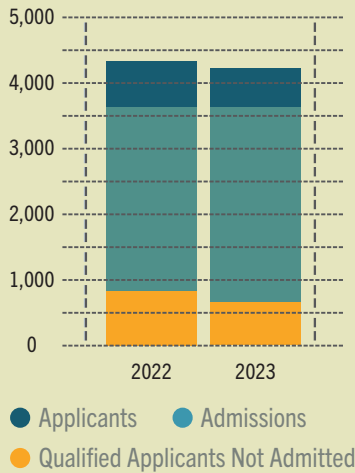




2023 SNAPSHOT OF NURSING EDUCATION CAPACITY AND NURSING SUPPLY IN LOUISIANA

PRE-RN EDUCATION CAPACITY

APPLICANTS & ADMISSIONS TO PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LA (2022-2023)



Reasons Why Qualified Applicants Are Not Admitted to Pre-RN Licensure Programs in Louisiana

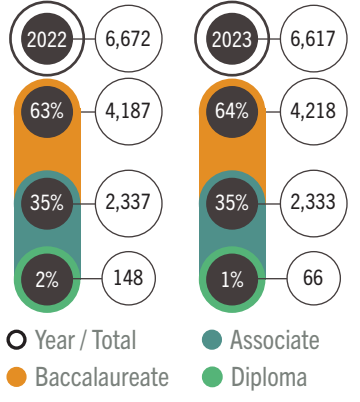
- #1** Qualified Faculty Not Available
- #2** Budgeted Faculty Positions Not Available
- #3** Faculty Salary Not Competitive
- #4** Classroom Space Not Available

47%
OF THE NURSE FACULTY IN LOUISIANA WERE 51 AND OLDER

179 (20%) FACULTY
CURRENTLY TEACHING IN LOUISIANA'S PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS ARE 61+ YEARS.

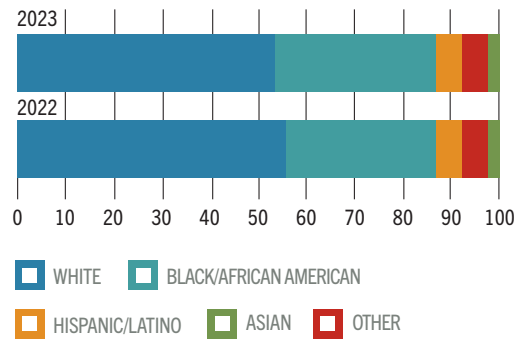
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PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS ENROLLMENT IN LA (2022-2023)

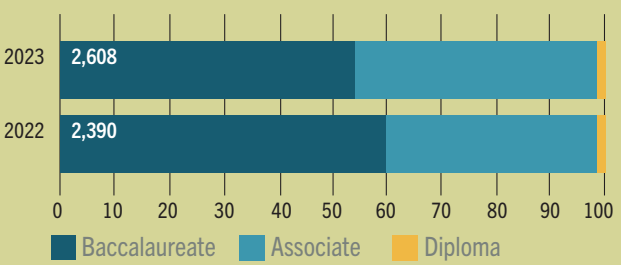


47%
OF THE STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LOUISIANA WERE MINORITIES

RACIAL DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LA (2022-2023)



GRADUATES OF PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LA ACCORDING TO PROGRAM TYPE (2022-2023)

