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017	
Registered Nurse	694
Licensed Practical Nurse	163
Certified Nurse Practitioner	47
Certified Nurse Midwife	0
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	10
TOTAL	914

EDUCATION

Continuing education for license renewal and reinstatement was mandated by Act 86 of the 2001 Arkansas legislative session. The regulations were put into effect beginning July 1, 2003. Random audits for compliance with the continuing education requirements are conducted. One hundred thirty-one nurses were audited with a 98 percent compliance rate. Nine Letters of Warning were issued for meeting the continuing education requirements after the nursing license was renewed. Three Letters of Reprimand was issued for failing to meet the continuing education requirements. The Arkansas State Board of Nursing staff conducts presentations and continuing education workshops on a regular basis throughout the state as included in the Continuing Education Workshop table below:

Continuing Education Presentations				
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017				
Date	Workshop	Location	Nurses	Students
8/6/2016	AR Nurse Practitioner Association Annual Conference	Little Rock	125	n/a
8/10/2016	Regional School Nurse Update	Hope	40	n/a
8/12/2016	Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Annual Conference	Little Rock	100	n/a
9/20/2016	New School Nurse Conference	Plumerville	125	n/a
9/30/2016	Health Care Policy and the Law	Little Rock	50	n/a
10/6/2016	Arkansas Organization of Nurse Executives	Little Rock	65	n/a
10/11/2016	UCA Advanced Practice RN Students	Conway	80	n/a
11/3/2016	Arkansas LPN Nurses Association Annual Conference	Hot Springs	40	300
11/21/2016	UCA Bachelor of Nursing students	Conway	n/a	50
4/15-23/2017	Nursing Education Cruise	Caribbean	31	n/a
4/18/2017	ASBN Advanced Practice Registered Nurse	Little Rock	n/a	100
4/21/2017	AR Nursing Home Nurses Assoc.	Little Rock	75	n/a
5/3/2017	Legislative Update for APRNs	Little Rock	30	n/a
5/5/2017	Medication Assistant Certified	Little Rock	n/a	16
5/6/2017	Pharmacotherapeutics	Little Rock	50	n/a
TOTAL			811	466

EDUCATION

Federal and Arkansas criminal background checks are required of all individuals applying for an initial license in Arkansas. During the 2016-2017 fiscal year, 4,918 Arkansas criminal background checks and 4,882 federal criminal background checks were conducted. There were 619 investigations completed on applicants with a positive criminal background check.

The roster of ASBN approved medication assistant and nursing programs which lead to licensure or certification is included as Appendix A of this report.

Enrollment in the educational programs is reported to the Board in a report submitted by program directors annually in December. Enrollment figures reported for the three-year period (2014-2016) are shown on the following pages of this report. For consistency in data collection, the term "nursing major" was defined in 1993. Nursing major includes only those students in nursing courses and accepted for the certificate, degree or diploma program.

**Arkansas State Board of Nursing
Approved Educational Programs
July 1, 2016- June 30, 2017**

Baccalaureate Degree	12
Associate Degree	17
Practical Nurse	26
Diploma	0
Medication Assistants	3
TOTAL	58

EDUCATION

ENROLLMENT IN REGISTERED NURSE PROGRAMS			
PROGRAM	2014	2015	2016
<i><u>Diploma</u></i>			
Baptist Health Schools of Nursing	762	874	151
JRMC School of Nursing	120	227	0
TOTAL	882	1,101	151
<i><u>Associate Degree</u></i>			
Arkansas Northeastern College-Blytheville	92	78	78
Arkansas Rural Nursing Education Consortium (ARNEC)	479	278	444
Arkansas State University	374	410	443
Arkansas State University-Mountain Home	43	39	31
Arkansas Tech-Ozark University	22	23	24
Baptist Health College			767
College of the Ouachitas	107	153	151
East Arkansas Community College	70	82	84
JRMC School of Nursing			138
National Park Community College	123	137	122
North Arkansas College	98	82	113
Northwest Arkansas Community College	232	285	227
Phillips Community College/U of A	107	87	77
Southeast Arkansas College	65	95	194
Southern Arkansas University	120	86	137
University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville	90	84	106
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith (<i>closed</i>)	14	0	closed
University of Arkansas at Little Rock	530	623	662
University of Arkansas at Monticello	26	24	27
TOTAL	2,592	2,568	3,852
<i><u>Baccalaureate Degree</u></i>			
Arkansas State University	286	308	275
Arkansas Tech University	187	171	337
Harding University	110	113	112
Henderson State University	46	34	43
John Brown University			0
Southern Arkansas University	100	99	115
University of Arkansas at Fayetteville	473	408	498
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith	447	447	410
University of Arkansas at Monticello	83	98	89
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff	0	0	14
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences	252	252	234
University of Central Arkansas	200	*	197
TOTAL	2,184	1,930	2,324

*not reported

ENROLLMENT IN PRACTICAL NURSE PROGRAMS			
PROGRAM	2014	2015	2016
Arkansas Northeastern College - Burdette	41	37	37
Arkansas State University - Beebe	49	73	81
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home	49	55	58
Arkansas Tech University - Newport	32	32	35
Arkansas Tech University - Ozark	325	40	85
Baptist Health School of Practical Nursing	225	203	182
Black River Technical College	78	123	95
College of the Ouachitas	80	128	164
Cossatot Community College - UA	87	46	46
Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute	24	*	24
National Park College	44	42	44
North Arkansas College	48	45	55
Northwest Technical Institute	69	51	56
Ozarka Technical College	166	225	100
Phillips Community College/U of A	35	45	27
Southern Arkansas University - Technical	34	35	40
Southeast Arkansas College	138	103	82
South Arkansas Community College	121	124	137
U of A Community College - Batesville	51	41	39
U of A Community College - Hope	58	58	51
U of A Community College - Morrilton	92	92	97
U of A - Fort Smith	17	16	17
U of A Monticello College of Technology - Crossett	20	15	20
U of A Monticello College of Technology - McGehee	36	*	28
U of A Pulaski Tech	50	50	51
U of A Rich Mountain	30	30	32
TOTAL OF ALL PROGRAMS	2,075	1,809	1,683
<i>*not reported</i>			

Enrollment in Medication Assistant Programs			
PROGRAM	2014	2015	2016
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home	0	0	0
College of the Ouachitas	0	0	0
Southeast Arkansas College	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0

EDUCATION

The licensure examinations for registered and practical nurses are administered via computerized adaptive testing (CAT). The performance, by program, for first time candidates taking the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN®), regardless of where the examination was taken during the reporting period, is shown in the following table:

NCLEX-RN® PERFORMANCE BY PROGRAM			
July 1, 2016- June 30, 2017			
PROGRAM	NUMBER TAKING	NUMBER PASSING	PERCENT PASSING
Arkansas Northeastern College - Blytheville - ADN	40	39	97.5
Arkansas Rural Nursing Education Consortium (ARNEC) - ADN	261	226	86.5
Arkansas State University - ADN	94	77	81.9
Arkansas State University - BSN	136	124	91.1
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home - ADN	14	8	57.1
Arkansas Tech University - BSN	63	55	87.3
Arkansas Tech University - Ozark - ADN	20	18	90.0
Baptist Health College - ADN	123	85	69.1
Baptist Health School of Nursing - DPL (<i>closed</i>)	154	111	72.0
College of the Ouachitas - ADN	76	57	75.0
East Arkansas Community College - ADN	18	17	94.4
Harding University - BSN	52	52	100
Henderson State University - BSN	27	27	100
John Brown University	0	0	0
JRMC School of Nursing - ADN	37	21	56.7
JRMC School of Nursing - Diploma (<i>closed</i>)	1	1	100
National Park College - ADN	55	46	83.6
North Arkansas College - ADN	36	33	91.6
Northwest Arkansas Community College - ADN	93	86	92.4
Phillips Community College/U of A - ADN	20	19	95.0
Southeast Arkansas College - ADN	32	13	40.6
Southern Arkansas University - ADN (<i>closed</i>)	10	6	60.0
Southern Arkansas University - BSN	54	40	74.0
University of Arkansas Community College - Batesville - ADN	51	47	92.1
University of Arkansas at Fayetteville - BSN	187	178	95.1
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith - ADN (<i>closed</i>)	2	1	50.0
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith - BSN	69	63	91.3
University of Arkansas at Little Rock - ADN	189	157	83.0
University of Arkansas at Monticello - ADN	7	7	100
University of Arkansas at Monticello - BSN	31	27	87.1
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff - BSN	3	0	0
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences - BSN	160	153	95.6
University of Central Arkansas - BSN	44	40	90.9
TOTAL	2,159	1,834	84.9

The performance, by program, for graduates of Arkansas programs taking the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN®) for the first time, regardless of where the examination was taken during the reporting period, is shown in the following table:

NCLEX-PN® PERFORMANCE BY PROGRAM			
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017			
PROGRAM	NUMBER TAKING	NUMBER PASSING	PERCENT PASSING
Arkansas Northeastern College - Blytheville	26	26	100
Arkansas State University - Beebe	53	52	98.1
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home	20	14	70.0
Arkansas State University - Newport	66	54	81.8
Arkansas State University Newport-Jonesboro (<i>closed</i>)	4	4	100
Arkansas Tech University - Ozark	44	41	93.1
Baptist School of Practical Nursing	111	98	88.2
Black River Technical College	35	35	100
College of the Ouachitas	58	48	82.7
Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute	14	12	85.7
National Park College	37	33	39.1
North Arkansas College	30	28	93.3
Northwest Technical Institute	44	43	97.7
Ozarka Technical College	75	65	86.6
Phillips Community College/U of A - DeWitt	12	12	100
Southern Arkansas University - Tech	24	23	95.8
Southeast Arkansas College	6	5	83.3
South Arkansas Community College	50	49	98.0
Special Program Codes	55	53	96.3
U of A at Cossatot	31	28	90.3
U of A at Fort Smith	3	3	100
U of A Community College - Batesville	17	16	94.1
U of A Community College - Hope	45	37	82.2
U of A Community College - Morrilton	39	38	97.4
U of A Monticello College of Technology - Crossett	12	12	100
U of A Monticello College of Technology - McGehee	3	3	100
U of A Pulaski Tech	13	12	92.3
U of A Rich Mountain	25	22	88.0
TOTAL	952	866	90.9

EDUCATION

Graduates of nursing programs, seeking licensure in Arkansas, compared to other programs in the nation are shown on the following tables: (Source: NCLEX quarterly reports)

LICENSING EXAMINATION DATA				
APPLICANTS FOR REGISTERED NURSE LICENSURE				
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017				
NATIONALLY				
	First-Time United States Graduates	Re-Take United States Graduates	First-Time Foreign Educated Graduates	Re-Take Foreign Educated Graduates
Number Taking	159,406	44,372	13,064	16,662
Number Passing	137,437	20,573	5,081	3,952
Percent Passing	86.2	46.3	38.8	23.7
ARKANSAS LICENSURE				
Number Taking	2,159	604	1	8
Number Passing	1,834	287	1	4
Percent Passing	84.9	47.5	100	50.0

