

NURSING CAREERS

in the
Southern Tier

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Certified Nursing Aide

Career Zone

New York Department of Labor

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Job Description

Provide basic patient care under direction of nursing staff. Perform duties, such as feed, bathe, dress, groom, or move patients, or change linens.

Interests

Social: Social occupations frequently involve working with, communicating with, and teaching people. These occupations often involve helping or providing service to others.

Skills & Knowledge

- Giving full attention to what other people are saying
- Asking appropriate questions
- Teaching others how to do something
- Talking to others to convey information effectively
- Actively looking for ways to help people
- Knowledge of customer and personal service
- Knowledge of information and techniques needed to care for human injuries, diseases, and deformities
- Knowledge of relevant equipment, policies, and procedures

Education & Training

Education: These occupations require a high school diploma and some vocational training or job-related course work.

Training: Employees in these occupations need anywhere from a few months to one year of working with experienced employees.

Nurse/Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant:

A program that prepares individuals to perform routine nursing-related services to patients in hospitals or long-term care facilities, under the training and supervision of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse.

Health Aide: A program that prepares individuals to provide routine care and assistance to patients under the direct supervision of other health care professionals, and/or to perform routine maintenance and general assistance in health care facilities and laboratories.

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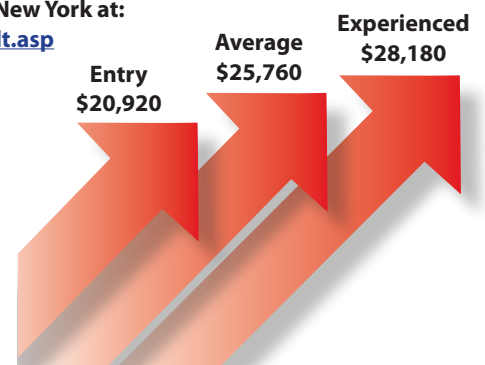
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31-1012 Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants

Occupational Employment Statistics Southern Tier Region

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Licensed Practical Nurse

Career Zone

New York Department of Labor

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Job Description

Care for ill, injured, convalescent, or disabled persons in hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, private homes, group homes, and similar institutions. May work under the supervision of a registered nurse. Licensing required.

Interests

Social: Social occupations frequently involve working with, communicating with, and teaching people. These occupations often involve helping or providing service to others.

Skills & Knowledge

- Giving full attention to what other people are saying
- Asking appropriate questions
- Understanding written sentences and paragraphs in work related documents.
- Communicating effectively in writing and talking to others to convey information effectively
- Monitoring/assessing performance of yourself, other individuals or organizations
- Using critical thinking skills
- Knowledge of customer and personal service
- Knowledge of information and techniques needed to treat human injuries, diseases, and deformities
- Knowledge of psychology.
- Knowledge of arithmetic, algebra and their applications
- Basic computer skills

Education & Training

Education: Most occupations in this zone require training in vocational schools, related on-the-job experience, or an associate's degree.

Training: Employees in these occupations usually need one or two years of training involving both on-the-job experience and informal training with experienced workers.

Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training (LPN, LVN, Certificate): A program that prepares individuals to assist in providing general nursing care under the direction of a registered nurse, physician or dentist. Includes instruction in taking patient vital signs, applying sterile dressings, patient health education and assistance with examinations and treatment.

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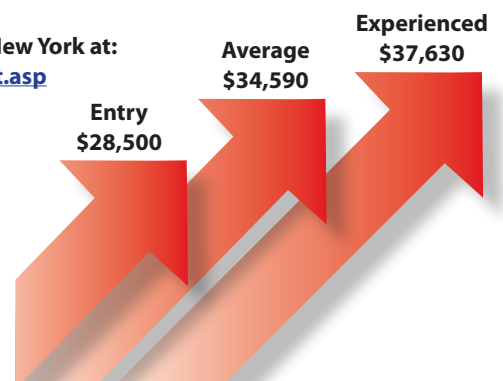
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29-2061 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses

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Registered Nurse

Career Zone

New York Department of Labor

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Job Description

Assess patient health problems and needs, develop and implement nursing care plans, and maintain medical records. Administer nursing care to ill, injured, convalescent, or disabled patients. May advise patients on health maintenance and disease prevention or provide case management. Licensing or registration required. Includes advance practice nurses such as: nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, certified nurse midwives, and certified registered nurse anesthetists. Advanced practice nursing is practiced by RNs who have specialized formal, post-basic education and who function in highly autonomous and specialized roles.

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- Teaching others how to do something
- Talking to others to convey information effectively
- Actively looking for ways to help people
- Knowledge of customer and personal service
- Knowledge of information and techniques needed to diagnose and treat human injuries, diseases and deformities.
- Knowledge of therapy and counseling, psychology, biology, and chemistry
- Knowledge of arithmetic, algebra, geometry, statistics, and their applications
- Basic computer skills

Education & Training

Education: Most occupations in this zone require training in vocational schools, or an associate's degree. Some may require a bachelor's degree.

Nursing/Registered Nurse

(RN, ASN, BSN, MSN): A program that generally prepares individuals in the knowledge, techniques and procedures for promoting health, providing care for sick, disabled, informed, or other individuals or groups. Includes instruction in the administration of medication and treatments, assisting a physician during treatments and examinations, referring patients to physicians and other health care specialists, and planning education for health maintenance.

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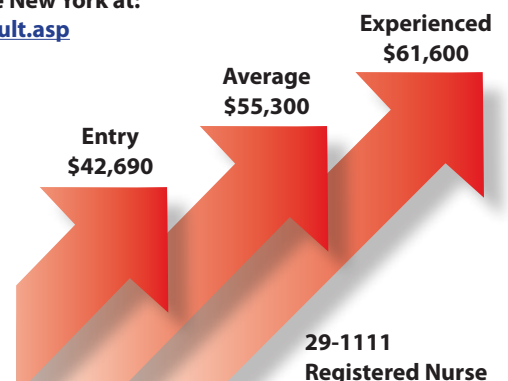
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