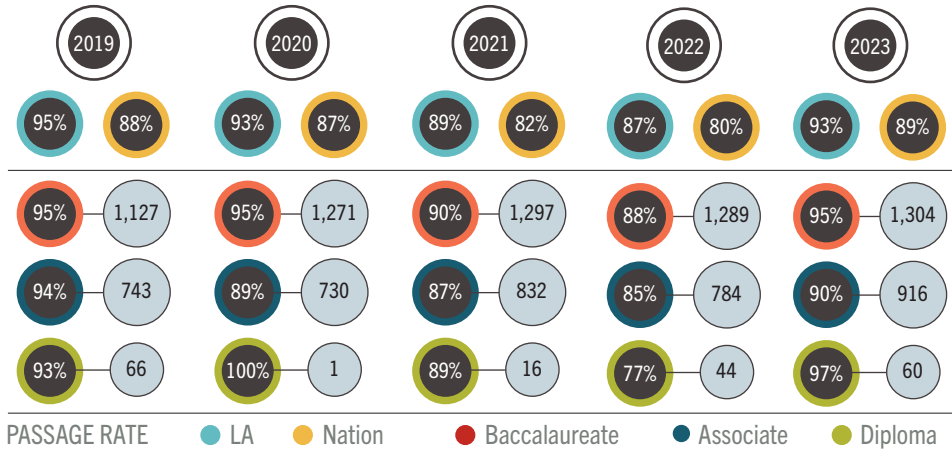


89%

11%

GENDER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LA

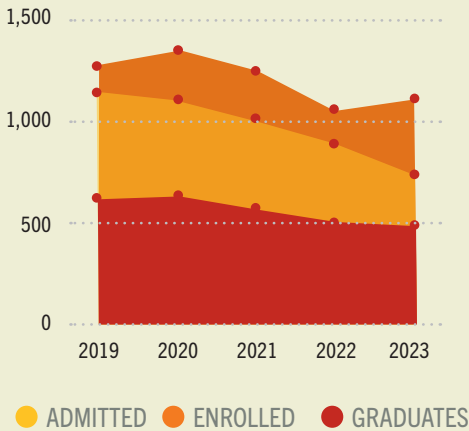
SUMMARY PERFORMANCE OF FIRST-TIME CANDIDATES GRADUATING FROM PRE-RN LICENSURE PROGRAMS IN LA ON NCLEX-RN (2019-2023)



The passage rate on the NCLEX-RN for graduates from Louisiana's pre-RN licensure programs continues to exceed that of the nation.

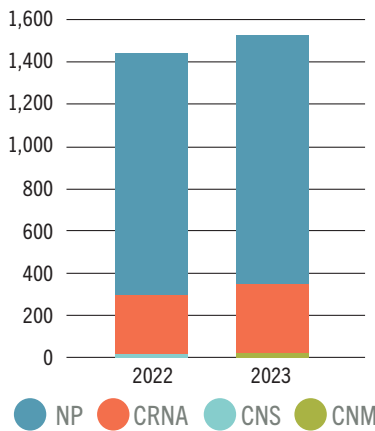
RN TO BSN EDUCATION CAPACITY

RN TO BSN PROGRESSION IN LOUISIANA'S SCHOOLS OF NURSING

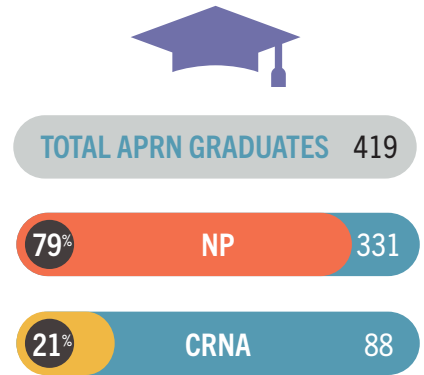


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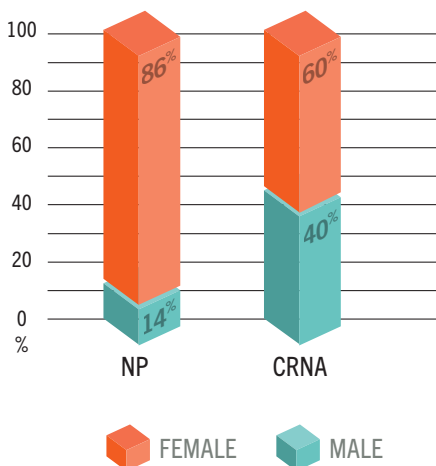
ENROLLMENT IN APRN PROGRAMS IN LA ACCORDING TO ROLE (2022-2023)



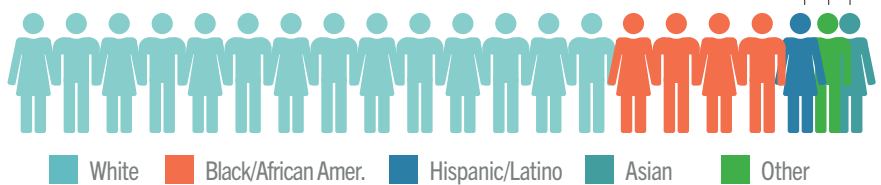
GRADUATES FROM APRN PROGRAMS IN LOUISIANA ACCORDING TO PROGRAM TYPE 2023



GENDER OF GRADUATES FROM APRN PROGRAMS IN LA (2023)



69% RACIAL DISTRIBUTION OF GRADUATES FROM APRN PROGRAMS IN LA



23%
78 Graduate Nurse Faculty were 61+ years old

PERFORMANCE OF APRN GRADUATES ON CERTIFICATION EXAMS

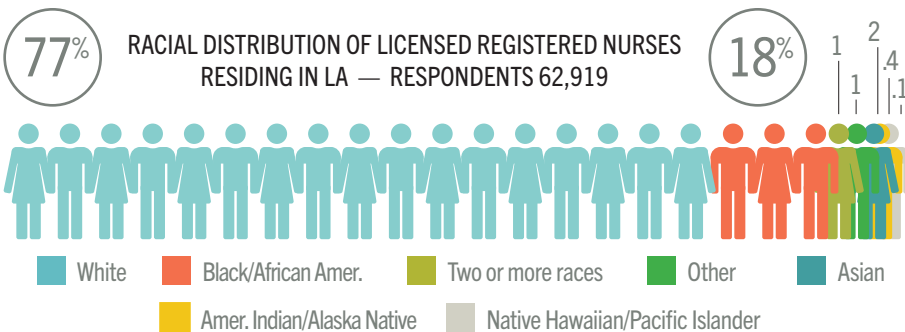
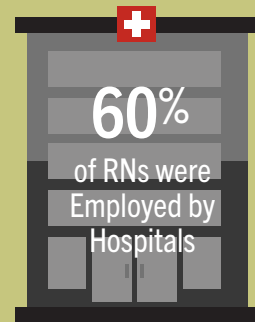
In 2023 three hundred and forty seven (305) candidates successfully passed their certification exams resulting in a 95.31% passage rate for the state.