LICENSING EXAMINATION DATA				
APPLICANTS FOR PRACTICAL NURSE LICENSURE				
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017				
NATIONALLY				
	First-Time United States Graduates	Re-Take United States Graduates	First-Time Foreign Educated Graduates	Re-Take Foreign Educated Graduates
Number Taking	47,848	14,486	809	1,146
Number Passing	40,094	5,112	402	235
Percent Passing	83.7	35.2	49.6	20.5
ARKANSAS LICENSURE				
Number Taking	952	147	0	0
Number Passing	866	71	0	0
Percent Passing	90.9	48.3	0	0

EDUCATION

NUMBER AND PERCENT PASSING OF FIRST-TIME NCLEX-RN® CANDIDATES BY DEGREE TYPE July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017			
ALL U.S. GRADUATES			
PROGRAM	Number Taking	Number Passing	Percent Passing
Associate Degree	81,347	67,840	83.4
Baccalaureate Degree	75,535	67,385	89.2
Diploma	2,482	2,183	87.9
Other	42	29	69.0
TOTAL	159,406	137,437	86.2
GRADUATES OF ARKANSAS SCHOOLS			
Associate Degree	1,178	963	81.7
Baccalaureate Degree	826	759	91.8
Diploma	155	112	72.7
TOTAL	2,159	1,834	84.9



EDUCATION

The Arkansas State Board of Nursing has statutory authority to oversee nursing educational program compliance with mandated regulations and educational standards as established by the Arkansas legislature. A nursing program that is approved initially progresses through a three- tiered process of approval that includes Prerequisite Approval, Initial Approval and Full Approval.

A nursing program that is approved continues to be reviewed for continued compliance with the educational standards as delineated in the *Rules*. The staff periodically conducts a program review to verify compliance. A new program has an on-site survey three (3) years after initial full approval. Established programs have an on-site survey every five (5) years or if they have continued accreditation status from a national nursing accreditation organization and maintain a National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX®) passage rate of 75 percent or higher; they are allowed to submit a paper survey to ASBN versus an on-site review. There are two (2) approval designations for established programs that prepare graduates for licensure that include Continued Full Approval and Conditional Approval.

Education Surveys Conducted July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

Paper Submission	4
Site Visit	5
TOTAL	9

Program Approval Status July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

	Pre-requisite Approval	Initial Approval	Full Approval	Conditional Approval
Associate Degree	0	0	16	1
Baccalaureate Degree	0	0	12	0
Diploma	0	0	0	0
Practical Nursing	0	1	26	0
TOTAL	0	1	54	1

APPENDIX A

Preparing for Registered Nurse Licensure

ASSOCIATE DEGREE

Arkansas Northeastern College – Blytheville, Department of Nursing, P.O. Box 1109, Blytheville, AR 72316
Phone: 870.780.1223; Fax: 870.762.3376

Arkansas Rural Nursing Education Consortium (ARNEC)

Member Institutions:

ASU, Newport - Phone: 870.512.7833; Fax: 870.512.7715

Black River Technical College, Pocahontas - Phone: 870.248.8000 x 4714; Fax: 870.248.4100

Ozarka College, Melbourne - Phone: 870.368.7371; Fax: 870.368.2075

Southark Community College, El Dorado - Phone: 870.864.7136; Fax: 870.864.7104

U of A Community College, Hope - Phone: 870.722.8505; Fax: 870.722.8511

U of A Community College, Morrilton - Phone: 501.977.2152; Fax: 501.977.2049

U of A Cossatot Community College, DeQueen - Phone: 870.584.1147; Fax: 870.642.8213

U of A Rich Mountain, Mena - Phone: 479.394.7622; Fax: 479.394.2828

Arkansas State University, Department of Nursing, P.O. Box 910, State University, AR 72467
Phone: 870.972.3074; Fax: 870.972.2954

Arkansas State University - Mountain Home, 1600 S. College, Mountain Home, AR 72653
Phone: 870.508.6154; Fax: 870.508.6154

Arkansas Tech University - Ozark, 1700 Helberg Ln., Ozark, AR 72949
Phone: 479.508.8500 x6350; Fax: 479.508.8500 x 6350

Baptist Health School of Nursing, 11900 Colonel Glenn Rd., Suite 1000, Little Rock, AR 72210-2820
Phone: 501.202-7937; Fax: 501.202.6015

College of the Ouachitas, One College Circle, Malvern, AR 72104
Phone: 501.332.0303 x 1208; Fax: 501.467.3680

East Arkansas Community College, Department of Nursing, 1700 New Castle Road, Forrest City, AR 72335
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JRMC School of Nursing, 1600 West 40th Avenue, Pine Bluff, AR 71603
Phone: 870.541.7853; Fax: 870.541.7807

National Park Community College, Division of Nursing, 101 College Drive, Hot Springs, AR 71913
Phone: 501.760.4352; Fax: 501.760.4183

North Arkansas College, Department of Nursing, 1515 Pioneer Ridge, Harrison, AR 72601
Phone: 870.391.3535; Fax: 870.391.3354

Northwest Arkansas Community College, Department of Nursing, One College Drive, Bentonville, AR 72712
Phone: 479.619.4256; Fax: 479.619.4254

Phillips Community College/U of A, Department of Nursing, P.O. Box 785, Helena-West Helena, AR 72342
Phone: 870.338.6474 x 1371; Fax: 870.338.7901

Southeast Arkansas College, Nursing & Allied Health Technologies Division, 1900 Hazel St., Pine Bluff, AR 71603
Phone: 870.850.4917; Fax: 870.850.4917

University of Arkansas Community College – Batesville, LPN/LPTN-to-RN Program, P. O. Box 3350, Batesville, AR 72503
Phone: 870.612.2070; Fax: 870.612.2059

University of Arkansas Little Rock, Department of Nursing, 2801 So. University, Little Rock, AR 72204
Phone: 501.569.8081; Fax: 501.371-7546

University of Arkansas Monticello, Division of Nursing, P. O. Box 3606, Monticello, AR 71656-3606;
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Preparing for Registered Nurse Licensure

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

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Arkansas Tech University, Department of Nursing, Dean Hall, Russellville, AR 72801-2222
Phone: 479.968.0383; Fax: 479.968.0219

Harding University, College of Nursing, Box 12265, Searcy, AR 72149-0001
Phone: 501.279.4476; Fax: 501.279.4669

Henderson State University, Department of Nursing, P. O. Box 7803, Arkadelphia, AR 71999-0001
Phone: 870.230.5015; Fax: 870.230-5390

John Brown University, 2000 West University Street, Siloam Springs, AR 72761
Phone: 479.524.1646; Fax: 479.524.7441

Southern Arkansas University, Department of Nursing, 300 E. University, Magnolia, AR 71754-9406
Phone: 870.235.4331; Fax: 870.235.5058

University of Arkansas, Eleanor Mann School of Nursing, 606 N. Razorback Rd., University of AR, Fayetteville, AR 72701
Phone: 479.575.3904; Fax: 479.575.3218

University of Arkansas Fort Smith, Carolyn McKelvey Moore School of Nursing, P. O. Box 3649, Fort Smith, AR 72913
Phone: 479.788.7840; Fax: 479.424.6856

University of Arkansas Monticello, Division of Nursing, P. O. Box 3606, Monticello, AR 71656-3606
Phone: 870.460.1069; Fax: 870.460.1969

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, College of Nursing, 4301 W. Markham, Slot 529, Little Rock, AR 72205
Phone: 501.686.8493; Fax: 501.686.7988

University of Central Arkansas, Department of Nursing, 201 Donaghey Avenue, Conway, AR 72035
Phone: 501.450.5531; Fax: 501.450.5560

University of Arkansas Pine Bluff, 1200 University Dr., #4973, Pine Bluff, AR 71601
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Preparing for Practical Nurse Licensure

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Arkansas State University – Beebe, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 909, Searcy, AR 72145
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Arkansas State University – Mt. Home, Practical Nurse Program, 1600 So. College, Mt. Home, AR 72653
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Arkansas State University – Newport, Practical Nurse Program, 7648 Victory Boulevard, Newport, AR 72112
Phone: 870.512.7833; Fax: 870.512.7715

Arkansas State University – Newport Jonesboro campus, Practical Nurse Program, 5504 Krueger Rd., Jonesboro, AR 72401
Phone: 870.932.2176; Fax: 870.972.0801

Arkansas Tech University - Ozark, 1700 Helberg Lane, Ozark, AR 72949
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Crowley's Ridge Technical institute, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 925, Forrest City, AR 72335
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National Park Community College, Practical Nurse Program, 101 College Drive, Hot Springs, AR 71913
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North Arkansas College, Practical Nurse Program, 1515 Pioneer Ridge Drive, Harrison, AR 72601
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APPROVED PROGRAMS

Preparing for Practical Nurse Licensure

Northwest Technical Institute, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Drawer 2000, Springdale, AR 72765
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SAU Technical, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 3499, East Camden, AR 71711
Phone: 501.870-574-4479; Fax: 870.574.4474

SouthArk Community College, The Betty Owen School of Practical Nursing, P. O. Box 7010, El Dorado, AR 71731
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Southeast Arkansas College, Practical Nurse Program, 1900 Hazel Street, Pine Bluff, AR 71603
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U of A Community College - Cossatot, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 960, DeQueen, AR 71832
Phone: 870.584.1147; Fax: 870.642.8212

U of A Community College – Hope, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 140, Hope, AR 71802
Phone: 870.722.8505; Fax: 870.722.8511

U of A Community College – Morrilton, Practical Nurse Program, 1537 University Blvd., Morrilton, AR 72110
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University of Arkansas at Fort Smith, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 3649, Fort Smith, AR 72913
Phone: 479.788.7840; Fax: 479.424.6856

University of Arkansas at Monticello College of Technology – Crossett, Practical Nurse Program, 1326 Hwy. 52W, Crossett, AR 71635
Phone: 870.460.2025; Fax: 870.364.5717

University of Arkansas at Monticello College of Technology – McGehee, Practical Nurse Program, P. O. Box 747, McGehee, AR 71654; Phone: 870.222.5360; Fax: 870.522.9906

University of Arkansas Pulaski Technical, Practical Nurse Program, 3000 West Scenic Drive, North Little Rock, AR 72118
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Preparing for Medication Assistant Certification

