

2015-2016

EDUCATION SURVEY RESULTS

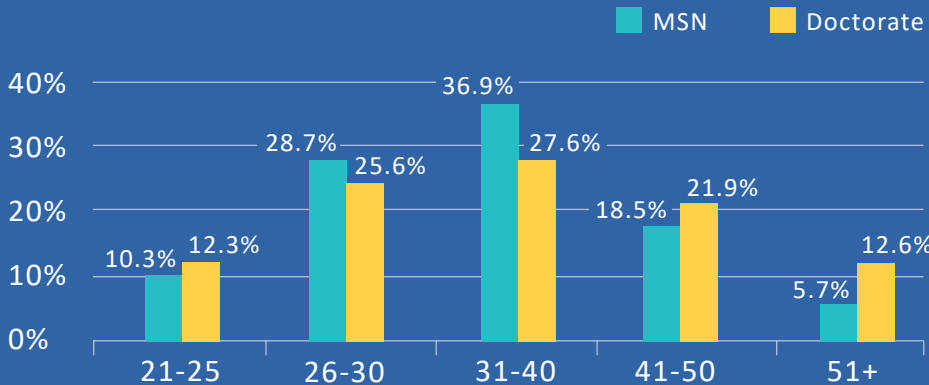
GRADUATE PROGRAMS

EACH YEAR the Florida Center for Nursing surveys nursing programs in the state to analyze trends in nursing education capacity and faculty supply and demand. The information below represents the key findings regarding the graduate nursing (Master's of Science in Nursing –MSN and Doctorate in Nursing –PhD or DNP) education system in Florida.

ELEVEN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND 11 PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES offer graduate degrees in nursing. Twenty-one universities offer MSN degrees, 14 offer doctorates (12 of which are DNP) and 14 offer graduate certificate programs.

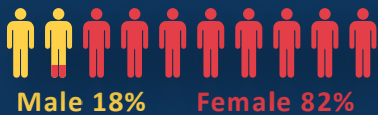
AGE OF NURSING STUDENTS

65.6% of MSN students and 53.2% of doctoral students are in the 26-40 age group.

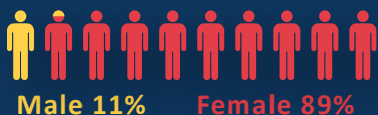


GENDER OF NURSING STUDENTS

MSN:

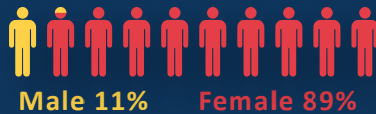


Doctorate:

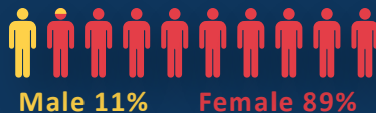


GENDER OF NURSING FACULTY

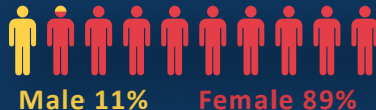
Statewide:



State Colleges/Universities:



Private Colleges/Universities:



Nursing students and faculty are predominately **FEMALE**



5,593

students enrolled in
GRADUATE
PROGRAMS



52%

of all enrollees are in
STATE COLLEGES
& UNIVERSITIES



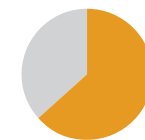
1,968

NURSES GRADUATED
from masters &
doctoral programs



971

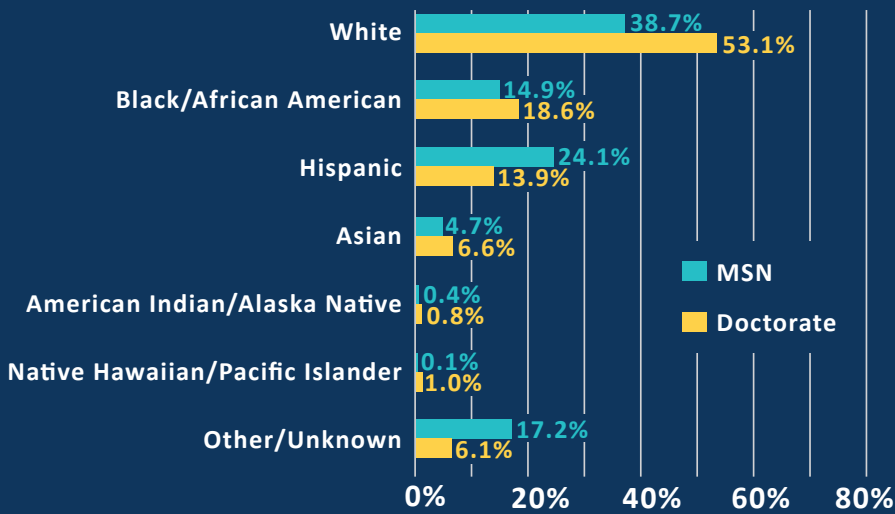
full-time and
part-time faculty are
at schools offering
GRADUATE NURSING
PROGRAMS



63.6%

of nurses who
reported they work in
an academic setting are
OVER THE AGE OF 50
(According to the 2014-
2015 nurse supply survey)

RACE/ETHNICITY OF NURSING STUDENTS



BARRIERS TO FACULTY RECRUITMENT

Graduate programs cite a non-competitive salary and a limited qualified applicant pool as the primary barriers to faculty recruitment.

Statewide

State Colleges & Universities

Private Colleges & Universities

Limited Qualified Applicant Pool

17 total (81.0%) : **8 total (80.0%)** : **9 total (81.8%)**

Salary Not Competitive

13 total (61.9%) : **8 total (80.0%)** : **5 total (45.5%)**

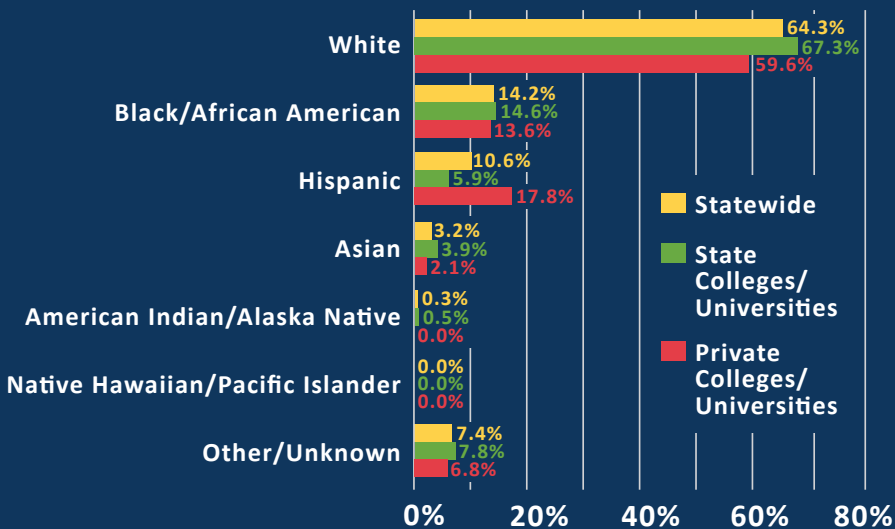
Cost of Living

3 total (14.3%) : **2 total (20.0%)** : **1 total (9.1%)**

Geographic Location

1 total (4.8%) : **1 total (10.0%)** : **0 total (0.0%)**

RACE/ETHNICITY OF NURSING FACULTY



BARRIERS MAXIMIZING PROGRAM CAPACITY

A lack of funds to hire faculty and a limited number of clinical sites for interactive learning experiences were the top two factors that prevented the admission of more students in post-licensure programs.



Lack of Funds to Hire Faculty



Limited Clinical Sites



Lack of Qualified Faculty Applicants



Lack of Campus Resources



Lack of Qualified Student Applicants

	MSN	Doctorate
Lack of Funds to Hire Faculty	10 total (47.6%)	7 total (50.0%)
Limited Clinical Sites	9 total (42.9%)	7 total (50.0%)
Lack of Qualified Faculty Applicants	6 total (28.6%)	4 total (28.6%)
Lack of Campus Resources	5 total (23.8%)	3 total (21.4%)
Lack of Qualified Student Applicants	2 total (9.5%)	5 total (35.7%)