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NURSES LICENSED IN ARKANSAS

	June 2015	June 2016	June 2017
REGISTERED NURSES			
Arkansas Residents	35,370	36,418	37,683
Nonresidents	2,964	3,230	3,548
TOTAL	38,334	39,648	41,231
Registered Nurse Practitioners*			
Arkansas Residents	535	513	478
Nonresidents	36	33	35
TOTAL	571	546	513
ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES			
Arkansas Residents			
Certified Nurse Midwives	25	27	26
Certified Nurse Practitioners	1,660	1,961	2,260
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	559	582	604
Clinical Nurse Specialists	138	146	153
TOTAL	2,382	2,716	3,043
Nonresidents			
Certified Nurse Midwives	4	8	7
Certified Nurse Practitioners	266	303	344
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	190	192	184
Clinical Nurse Specialists	10	12	13
TOTAL	470	515	548
Prescriptive Authority			
Arkansas Residents	1,553	1,812	2,086
Nonresidents	146	178	191
TOTAL	1,699	1,990	2,277
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES			
Arkansas Residents	14,937	14,941	14,813
Nonresidents	573	616	677
TOTAL	15,510	15,557	15,490
LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES			
Arkansas Residents	96	90	83
Nonresidents	3	2	4
TOTAL	99	92	87
MEDICATION ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE			
Arkansas Residents			23
TOTAL			23
RETIRED NURSES (EMERITUS)			
Registered Nurses	212	228	255
Licensed Practical Nurses	82	77	76
TOTAL	295	306	331
TOTAL ALL BASIC LICENSURE CATEGORIES**	53,943	55,297	56,808

**Includes RN, LPN, LPTN (excludes retired nurses)

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE- 2017**

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	1	0	0	FAULKNER	1	1	1
BAXTER	2	2	2	GARLAND	0	1	0
BENTON	9	8	9	INDEPENDENCE	1	1	0
BOONE	1	1	1	MISSISSIPPI	1	1	1
CARROLL	1	1	1	PULASKI	3	6	6
CLEBURNE	1	2	1	SALINE	0	0	1
CRAWFORD	1	0	0	WASHINGTON	3	3	3
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					26	27	26
NONRESIDENTS					2	8	7
TOTAL LICENSED					28	35	33

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Clinic or Office	0	2	1	4	2	9
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	0	1	1	1	3
No Entry	2	0	0	0	0	2
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	0	0	2	2
Nursing Education Program	0	2	0	0	1	3
Other	0	1	0	0	2	3
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	1	0	2	3
School/Student Health Service	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	2	5	3	6	10	26

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER- 2017**

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Clinic or Office	9	0	9
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	3	0	3
No Entry	2	0	2
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	2	0	2
Nursing Education Program	3	0	3
Other	3	0	3
Public/Community Health Service	3	0	3
School/Student Health Service	1	0	1
TOTAL	26	0	26

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
Clinic or Office	0	0	1	1	7	0	9
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
No Entry	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Nursing Education Program	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
Other	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
School/Student Health Service	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	0	0	2	3	18	3	26

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017**

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
BAXTER	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
BENTON	0	0	0	1	8	0	9
BOONE	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
CARROLL	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
FAULKNER	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
PULASKI	0	0	1	1	3	1	6
SALINE	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
WASHINGTON	0	0	1	0	2	0	3
TOTAL	0	0	2	3	18	3	26

**CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017**

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
BAXTER	0	0	0	0	2	2
BENTON	1	3	2	1	2	9
BOONE	0	0	0	1	0	1
CARROLL	0	0	0	0	1	1
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	0	1	1
FAULKNER	0	0	0	1	0	1
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	0	1	1
PULASKI	1	1	1	2	1	6
SALINE	0	0	0	0	1	1
WASHINGTON	0	1	0	1	1	3
TOTAL	2	5	3	6	10	26

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CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2015	2016	2016	COUNTY	2015	2016	2016
ARKANSAS	53	11	14	LEE	2	2	3
ASHLEY	4	4	5	LINCOLN	2	3	3
BAXTER	32	39	42	LITTLE RIVER	4	7	7
BENTON	99	123	142	LOGAN	3	6	8
BOONE	15	20	26	LONOKE	35	45	53
BRADLEY	3	3	4	MADISON	5	5	7
CALHOUN	0	2	4	MARION	6	7	10
CARROLL	7	9	11	MILLER	14	16	22
CHICOT	3	4	5	MISSISSIPPI	16	18	18
CLARK	10	14	18	MONROE	5	5	5
CLAY	7	7	9	MONTGOMERY	3	2	1
CLEBURNE	9	14	14	NEVADA	2	3	3
CLEVELAND	6	7	8	NEWTON	1	0	0
COLUMBIA	10	14	17	OUACHITA	7	7	9
CONWAY	12	14	15	PERRY	3	3	4
CRAIGHEAD	95	124	136	PHILLIPS	9	7	9
CRAWFORD	21	24	26	PIKE	6	8	8
CRITTENDEN	25	33	35	POINSETT	12	12	12
CROSS	13	13	17	POLK	6	10	10
DALLAS	3	2	2	POPE	28	37	44
DESHA	3	3	3	PRAIRIE	3	3	4
DREW	12	10	11	PULASKI	332	394	435
FAULKNER	87	94	113	RANDOLPH	11	12	17
FRANKLIN	11	13	14	SAINT FRANCIS	5	7	9
FULTON	8	9	10	SALINE	101	132	176
GARLAND	68	81	88	SCOTT	1	4	4
GRANT	11	16	18	SEARCY	3	6	4
GREENE	32	39	55	SEBASTIAN	49	60	71
HEMPSTEAD	5	8	10	SEVIER	3	4	6
HOT SPRING	12	13	17	SHARP	7	9	11
HOWARD	4	7	5	STONE	3	5	6
INDEPENDENCE	21	24	27	UNION	25	27	33
IZARD	13	13	15	VAN BUREN	4	5	7
JACKSON	1	3	4	WASHINGTON	122	155	165
JEFFERSON	38	42	46	WHITE	51	55	61
JOHNSON	7	8	9	WOODRUFF	6	7	8
LAFAYETTE	0	1	3	YELL	4	4	5
LAWRENCE	1	4	4				
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					1,660	1,961	2,260
NONRESIDENTS					266	303	344
TOTAL LICENSED					1,926	2,264	2,604

CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	Over 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	4	53	28	38	22	145
Clinic or Office	32	381	312	177	103	1005
Community Based Group Home	0	1	2	0	2	5
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	0	1	0	1	0	2
Home Health Setting	0	5	8	6	6	25
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	11	97	83	50	22	263
Managed Care	0	0	1	0	0	1
Military or Federal	0	9	11	17	12	49
No Entry	101	199	109	40	18	467
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	8	8	3	22	41
Nursing Education Program	0	8	7	7	20	42
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	18	18	8	7	51
Occupational Health	0	1	2	1	1	5
Other	2	18	20	14	18	72
Public/Community Health Service	3	10	15	18	17	63
Regulatory	0	0	0	0	1	1
School/Student Health Service	0	6	6	3	1	16
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	1	3	0	3	7
TOTAL	153	816	633	383	275	2,260

CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	132	13	145
Camp	926	79	1,005
Clinic or Office	4	1	5
Community Based Group Home	2	0	2
Home Health Setting	21	4	25
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	235	28	263
Managed Care	1	0	1
Military or Federal	44	5	49
No Entry	413	54	467
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	40	1	41
Nursing Education Program	39	3	42
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	48	3	51
Occupational Health	5	0	5
Other	63	9	72
Public/Community Health Service	61	2	63
Regulatory	1	0	1
School/Student Health Service	16	0	16
Self-Employed/Consultant	6	1	7
TOTAL	2,057	203	2,260

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CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	0	2	2	127	14	0	145
Camp	0	1	5	23	905	71	0	1,005
Clinic or Office	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	5
Community Based Group Home	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Home Health Setting	0	0	0	1	22	2	0	25
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	1	0	1	235	26	0	263
Managed Care	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Military or Federal	0	0	0	1	43	5	0	49
No Entry	59	37	108	224	32	2	5	467
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	2	5	33	1	0	41
Nursing Education Program	0	0	0	0	26	16	0	42
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	1	0	0	2	48	0	0	51
Occupational Health	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	5
Other	0	0	1	2	59	10	0	72
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	5	11	43	4	0	63
Regulatory	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
School/Student Health Service	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	16
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
TOTAL	60	39	123	272	1,608	153	5	2,260

CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	1	0	1	2	10	0	0	14
ASHLEY	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	5
BAXTER	1	0	5	0	35	1	0	42
BENTON	0	2	9	9	114	8	0	142
BOONE	0	0	6	2	18	0	0	26
BRADLEY	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4
CALHOUN	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	4
CARROLL	0	0	3	1	6	1	0	11
CHICOT	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	5
CLARK	0	0	0	3	14	1	0	18
CLAY	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	9
CLEBURNE	2	0	2	0	9	1	0	14
CLEVELAND	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	8
COLUMBIA	1	0	1	1	14	0	0	17
CONWAY	1	0	0	2	11	1	0	15
CRAIGHEAD	6	0	4	16	97	11	2	136
CRAWFORD	0	0	3	0	22	1	0	26
CRITTENDEN	1	0	4	6	22	2	0	35
CROSS	0	1	1	2	12	1	0	17
DALLAS	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
DESHA	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
DREW	0	0	0	3	6	2	0	11

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**CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
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COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
FAULKNER	3	5	3	10	85	7	0	113
FRANKLIN	0	1	1	2	9	1	0	14
FULTON	0	0	1	0	9	0	0	10
GARLAND	0	2	5	9	71	1	0	88
GRANT	0	0	2	3	11	2	0	18
GREENE	4	0	5	10	31	3	2	55
HEMPSTEAD	0	0	2	1	6	1	0	10
HOT SPRING	0	0	2	4	11	0	0	17
HOWARD	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	5
INDEPENDENCE	4	0	1	1	19	2	0	27
IZARD	1	0	1	0	13	0	0	15
JACKSON	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
JEFFERSON	3	2	0	5	31	5	0	46
JOHNSON	0	0	0	2	6	1	0	9
LAFAYETTE	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3
LAWRENCE	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	4
LEE	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
LINCOLN	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
LITTLE RIVER	1	0	1	0	5	0	0	7
LOGAN	2	0	0	2	4	0	0	8
LONOKE	0	1	5	3	40	3	1	53
MADISON	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	7
MARION	1	0	0	1	7	1	0	10
MILLER	1	0	3	0	17	1	0	22
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	2	0	16	0	0	18
MONROE	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
MONTGOMERY	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
NEVADA	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
OUACHITA	0	0	3	1	5	0	0	9
PERRY	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	4
PHILLIPS	0	1	0	0	6	2	0	9
PIKE	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	8
POINSETT	0	0	2	3	7	0	0	12
POLK	0	0	1	1	7	1	0	10
POPE	0	0	0	7	30	7	0	44
PRAIRIE	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	4
PULASKI	9	12	7	70	293	44	0	435
RANDOLPH	1	0	1	4	11	0	0	17
SAINT FRANCIS	0	0	2	1	4	2	0	9
SALINE	3	4	11	32	117	9	0	176
SCOTT	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	4
SEARCY	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	4

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CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
SEBASTIAN	1	1	7	4	49	9	0	71
SEVIER	1	1	0	0	3	1	0	6
SHARP	1	0	1	2	7	0	0	11
STONE	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	6
UNION	1	1	1	2	25	3	0	33
VAN BUREN	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
WASHINGTON	2	3	7	21	122	10	0	165
WHITE	2	1	1	6	48	3	0	61
WOODRUFF	1	0	0	2	4	1	0	8
YELL	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	5
TOTAL	60	39	123	270	1,611	152	5	2,260

CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE- 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	1	7	3	2	1	14
ASHLEY	1	1	1	2	0	5
BAXTER	0	13	12	14	3	42
BENTON	9	54	48	17	14	142
BOONE	1	7	7	5	6	26
BRADLEY	0	0	3	0	1	4
CALHOUN	0	3	1	0	0	4
CARROLL	0	0	1	5	5	11
CHICOT	2	2	1	0	0	5
CLARK	1	5	6	4	2	18
CLAY	1	2	2	1	3	9
CLEBURNE	2	4	6	1	1	14
CLEVELAND	2	3	3	0	0	8
COLUMBIA	1	7	5	3	1	17
CONWAY	1	4	5	3	2	15
CRAIGHEAD	12	70	34	14	6	136
CRAWFORD	2	8	7	7	2	26
CRITTENDEN	2	14	9	5	5	35
CROSS	1	5	7	3	1	17
DALLAS	0	0	1	1	0	2
DESHA	1	0	1	0	1	3
DREW	2	5	1	1	2	11
FAULKNER	6	48	35	16	8	113
FRANKLIN	1	5	3	3	2	14
FULTON	0	1	5	3	1	10
GARLAND	3	30	28	19	8	88
GRANT	2	5	7	3	1	18
GREENE	4	29	9	8	5	55
HEMPSTEAD	1	4	2	0	3	10
HOT SPRING	3	7	6	0	1	17

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**CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE- 2017**

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
HOWARD	0	2	2	0	1	5
INDEPENDENCE	1	9	9	5	3	27
IZARD	0	1	7	5	2	15
JACKSON	0	2	1	1	0	4
JEFFERSON	3	18	12	8	5	46
JOHNSON	1	3	2	1	2	9
LAFAYETTE	1	1	1	0	0	3
LAWRENCE	0	1	2	1	0	4
LEE	0	0	2	1	0	3
LINCOLN	0	1	0	2	0	3
LITTLE RIVER	0	1	5	0	1	7
LOGAN	1	2	2	2	1	8
LONOKE	5	17	15	13	3	53
MADISON	0	2	4	0	1	7
MARION	1	2	3	2	2	10
MILLER	1	6	8	2	5	22
MISSISSIPPI	0	5	5	4	4	18
MONROE	0	1	2	2	0	5
MONTGOMERY	0	0	1	0	0	1
NEVADA	0	0	2	1	0	3
OUACHITA	1	3	2	1	2	9
PERRY	1	1	1	1	0	4
PHILLIPS	0	1	4	3	1	9
PIKE	1	3	1	2	1	8
POINSETT	1	3	4	2	2	12
POLK	0	3	1	2	4	10
POPE	2	16	13	9	4	44
PRAIRIE	0	2	0	1	1	4
PULASKI	31	174	105	64	61	435
RANDOLPH	3	8	3	2	1	17
SAINT FRANCIS	0	1	1	5	2	9
SALINE	14	75	45	25	17	176
SCOTT	1	1	0	2	0	4
SEARCY	0	1	0	2	1	4
SEBASTIAN	3	23	19	19	7	71
SEVIER	0	1	4	1	0	6
SHARP	1	1	2	4	3	11
STONE	1	1	3	1	0	6
UNION	1	13	6	8	5	33
VAN BUREN	0	3	1	1	2	7
WASHINGTON	13	47	54	20	31	165
WHITE	1	17	18	14	11	61
WOODRUFF	1	3	3	0	1	8
YELL	1	1	2	1	0	5
TOTAL	153	819	636	380	272	2,260

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**CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND
LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017**

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	13	3	4	INDEPENDENCE	13	14	14
ASHLEY	2	2	3	JACKSON	1	1	2
BAXTER	9	8	10	JEFFERSON	8	8	10
BENTON	42	50	56	JOHNSON	2	3	3
BOONE	4	5	5	LAFAYETTE	3	3	2
BRADLEY	2	2	2	LINCOLN	1	1	1
CARROLL	5	5	5	LOGAN	1	1	1
CHICOT	2	2	2	LONOKE	12	11	12
CLARK	2	2	3	MADISON	1	1	0
CLAY	1	1	2	MILLER	1	2	2
CLEBURNE	3	2	2	MISSISSIPPI	1	1	1
CLEVELAND	1	1	1	OUACHITA	2	2	2
COLUMBIA	3	2	2	PERRY	1	0	2
CONWAY	3	3	3	POINSETT	2	2	2
CRAIGHEAD	54	57	56	POLK	1	2	2
CRAWFORD	3	4	4	POPE	4	4	4
CRITTENDEN	11	9	9	PULASKI	135	145	152
CROSS	1	1	1	RANDOLPH	2	2	2
DALLAS	1	1	1	SAINT FRANCIS	1	1	3
DREW	2	2	2	SALINE	47	52	53
FAULKNER	30	33	38	SEARCY	0	0	1
FULTON	1	0	0	SEBASTIAN	26	26	24
GARLAND	31	33	31	SHARP	1	0	0
GRANT	2	3	3	STONE	2	2	2
GREENE	11	12	8	UNION	8	9	6
HEMPSTEAD	2	1	2	WASHINGTON	25	27	29
HOT SPRING	1	2	3	WHITE	13	14	13
HOWARD	1	1	1	YELL	1	1	2
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					559	582	604
NONRESIDENTS					190	190	192
TOTAL					749	749	774

CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	10	23	10	12	55
Clinic or Office	0	2	5	1	3	11
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	13	138	155	67	78	451
Military or Federal	0	0	3	3	2	8
No Entry	20	21	6	2	2	51
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	0	1	4	5
Nursing Education Program	0	1	1	0	0	2
Other	0	3	4	3	2	12
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	1	2	3	3	9
TOTAL	33	176	199	90	106	604

CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	26	29	55
Clinic or Office	6	5	11
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	178	273	451
Military or Federal	1	7	8
No Entry	30	21	51
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	3	2	5
Nursing Education Program	2	0	2
Other	3	9	12
Self-Employed/Consultant	3	6	9
TOTAL	252	352	604

CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	2	3	10	39	1	0	55
Clinic or Office	0	0	2	2	7	0	0	11
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	11	29	54	343	14	0	451
Military or Federal	0	0	3	1	4	0	0	8
No Entry	6	3	7	30	5	0	0	51
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	5
Nursing Education Program	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Other	0	1	1	4	5	1	0	12
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	1	1	2	5	0	0	9
TOTAL	6	19	46	106	410	17	0	604

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LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017**

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
ASHLEY	0	0	0	2	0	1	3
BAXTER	0	1	0	1	8	0	10
BENTON	0	5	2	9	38	2	56
BOONE	0	1	0	0	4	0	5
BRADLEY	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
CARROLL	0	0	1	3	1	0	5
CHICOT	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
CLARK	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
CLAY	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
CLEBURNE	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
CLEVELAND	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
COLUMBIA	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
CONWAY	0	1	0	0	2	0	3
CRAIGHEAD	0	1	4	5	45	1	56
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
CRITTENDEN	0	0	0	0	7	2	9
CROSS	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
DALLAS	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
DREW	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
FAULKNER	0	0	3	7	28	0	38
GARLAND	0	0	1	8	21	1	31
GRANT	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
GREENE	0	0	0	1	5	2	8
HEMPSTEAD	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
HOT SPRING	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
HOWARD	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
INDEPENDENCE	0	0	0	3	11	0	14
JACKSON	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
JEFFERSON	0	1	0	2	7	0	10
JOHNSON	0	0	1	0	2	0	3
LAFAYETTE	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
LINCOLN	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
LOGAN	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
LONOKE	0	1	1	1	9	0	12
MILLER	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
OUACHITA	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
POINSETT	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
POLK	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
POPE	0	0	0	1	3	0	4
PULASKI	2	4	14	33	95	4	152
RANDOLPH	0	0	0	1	1	0	2

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CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
SAINT FRANCIS	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
SALINE	3	2	4	3	41	0	53
SEARCY	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
SEBASTIAN	0	1	2	1	20	0	24
STONE	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
UNION	0	0	0	4	2	0	6
WASHINGTON	1	0	4	5	17	2	29
WHITE	0	0	0	3	9	1	13
YELL	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
TOTAL	6	18	46	105	412	17	604

CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	0	1	3	0	0	4
ASHLEY	1	0	0	1	1	3
BAXTER	0	1	4	3	2	10
BENTON	2	13	20	11	10	56
BOONE	0	1	2	1	1	5
BRADLEY	0	1	1	0	0	2
CARROLL	0	0	0	1	4	5
CHICOT	0	0	0	1	1	2
CLARK	1	0	1	0	1	3
CLAY	1	0	1	0	0	2
CLEBURNE	0	0	1	0	1	2
CLEVELAND	0	0	1	0	0	1
COLUMBIA	0	0	0	0	2	2
CONWAY	0	0	1	1	1	3
CRAIGHEAD	2	16	22	6	10	56
CRAWFORD	0	1	0	1	2	4
CRITTENDEN	0	2	6	1	0	9
CROSS	0	1	0	0	0	1
DALLAS	0	0	1	0	0	1
DREW	0	1	0	0	1	2
FAULKNER	2	13	11	9	3	38
GARLAND	0	11	10	5	5	31
GRANT	0	0	2	1	0	3
GREENE	2	2	1	3	0	8
HEMPSTEAD	0	1	0	1	0	2
HOT SPRING	2	0	0	1	0	3
HOWARD	0	0	0	0	1	1

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
INDEPENDENCE	0	3	7	3	1	14
JACKSON	0	2	0	0	0	2
JEFFERSON	1	2	4	3	0	10
JOHNSON	0	1	1	0	1	3
LAFAYETTE	0	0	2	0	0	2
LINCOLN	0	1	0	0	0	1
LOGAN	0	0	0	0	1	1
LONOKE	1	3	3	2	3	12
MILLER	0	0	2	0	0	2
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	0	1	1
OUACHITA	0	0	1	0	1	2
POINSETT	0	0	0	1	1	2
POLK	0	0	1	0	1	2
POPE	0	2	1	0	1	4
PULASKI	8	51	44	18	31	152
RANDOLPH	0	1	0	0	1	2
SAINT FRANCIS	0	1	2	0	0	3
SALINE	2	23	18	3	7	53
SEARCY	1	0	0	0	0	1
SEBASTIAN	1	8	11	2	2	24
STONE	0	0	0	1	1	2
UNION	1	2	1	2	0	6
WASHINGTON	3	10	7	5	4	29
WHITE	1	3	6	3	0	13
YELL	0	0	0	0	2	2
TOTAL	32	178	199	90	105	604

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CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	2	0	0	LOGAN	0	1	1
BAXTER	1	3	3	LONOKE	2	2	2
BENTON	7	7	9	MADISON	1	1	1
BOONE	0	1	1	MARION	1	1	1
CARROLL	2	2	2	MONTGOMERY	1	1	1
CLARK	1	1	1	PIKE	1	1	1
CLEBURNE	2	2	2	POINSETT	0	0	1
CRAIGHEAD	25	25	27	POPE	0	0	1
CRAWFORD	1	1	1	PULASKI	35	36	37
CROSS	1	1	1	RANDOLPH	3	2	2
FAULKNER	6	6	5	SALINE	4	4	5
FRANKLIN	1	1	1	SEBASTIAN	4	5	3
FULTON	1	1	1	SHARP	1	1	1
GARLAND	5	4	4	STONE	0	0	1
GRANT	1	1	1	UNION	1	1	1
GREENE	2	3	3	WASHINGTON	17	22	21
INDEPENDENCE	2	3	2	WHITE	5	4	6
JACKSON	0	1	1	WOODRUFF	1	0	1
JEFFERSON	1	1	1				
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					138	146	153
NONRESIDENTS					10	12	13
TOTAL LICENSED					148	158	166

CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	2	1	2	0	5
Camp	0	0	1	0	0	1
Clinic or Office	1	9	11	12	17	50
Home Health Setting	0	0	0	2	2	4
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	10	7	15	8	40
Managed Care	0	0	0	0	1	1
Military or Federal	0	0	1	2	3	6
No Entry	0	7	2	3	2	14
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	1	0	0	7	8
Nursing Education Program	0	0	2	6	3	11
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	0	1	0	1	2
Other	0	0	2	3	2	7
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	2	1	0	3
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	1	29	30	47	46	153

CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	5	0	5
Camp	1	0	1
Clinic or Office	49	1	50
Home Health Setting	4	0	4
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	39	1	40
Managed Care	1	0	1
Military or Federal	5	1	6
No Entry	13	1	14
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	7	1	8
Nursing Education Program	11	0	11
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	2	0	2
Other	6	1	7
Public/Community Health Service	3	0	3
Self-Employed/Consultant	1	0	1
TOTAL	147	6	153

CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Camp	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Clinic or Office	0	0	0	0	46	4	50
Home Health Setting	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	0	0	0	35	5	40
Managed Care	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Military or Federal	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
No Entry	2	0	5	6	1	0	14
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
Nursing Education Program	0	0	0	0	5	6	11
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Other	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	2	0	5	6	123	17	153

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CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
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COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
BAXTER	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
BENTON	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
BOONE	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
CARROLL	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
CLARK	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
CRAIGHEAD	1	0	1	1	22	2	27
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
CROSS	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
FAULKNER	0	0	0	0	4	1	5
FRANKLIN	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
FULTON	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
GARLAND	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
GRANT	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
GREENE	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
INDEPENDENCE	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
JACKSON	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
JEFFERSON	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
LOGAN	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
LONOKE	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
MADISON	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
MARION	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
MONTGOMERY	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
PIKE	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
POINSETT	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
POPE	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
PULASKI	0	0	0	3	31	3	37
RANDOLPH	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
SALINE	0	0	0	0	4	1	5
SEBASTIAN	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
SHARP	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
STONE	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
UNION	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
WASHINGTON	0	0	1	1	16	3	21
WHITE	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
WOODRUFF	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
TOTAL	2	0	5	6	124	16	153

CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
BAXTER	0	1	0	2	0	3
BENTON	0	3	1	2	3	9
BOONE	0	1	0	0	0	1
CARROLL	0	0	0	0	2	2
CLARK	0	0	0	0	1	1
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	2	0	2
CRAIGHEAD	1	4	11	9	2	27
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	1	0	1
CROSS	0	0	0	1	0	1
FAULKNER	0	1	0	3	1	5
FRANKLIN	0	0	0	1	0	1
FULTON	0	0	1	0	0	1
GARLAND	0	0	0	1	3	4
GRANT	0	0	1	0	0	1
GREENE	0	2	0	1	0	3
INDEPENDENCE	0	1	1	0	0	2
JACKSON	0	0	1	0	0	1
JEFFERSON	0	1	0	0	0	1
LOGAN	0	0	0	1	0	1
LONOKE	0	0	1	1	0	2
MADISON	0	0	0	1	0	1
MARION	0	0	1	0	0	1
MONTGOMERY	0	0	0	0	1	1
PIKE	0	0	0	1	0	1
POINSETT	0	0	1	0	0	1
POPE	0	0	0	1	0	1
PULASKI	0	3	4	10	20	37
RANDOLPH	0	0	0	2	0	2
SALINE	0	1	1	1	2	5
SEBASTIAN	0	0	1	1	1	3
SHARP	0	0	0	0	1	1
STONE	0	1	0	0	0	1
UNION	0	0	0	1	0	1
WASHINGTON	0	9	3	2	7	21
WHITE	0	1	1	2	2	6
WOODRUFF	0	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	1	29	30	47	46	153
WOODRUFF	0	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	1	29	30	47	46	153

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LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	513	98	136	LEE	30	31	33
ASHLEY	169	167	174	LINCOLN	77	79	79
BAXTER	244	257	253	LITTLE RIVER	99	100	100
BENTON	561	574	594	LOGAN	174	172	169
BOONE	174	163	163	LONOKE	325	323	333
BRADLEY	115	115	112	MADISON	62	64	55
CALHOUN	53	55	53	MARION	81	76	73
CARROLL	61	63	58	MILLER	261	277	279
CHICOT	54	54	54	MISSISSIPPI	181	185	189
CLARK	112	115	107	MONROE	26	26	22
CLAY	109	112	112	MONTGOMERY	57	58	64
CLEBURNE	122	132	129	NEVADA	75	82	75
CLEVELAND	64	65	66	NEWTON	34	35	32
COLUMBIA	110	117	114	OUACHITA	200	198	188
CONWAY	141	139	138	PERRY	73	79	78
CRAIGHEAD	580	605	618	PHILLIPS	62	57	62
CRAWFORD	324	337	340	PIKE	74	84	85
CRITTENDEN	192	202	191	POINSETT	137	146	140
CROSS	104	112	101	POLK	158	170	167
DALLAS	65	73	66	POPE	229	238	234
DESHA	83	76	68	PRAIRIE	39	39	38
DREW	130	127	127	PULASKI	1,460	1,552	1,494
FAULKNER	570	598	593	RANDOLPH	142	143	140
FRANKLIN	133	145	150	SAINT FRANCIS	99	95	93
FULTON	107	117	127	SALINE	562	569	544
GARLAND	540	541	540	SCOTT	83	71	77
GRANT	117	128	127	SEARCY	48	49	53
GREENE	281	298	283	SEBASTIAN	483	501	513
HEMPSTEAD	145	151	151	SEVIER	133	140	135
HOT SPRING	264	251	247	SHARP	164	158	158
HOWARD	126	126	121	STONE	88	100	103
INDEPENDENCE	288	290	276	UNION	334	361	373
IZARD	170	164	153	VAN BUREN	100	110	115
JACKSON	127	115	103	WASHINGTON	605	611	625
JEFFERSON	398	409	383	WHITE	402	421	438
JOHNSON	101	107	95	WOODRUFF	42	46	43
LAFAYETTE	55	60	59	YELL	103	101	95
LAWRENCE	133	136	137				
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					14,937	14,941	14,813
NONRESIDENTS					573	616	677
TOTAL LICENSED					15,510	15,557	15,490

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	14	28	32	42	34	150
Camp	1	0	1	2	0	4
Clinic or Office	562	960	846	679	411	3,458
Community Based Group Home	7	21	17	25	19	89
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	4	8	8	5	4	29
Home Health Setting	69	184	209	154	145	761
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	217	305	342	326	248	1,438
Managed Care	6	12	26	21	13	78
Military or Federal	7	13	20	20	12	72
No Entry	791	384	183	103	56	1,517
Not Working in Nursing / Unemployed	143	306	294	306	428	1,477
Nursing Education Program	3	4	6	9	4	26
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	600	1,104	1,076	832	483	4,095
Occupational Health	5	11	24	36	24	100
Other	78	196	200	195	202	871
Public/Community Health Service	12	59	65	58	44	238
Regulatory	0	1	2	1	3	7
School/Student Health Service	14	87	90	102	74	367
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	5	8	9	14	36
TOTAL	2,533	3,688	3,449	2,925	2,218	14,813

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	137	13	150
Camp	4	0	4
Clinic or Office	3,324	134	3,458
Community Based Group Home	81	8	89
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	24	5	29
Home Health Setting	717	44	761
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	1,220	218	1,438
Managed Care	73	5	78
Military or Federal	58	14	72
No Entry	1,370	147	1,517
Not Working in Nursing / Unemployed	1,377	100	1,477
Nursing Education Program	23	3	26
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	3,779	316	4,095
Occupational Health	93	7	100
Other	803	68	871
Public/Community Health Service	221	17	238
Regulatory	6	1	7
School/Student Health Service	358	9	367
Self-Employed/Consultant	30	6	36
TOTAL	13,698	1,115	14,813

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LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	150	0	0	0	0	0	150
Camp	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Clinic or Office	3,458	0	0	0	0	0	3,458
Community Based Group Home	89	0	0	0	0	0	89
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	29	0	0	0	0	0	29
Home Health Setting	761	0	0	0	0	0	761
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	1,438	0	0	0	0	0	1,438
Managed Care	78	0	0	0	0	0	78
Military or Federal	72	0	0	0	0	0	72
No Entry	1,517	0	0	0	0	0	1,517
Not Working in Nursing / Unemployed	1,477	0	0	0	0	0	1,477
Nursing Education Program	26	0	0	0	0	0	26
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	4,095	0	0	0	0	0	4,095
Occupational Health	100	0	0	0	0	0	100
Other	871	0	0	0	0	0	871
Public/Community Health Service	238	0	0	0	0	0	238
Regulatory	7	0	0	0	0	0	7
School/Student Health Service	367	0	0	0	0	0	367
Self-Employed/Consultant	36	0	0	0	0	0	36
TOTAL	14,813	0	0	0	0	0	14,813

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	134	0	2	0	0	0	136
ASHLEY	172	1	1	0	0	0	174
BAXTER	245	0	8	0	0	0	253
BENTON	586	1	4	3	0	0	594
BOONE	157	0	5	0	1	0	163
BRADLEY	108	1	3	0	0	0	112
CALHOUN	52	0	1	0	0	0	53
CARROLL	58	0	0	0	0	0	58
CHICOT	54	0	0	0	0	0	54
CLARK	105	0	2	0	0	0	107
CLAY	110	0	2	0	0	0	112
CLEBURNE	126	0	2	1	0	0	129
CLEVELAND	62	1	2	1	0	0	66
COLUMBIA	110	1	3	0	0	0	114
CONWAY	133	1	3	1	0	0	138
CRAIGHEAD	596	2	13	6	1	0	618
CRAWFORD	337	1	2	0	0	0	340
CRITTENDEN	184	0	7	0	0	0	191
CROSS	96	0	5	0	0	0	101
DALLAS	64	0	1	1	0	0	66

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**LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017**

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
DESHA	67	0	1	0	0	0	68
DREW	123	1	2	1	0	0	127
FAULKNER	567	14	9	3	0	0	593
FRANKLIN	149	0	1	0	0	0	150
FULTON	125	0	2	0	0	0	127
GARLAND	523	2	12	3	0	0	540
GRANT	119	2	5	0	1	0	127
GREENE	274	0	6	3	0	0	283
HEMPSTEAD	150	0	1	0	0	0	151
HOT SPRING	239	0	7	0	1	0	247
HOWARD	119	0	2	0	0	0	121
INDEPENDENCE	271	0	4	1	0	0	276
IZARD	146	1	4	0	2	0	153
JACKSON	101	0	2	0	0	0	103
JEFFERSON	358	2	18	4	1	0	383
JOHNSON	94	0	1	0	0	0	95
LAFAYETTE	58	0	0	1	0	0	59
LAWRENCE	133	1	2	1	0	0	137
LEE	32	0	0	1	0	0	33
LINCOLN	73	4	2	0	0	0	79
LITTLE RIVER	98	0	2	0	0	0	100
LOGAN	168	1	0	0	0	0	169
LONOKE	326	2	5	0	0	0	333
MADISON	55	0	0	0	0	0	55
MARION	70	0	3	0	0	0	73
MILLER	275	1	2	1	0	0	279
MISSISSIPPI	183	0	5	1	0	0	189
MONROE	21	0	1	0	0	0	22
MONTGOMERY	63	0	0	1	0	0	64
NEVADA	74	0	1	0	0	0	75
NEWTON	31	0	1	0	0	0	32
OUACHITA	185	2	1	0	0	0	188
PERRY	77	0	1	0	0	0	78
PHILLIPS	61	0	1	0	0	0	62
PIKE	83	0	1	1	0	0	85
POINSETT	136	0	2	2	0	0	140
POLK	164	0	3	0	0	0	167
POPE	227	2	5	0	0	0	234
PRAIRIE	36	0	2	0	0	0	38
PULASKI	1,418	32	30	13	1	0	1,494
RANDOLPH	136	1	2	1	0	0	140
SAINT FRANCIS	89	0	4	0	0	0	93
SALINE	525	8	9	2	0	0	544
SCOTT	77	0	0	0	0	0	77
SEARCY	53	0	0	0	0	0	53

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COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	TOTAL
SEBASTIAN	502	1	7	2	1	0	513
SEVIER	133	0	1	0	1	0	135
SHARP	156	0	1	1	0	0	158
STONE	100	0	3	0	0	0	103
UNION	365	0	6	2	0	0	373
VAN BUREN	113	0	2	0	0	0	115
WASHINGTON	615	1	5	4	0	0	625
WHITE	425	1	8	4	0	0	438
WOODRUFF	40	1	1	1	0	0	43
YELL	93	2	0	0	0	0	95
TOTAL	14,383	91	262	67	10	0	14,813

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	20	28	35	26	27	136
ASHLEY	35	48	38	37	16	174
BAXTER	21	67	67	61	37	253
BENTON	68	142	149	133	102	594
BOONE	22	51	32	27	31	163
BRADLEY	14	35	32	19	12	112
CALHOUN	11	13	9	6	14	53
CARROLL	5	4	16	16	17	58
CHICOT	5	13	11	12	13	54
CLARK	16	21	27	26	17	107
CLAY	22	24	24	28	14	112
CLEBURNE	19	29	26	33	22	129
CLEVELAND	4	15	23	17	7	66
COLUMBIA	18	30	31	23	12	114
CONWAY	13	39	25	38	23	138
CRAIGHEAD	141	148	148	105	76	618
CRAWFORD	29	95	98	67	51	340
CRITTENDEN	31	37	42	49	32	191
CROSS	16	35	20	19	11	101
DALLAS	12	17	19	8	10	66
DESHA	13	17	15	15	8	68
DREW	25	34	38	22	8	127
FAULKNER	123	165	128	90	87	593
FRANKLIN	23	43	38	27	19	150
FULTON	29	31	29	18	20	127
GARLAND	91	118	129	114	88	540
GRANT	27	23	38	29	10	127
GREENE	55	65	78	55	30	283
HEMPSTEAD	30	53	35	22	11	151
HOT SPRING	47	53	71	46	30	247

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**LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017**

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
HOWARD	19	38	35	22	7	121
INDEPENDENCE	50	81	62	52	31	276
IZARD	31	37	35	32	18	153
JACKSON	17	21	30	17	18	103
JEFFERSON	35	82	87	93	86	383
JOHNSON	11	19	21	30	14	95
LAFAYETTE	17	11	16	12	3	59
LAWRENCE	26	23	35	30	23	137
LEE	2	7	12	4	8	33
LINCOLN	7	23	24	15	10	79
LITTLE RIVER	27	29	21	14	9	100
LOGAN	28	32	44	36	29	169
LONOKE	51	101	68	61	52	333
MADISON	3	14	12	12	14	55
MARION	8	9	17	26	13	73
MILLER	35	79	64	62	39	279
MISSISSIPPI	39	61	40	32	17	189
MONROE	3	3	5	6	5	22
MONTGOMERY	12	11	16	13	12	64
NEVADA	15	22	17	12	9	75
NEWTON	4	8	7	7	6	32
OUACHITA	35	45	44	32	32	188
PERRY	18	17	17	9	17	78
PHILLIPS	11	14	10	14	13	62
PIKE	14	21	20	17	13	85
POINSETT	28	33	36	30	13	140
POLK	36	43	33	33	22	167
POPE	43	44	46	52	49	234
PRAIRIE	7	15	6	8	2	38
PULASKI	244	376	311	291	272	1,494
RANDOLPH	53	33	27	21	6	140
SAINT FRANCIS	12	24	20	23	14	93
SALINE	85	155	106	108	90	544
SCOTT	16	21	18	9	13	77
SEARCY	9	12	11	13	8	53
SEBASTIAN	56	134	129	105	89	513
SEVIER	48	22	29	17	19	135
SHARP	25	48	35	29	21	158
STONE	29	27	26	12	9	103
UNION	85	97	90	56	45	373
VAN BUREN	14	20	37	29	15	115
WASHINGTON	110	151	138	130	96	625
WHITE	97	104	89	85	63	438
WOODRUFF	5	14	16	6	2	43
YELL	21	10	20	24	20	95
TOTAL	2,526	3,684	3,453	2,929	2,221	14,813

LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	1	0	1	LONOKE	1	1	1
BENTON	3	3	2	MADISON	1	1	1
CALHOUN	1	0	0	POPE	2	2	2
CRAWFORD	1	1	1	PULASKI	32	31	29
CRITTENDEN	1	1	1	SAINT FRANCIS	0	0	
DREW	1	1	0	SALINE	30	27	25
FAULKNER	3	3	3	SEBASTIAN	2	2	2
GARLAND	4	4	3	SHARP	1	1	0
GRANT	1	1	1	VAN BUREN	1	1	1
HOT SPRING	6	7	6	WASHINGTON	3	2	2
LITTLE RIVER	0	0	1	WHITE	1	1	1
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					96	90	83
NONRESIDENTS					3	2	4
TOTAL LICENSED					99	92	87

LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	0	0	1	1	2
Camp	0	0	0	0	1	1
Clinic or Office	0	0	2	2	1	5
Community Based Group Home	0	0	0	0	1	1
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	0	0	1	0	1	2
Home Health Setting	0	1	0	0	1	2
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	0	0	8	6	14
No Entry	0	0	0	1	4	5
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	0	0	3	13	16
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	0	0	14	6	20
Other	0	0	0	5	5	10
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	0	3	1	4
School/Student Health Service	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	0	1	3	38	41	83

**LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED
IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	2	0	2
Camp	1	0	1
Clinic or Office	5	0	5
Community Based Group Home	1	0	1
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	2	0	2
Home Health Setting	1	1	2
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	12	2	14
No Entry	4	1	5
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	13	3	16
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	18	2	20
Other	9	1	10
Public/Community Health Service	4	0	4
School/Student Health Service	1	0	1
TOTAL	73	10	83

**LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED
IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	2	0	0	2
Camp	1	0	0	1
Clinic or Office	5	0	0	5
Community Based Group Home	1	0	0	1
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	2	0	0	2
Home Health Setting	2	0	0	2
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	13	0	1	14
No Entry	5	0	0	5
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	15	0	1	16
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	20	0	0	20
Other	10	0	0	10
Public/Community Health Service	3	1	0	4
School/Student Health Service	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	80	1	2	83

LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	1	0	0	1
BENTON	2	0	0	2
CRAWFORD	1	0	0	1
CRITTENDEN	1	0	0	1
FAULKNER	3	0	0	3
GARLAND	3	0	0	3
GRANT	1	0	0	1
HOT SPRING	5	0	1	6
LITTLE RIVER	1	0	0	1
LONOKE	1	0	0	1

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	TOTAL
MADISON	1	0	0	1
POPE	1	0	1	2
PULASKI	28	1	0	29
SALINE	25	0	0	25
SEBASTIAN	2	0	0	2
VAN BUREN	1	0	0	1
WASHINGTON	2	0	0	2
WHITE	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	80	1	2	83

LICENSED PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	0	0	0	1	1
BENTON	0	0	2	0	2
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	1	1
CRITTENDEN	0	0	0	1	1
FAULKNER	0	1	0	2	3
GARLAND	0	0	2	1	3
GRANT	0	0	1	0	1
HOT SPRING	0	0	5	1	6
LITTLE RIVER	0	0	1	0	1
LONOKE	0	0	0	1	1
MADISON	1	0	0	0	1
POPE	0	0	0	2	2
PULASKI	0	2	16	11	29
SALINE	0	0	8	17	25
SEBASTIAN	0	0	1	1	2
VAN BUREN	0	0	0	1	1
WASHINGTON	0	0	1	1	2
WHITE	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	1	3	38	41	83

MEDICATION ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE HOLDERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2017
ARKANSAS	2
BAXTER	1
BOONE	3
CLARK	3
GARLAND	5
HOT SPRING	1
MADISON	1
MILLER	1
VAN BUREN	4
WASHINGTON	2
TOTAL	23

MEDICATION ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE HOLDERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE
ARKANSAS	2
BAXTER	1
BOONE	3
CLARK	3
GARLAND	5
HOT SPRING	1
MADISON	1
MILLER	1
VAN BUREN	4
WASHINGTON	2
TOTAL	23

MEDICATION ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE HOLDERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE- 2017

COUNTY	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	1	1	0	0	2
BAXTER	0	0	1	0	1
BOONE	2	0	1	0	3
CLARK	1	0	2	0	3
GARLAND	3	1	1	0	5
HOT SPRING	0	1	0	0	1
MADISON	0	1	0	0	1
MILLER	0	0	0	1	1
VAN BUREN	2	1	1	0	4
WASHINGTON	0	2	0	0	2
TOTAL	9	7	6	1	23

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REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE - 2017

COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	1085	196	289	LEE	64	70	73
ASHLEY	180	199	204	LINCOLN	144	147	149
BAXTER	607	624	638	LITTLE RIVER	126	138	147
BENTON	2,107	2,268	2,429	LOGAN	188	200	201
BOONE	376	399	407	LONOKE	998	1,096	1,156
BRADLEY	107	113	117	MADISON	116	127	125
CALHOUN	34	37	37	MARION	180	176	181
CARROLL	168	185	191	MILLER	496	520	541
CHICOT	92	96	96	MISSISSIPPI	316	320	332
CLARK	184	188	201	MONROE	73	65	65
CLAY	125	124	130	MONTGOMERY	114	115	117
CLEBURNE	251	264	272	NEVADA	74	73	77
CLEVELAND	137	142	143	NEWTON	64	62	64
COLUMBIA	251	260	264	OUACHITA	203	211	196
CONWAY	199	210	219	PERRY	118	119	135
CRAIGHEAD	1,509	1,576	1,671	PHILLIPS	202	194	185
CRAWFORD	557	567	569	PIKE	111	120	123
CRITTENDEN	564	566	553	POINSETT	184	196	197
CROSS	254	268	265	POLK	166	171	169
DALLAS	46	48	53	POPE	520	565	585
DESHA	96	95	101	PRAIRIE	74	71	76
DREW	178	191	188	PULASKI	6,207	6,655	6,674
FAULKNER	1,737	1,839	1,942	RANDOLPH	217	232	252
FRANKLIN	155	158	163	SAINT FRANCIS	193	196	202
FULTON	173	178	178	SALINE	2,370	2,477	2,614
GARLAND	1,403	1,511	1,576	SCOTT	78	84	85
GRANT	276	295	312	SEARCY	82	86	88
GREENE	534	575	603	SEBASTIAN	1,368	1,417	1,458
HEMPSTEAD	173	187	190	SEVIER	120	131	138
HOT SPRING	384	409	414	SHARP	184	206	204
HOWARD	121	122	125	STONE	130	140	151
INDEPENDENCE	478	504	523	UNION	437	458	463
IZARD	206	232	235	VAN BUREN	115	135	135
JACKSON	141	146	145	WASHINGTON	2,148	2,320	2,471
JEFFERSON	854	860	871	WHITE	922	949	975
JOHNSON	128	131	140	WOODRUFF	53	58	61
LAFAYETTE	51	53	53	YELL	146	145	153
LAWRENCE	148	157	158				
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					35,370	36,418	37,683
NONRESIDENTS					2,964	3,230	3,548
TOTAL LICENSED					38,334	39,648	41,231

**REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	63	293	366	427	262	1,411
Camp	0	0	4	7	3	14
Clinic or Office	358	1,280	1,211	957	587	4,393
Community Based Group Home	4	10	14	8	16	52
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	0	3	5	10	5	23
Home Health Setting	99	393	474	464	349	1,779
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	2,739	4,587	4,125	3,455	2,135	17,041
Managed Care	3	42	89	89	60	283
Military or Federal	17	96	109	126	85	433
No Entry	1,626	834	499	250	128	3,337
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	118	369	422	557	1,350	2,816
Nursing Education Program	20	97	150	183	183	633
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	93	299	370	328	314	1,404
Occupational Health	7	21	33	36	33	130
Other	80	349	506	530	531	1,996
Public/Community Health Service	31	119	176	225	189	740
Regulatory	1	1	20	33	37	92
School/Student Health Service	34	248	299	219	143	943
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	14	28	48	73	163
TOTAL	5,293	9,055	8,900	7,952	6,483	37,683

**REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017**

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	1,305	106	1,411
Camp	13	1	14
Clinic or Office	4,132	261	4,393
Community Based Group Home	48	4	52
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	22	1	23
Home Health Setting	1,677	102	1,779
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	14,655	2,386	17,041
Managed Care	268	15	283
Military or Federal	334	99	433
No Entry	2,878	459	3,337
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	2,626	190	2,816
Nursing Education Program	612	21	633
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	1,319	85	1,404
Occupational Health	109	21	130
Other	1,806	190	1,996
Public/Community Health Service	713	27	740
Regulatory	84	8	92
School/Student Health Service	931	12	943
Self-Employed/Consultant	145	18	163
TOTAL	33,677	4,006	37,683

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BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	205	532	481	178	15	0	1,411
Camp	0	0	4	9	1	0	0	14
Clinic or Office	0	567	1,589	1,070	1,095	72	0	4,393
Community Based Group Home	0	11	24	14	2	1	0	52
Drug/Alcohol Treatment Facility	0	3	13	3	4	0	0	23
Home Health Setting	0	245	1089	397	47	1	0	1,779
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	2	2,465	7,082	6,290	1,121	80	1	17,041
Managed Care	0	40	147	84	11	1	0	283
Military or Federal	0	39	93	184	104	13	0	433
No Entry	823	275	1,051	1,065	41	2	80	3,337
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	445	1,295	889	172	15	0	2,816
Nursing Education Program	0	12	64	136	331	90	0	633
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	188	914	226	74	2	0	1,404
Occupational Health	0	15	75	36	4	0	0	130
Other	0	345	909	545	181	16	0	1,996
Public/Community Health Service	0	94	367	217	57	5	0	740
Regulatory	0	12	43	25	11	1	0	92
School/Student Health Service	0	152	413	327	44	7	0	943
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	25	62	41	31	4	0	163
TOTAL	825	5,138	15,766	12,039	3,509	325	81	37,683

REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS
BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	3	55	126	84	18	1	2	289
ASHLEY	7	24	72	93	6	1	1	204
BAXTER	17	42	351	149	75	4	0	638
BENTON	18	196	1,183	787	227	17	1	2,429
BOONE	6	17	270	79	35	0	0	407
BRADLEY	3	33	44	28	8	1	0	117
CALHOUN	2	4	21	10	0	0	0	37
CARROLL	0	13	112	52	13	1	0	191
CHICOT	0	23	33	28	11	1	0	96
CLARK	9	17	60	93	19	2	1	201
CLAY	6	1	92	16	15	0	0	130
CLEBURNE	4	47	134	64	21	2	0	272
CLEVELAND	0	54	38	37	13	1	0	143
COLUMBIA	5	5	160	68	23	1	2	264
CONWAY	11	48	53	87	18	2	0	219
CRAIGHEAD	55	56	703	616	219	15	7	1,671
CRAWFORD	6	18	367	133	40	4	1	569
CRITTENDEN	5	52	239	192	57	7	1	553
CROSS	3	12	178	48	18	3	3	265
DALLAS	1	5	20	23	3	1	0	53

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REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS
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EMPLOYMENT SETTING	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
DESHA	3	15	38	42	3	0	0	101
DREW	5	40	59	70	12	2	0	188
FAULKNER	42	440	470	788	181	17	4	1,942
FRANKLIN	7	6	90	46	12	1	1	163
FULTON	8	7	121	25	16	0	1	178
GARLAND	35	131	867	379	151	10	3	1,576
GRANT	10	117	68	92	22	3	0	312
GREENE	29	12	301	192	59	9	1	603
HEMPSTEAD	9	4	101	53	22	1	0	190
HOT SPRING	16	50	212	108	24	1	3	414
HOWARD	7	2	75	33	7	1	0	125
INDEPENDENCE	18	22	323	114	44	2	0	523
IZARD	16	14	152	37	15	1	0	235
JACKSON	5	11	97	25	7	0	0	145
JEFFERSON	16	297	211	252	83	9	3	871
JOHNSON	1	10	63	52	12	2	0	140
LAFAYETTE	5	0	26	18	4	0	0	53
LAWRENCE	11	5	98	38	6	0	0	158
LEE	2	1	58	9	3	0	0	73
LINCOLN	1	60	39	37	10	2	0	149
LITTLE RIVER	9	2	89	37	10	0	0	147
LOGAN	8	11	107	63	10	1	1	201
LONOKE	15	293	379	383	78	7	1	1,156
MADISON	3	14	66	31	10	1	0	125
MARION	5	7	113	41	14	1	0	181
MILLER	15	11	346	119	48	2	0	541
MISSISSIPPI	7	8	246	46	25	0	0	332
MONROE	0	4	39	15	5	1	1	65
MONTGOMERY	1	10	77	25	4	0	0	117
NEVADA	4	2	41	27	3	0	0	77
NEWTON	2	4	36	19	3	0	0	64
OUACHITA	2	19	122	41	12	0	0	196
PERRY	9	36	43	38	7	1	1	135
PHILLIPS	0	5	131	29	17	2	1	185
PIKE	2	8	61	42	10	0	0	123
POINSETT	9	7	107	56	18	0	0	197
POLK	13	6	103	33	13	1	0	169
POPE	14	51	157	298	52	12	1	585
PRAIRIE	0	22	32	19	3	0	0	76
PULASKI	103	1,420	1,652	2,615	773	95	16	6,674
RANDOLPH	23	5	155	49	19	1	0	252
SAINT FRANCIS	1	12	138	37	12	2	0	202
SALINE	41	749	712	818	265	20	9	2,614
SCOTT	4	7	57	13	4	0	0	85
SEARCY	0	3	67	15	3	0	0	88
SEBASTIAN	14	60	844	375	107	12	5	1417

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COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
SEBASTIAN	19	55	840	417	111	12	4	1,458
SEVIER	12	3	88	30	4	1	0	138
SHARP	16	15	130	32	11	0	0	204
STONE	8	13	87	34	8	0	1	151
UNION	15	24	277	98	40	7	2	463
VAN BUREN	8	23	53	37	13	0	1	135
WASHINGTON	24	232	1,022	932	240	17	4	2,471
WHITE	18	89	399	357	99	11	2	975
WOODRUFF	4	2	31	18	6	0	0	61
YELL	3	13	62	68	7	0	0	153
TOTAL	824	5,151	15,790	12,029	3,489	320	80	37,683

REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS
BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	34	73	74	67	41	289
ASHLEY	34	44	58	41	27	204
BAXTER	52	127	130	187	142	638
BENTON	304	631	560	488	446	2,429
BOONE	49	100	93	84	81	407
BRADLEY	13	29	33	21	21	117
CALHOUN	5	10	7	9	6	37
CARROLL	20	19	39	48	65	191
CHICOT	12	22	27	17	18	96
CLARK	43	43	50	44	21	201
CLAY	21	26	32	31	20	130
CLEBURNE	28	55	61	65	63	272
CLEVELAND	13	36	50	31	13	143
COLUMBIA	42	60	65	54	43	264
CONWAY	47	51	48	47	26	219
CRAIGHEAD	271	443	405	335	217	1,671
CRAWFORD	54	100	148	151	116	569
CRITTENDEN	66	131	149	120	87	553
CROSS	25	72	69	58	41	265
DALLAS	8	13	8	11	13	53
DESHA	26	24	18	17	16	101
DREW	19	53	45	41	30	188
FAULKNER	350	549	413	399	231	1,942
FRANKLIN	17	37	43	35	31	163
FULTON	25	42	44	40	27	178
GARLAND	172	312	380	379	333	1,576
GRANT	51	77	98	54	32	312
GREENE	86	188	125	136	68	603
HEMPSTEAD	20	52	42	43	33	190
HOT SPRING	59	92	103	101	59	414
HOWARD	18	26	35	28	18	125

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REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	Over 60	Total
INDEPENDENCE	78	136	164	79	66	523
IZARD	31	51	54	58	41	235
JACKSON	17	35	39	26	28	145
JEFFERSON	105	219	211	200	136	871
JOHNSON	16	33	46	19	26	140
LAFAYETTE	10	12	14	9	8	53
LAWRENCE	18	36	52	34	18	158
LEE	4	16	24	20	9	73
LINCOLN	29	37	43	25	15	149
LITTLE RIVER	27	37	38	27	18	147
LOGAN	28	37	37	56	43	201
LONOKE	152	301	310	253	140	1,156
MADISON	15	27	28	22	33	125
MARION	12	23	47	52	47	181
MILLER	75	146	143	110	67	541
MISSISSIPPI	43	93	81	61	54	332
MONROE	8	14	16	18	9	65
MONTGOMERY	13	25	17	34	28	117
NEVADA	5	22	19	21	10	77
NEWTON	5	9	12	19	19	64
OUACHITA	24	42	52	41	37	196
PERRY	20	36	34	26	19	135
PHILLIPS	21	33	57	39	35	185
PIKE	12	32	40	26	13	123
POINSETT	30	42	62	41	22	197
POLK	19	36	43	32	39	169
POPE	109	139	123	130	84	585
PRAIRIE	10	14	24	18	10	76
PULASKI	1,006	1,530	1,374	1,403	1,361	6,674
RANDOLPH	42	88	54	44	24	252
SAINT FRANCIS	24	34	47	49	48	202
SALINE	373	706	669	495	371	2,614
SCOTT	11	22	15	20	17	85
SEARCY	13	24	18	17	16	88
SEBASTIAN	179	293	349	340	297	1,458
SEVIER	28	29	33	24	24	138
SHARP	29	44	42	47	42	204
STONE	17	31	36	35	32	151
UNION	63	115	110	90	85	463
VAN BUREN	10	22	28	34	41	135
WASHINGTON	382	599	560	449	481	2,471
WHITE	140	235	237	204	159	975
WOODRUFF	7	17	14	12	11	61
YELL	19	34	39	28	33	153
TOTAL	5,263	9,043	8,907	7,969	6,501	37,683

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REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
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COUNTY	2015	2016	2017	COUNTY	2015	2016	2017
ARKANSAS	12	5	5	JEFFERSON	6	5	4
BAXTER	1	2	1	LAWRENCE	3	3	3
BENTON	19	16	16	LEE	1	1	1
BOONE	4	4	4	LONOKE	16	18	17
CARROLL	1	1	1	MADISON	1	1	1
CHICOT	1	1	1	MARION	2	2	1
CLARK	5	5	5	MILLER	1	0	0
CLAY	2	2	2	MISSISSIPPI	4	4	2
CLEBURNE	2	3	3	MONROE	2	1	1
COLUMBIA	4	3	2	OUACHITA	1	1	1
CONWAY	3	3	2	PERRY	3	2	2
CRAIGHEAD	52	46	46	PIKE	2	2	2
CRAWFORD	2	2	2	POINSETT	5	5	5
CRITTENDEN	6	5	4	POPE	12	12	11
CROSS	3	3	3	PRAIRIE	2	2	2
DESHA	1	1	1	PULASKI	170	160	144
DREW	1	1	1	RANDOLPH	5	5	5
FAULKNER	23	22	22	SALINE	46	43	43
FRANKLIN	5	5	5	SEARCY	2	2	2
FULTON	1	2	1	SEBASTIAN	6	6	6
GARLAND	19	22	19	SHARP	3	3	3
GRANT	3	3	2	STONE	3	3	2
GREENE	14	16	14	UNION	3	3	3
HEMPSTEAD	2	2	2	VAN BUREN	1	1	2
HOT SPRING	2	2	2	WASHINGTON	15	19	18
HOWARD	2	2	2	WHITE	18	18	18
INDEPENDENCE	8	7	6	YELL	1	1	1
JACKSON	3	4	4				
TOTAL							
ARKANSAS RESIDENTS					569	513	478
NONRESIDENTS					41	33	35
TOTAL LICENSED					610	546	513

REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND AGE - 2017

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	4	23	14	41
Camp	0	1	0	0	1
Clinic or Office	0	15	42	37	94
Home Health Setting	0	1	2	7	10
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	17	50	35	102
Managed Care	0	2	2	4	8
Military or Federal	0	1	4	5	10
No Entry	0	1	6	12	19
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	6	17	51	74
Nursing Education Program	0	2	7	10	19
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	0	3	3	6
Occupational Health	0	0	1	1	2
Other	0	5	19	20	44
Public/Community Health Service	0	3	14	7	24
Regulatory	0	0	0	3	3
School/Student Health Service	0	1	9	7	17
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	1	0	3	4
TOTAL	0	60	199	219	478

REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND GENDER - 2017

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	FEMALE	MALE	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	40	1	41
Camp	1	0	1
Clinic or Office	89	5	94
Home Health Setting	7	3	10
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	91	11	102
Managed Care	8	0	8
Military or Federal	10	0	10
No Entry	18	1	19
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	70	4	74
Nursing Education Program	18	1	19
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	6	0	6
Occupational Health	2	0	2
Other	41	3	44
Public/Community Health Service	24	0	24
Regulatory	3	0	3
School/Student Health Service	17	0	17
Self-Employed/Consultant	4	0	4
TOTAL	449	29	478

REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY EMPLOYMENT SETTING AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

EMPLOYMENT SETTING	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
Ambulatory Care	0	0	2	35	4	0	0	41
Camp	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Clinic or Office	0	1	6	56	28	3	0	94
Home Health Setting	0	0	1	7	2	0	0	10
Hospital (Acute Inpatient Care)	0	0	2	69	27	4	0	102
Managed Care	0	0	0	4	3	1	0	8
Military or Federal	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	10
No Entry	1	0	5	9	3	0	1	19
Not working in Nursing/Unemployed	0	2	9	46	17	0	0	74
Nursing Education Program	0	0	0	3	10	6	0	19
Nursing Home Extended Care Facility	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	6
Occupational Health	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Other	0	0	1	30	12	1	0	44
Public/Community Health Service	0	0	3	19	2	0	0	24
Regulatory	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
School/Student Health Service	0	0	0	14	3	0	0	17
Self-Employed/Consultant	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	4
TOTAL	1	3	29	306	121	17	1	478

REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	5
BAXTER	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
BENTON	0	0	2	8	6	0	0	16
BOONE	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	4
CARROLL	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
CHICOT	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
CLARK	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	5
CLAY	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
COLUMBIA	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
CONWAY	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
CRAIGHEAD	0	0	2	32	11	1	0	46
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
CRITTENDEN	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	4
CROSS	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3
DESHA	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
DREW	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
FAULKNER	0	0	0	16	5	1	0	22
FRANKLIN	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	5

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REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND EDUCATION LEVEL - 2017

COUNTY	CERTIFICATE	DIPLOMA	ASSOCIATE	BACHELOR	MASTER	DOCTORATE	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
FULTON	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
GARLAND	0	1	3	8	5	2	0	19
GRANT	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
GREENE	0	0	3	7	4	0	0	14
HEMPSTEAD	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
HOT SPRING	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
HOWARD	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
INDEPENDENCE	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	6
JACKSON	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	4
JEFFERSON	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	4
LAWRENCE	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	3
LEE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
LONOKE	0	0	2	11	3	1	0	17
MADISON	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
MARION	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
MONROE	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
OUACHITA	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
PERRY	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
PIKE	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
POINSETT	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	5
POPE	0	1	0	7	1	2	0	11
PRAIRIE	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
PULASKI	0	0	2	101	35	5	1	144
RANDOLPH	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5
SALINE	0	0	0	35	8	0	0	43
SEARCY	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
SEBASTIAN	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	6
SHARP	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
STONE	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
UNION	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
VAN BUREN	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
WASHINGTON	0	0	3	8	7	0	0	18
WHITE	0	1	2	9	5	1	0	18
YELL	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	1	3	29	306	121	17	1	478

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REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
ARKANSAS	0	0	3	2	5
BAXTER	0	1	0	0	1
BENTON	0	2	8	6	16
BOONE	0	1	1	2	4
CARROLL	0	0	1	0	1
CHICOT	0	0	1	0	1
CLARK	0	0	2	3	5
CLAY	0	0	0	2	2
CLEBURNE	0	0	0	3	3
COLUMBIA	0	0	2	0	2
CONWAY	0	0	0	2	2
CRAIGHEAD	0	9	21	16	46
CRAWFORD	0	0	0	2	2
CRITTENDEN	0	0	1	3	4
CROSS	0	0	2	1	3
DESHA	0	0	0	1	1
DREW	0	0	0	1	1
FAULKNER	0	3	9	10	22
FRANKLIN	0	0	1	4	5
FULTON	0	0	0	1	1
GARLAND	0	2	7	10	19
GRANT	0	1	0	1	2
GREENE	0	1	6	7	14
HEMPSTEAD	0	0	0	2	2
HOT SPRING	0	0	0	2	2
HOWARD	0	0	0	2	2
INDEPENDENCE	0	3	0	3	6
JACKSON	0	2	2	0	4
JEFFERSON	0	0	2	2	4
LAWRENCE	0	1	2	0	3
LEE	0	0	1	0	1
LONOKE	0	2	7	8	17
MADISON	0	0	0	1	1
MARION	0	1	0	0	1
MISSISSIPPI	0	0	2	0	2
MONROE	0	0	1	0	1
OUACHITA	0	1	0	0	1
PERRY	0	0	1	1	2
PIKE	0	0	2	0	2
POINSETT	0	2	1	2	5
POPE	0	2	5	4	11
PRAIRIE	0	0	1	1	2
PULASKI	0	15	58	71	144
RANDOLPH	0	1	4	0	5

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REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS RESIDING AND LICENSED IN
ARKANSAS BY COUNTY AND AGE - 2017

COUNTY	30-39	40-49	50-59	OVER 60	TOTAL
SALINE	0	6	22	15	43
SEARCY	0	0	1	1	2
SEBASTIAN	0	1	3	2	6
SHARP	0	0	2	1	3
STONE	0	1	1	0	2
UNION	0	0	1	2	3
VAN BUREN	0	0	0	2	2
WASHINGTON	0	0	6	12	18
WHITE	0	2	8	8	18
YELL	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL	0	60	199	219	478



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