(62,923) of the 66,594 RNs with an active license to practice in Louisiana resided in Louisiana.

16% (10,233) OF LICENSED RNs RESIDING IN LA WERE **60+** YEARS OLD

GENDER DISTRIBUTION OF LICENSED REGISTERED NURSES RESIDING IN LA



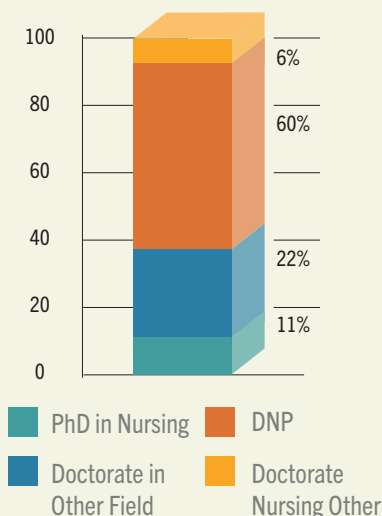
Top Six Primary Employment Specialty Practice Areas Reported by RNs Residing in LA (2023)

SPECIALTY AREA	Count	Percentage
Acute Care / Critical Care	6,410	12%
Other—Clinical Specialties	5,649	10%
Medical-Surgical	5,519	10%
Adult Health / Adult Family	4,620	8%
Emergency Room / Trauma	4,117	7%
OR / PACU / Perioperative	3,960	7%

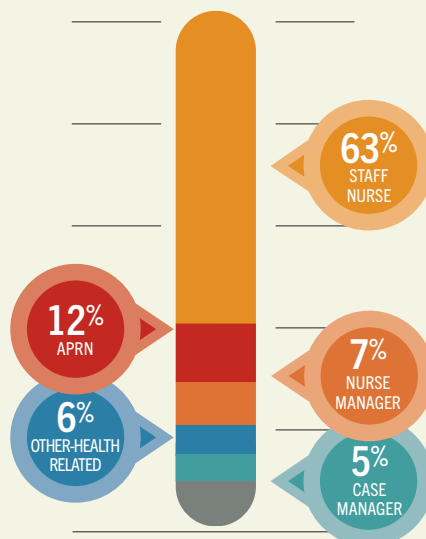
3% Percentage of Licensed RNs in LA that are of Hispanic Origin

63% 39,452 of all licensed RNs residing in LA in 2023 had a baccalaureate or higher degree in nursing

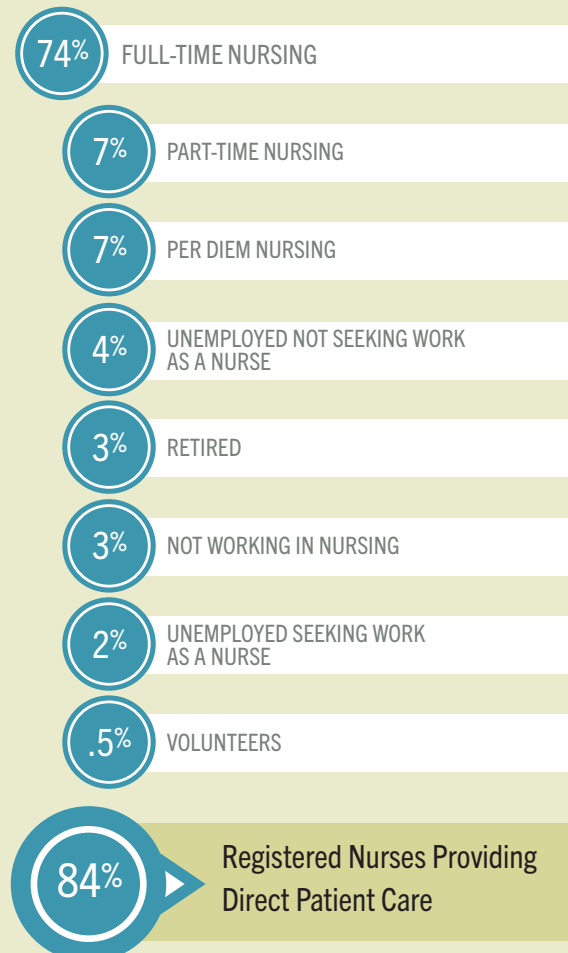
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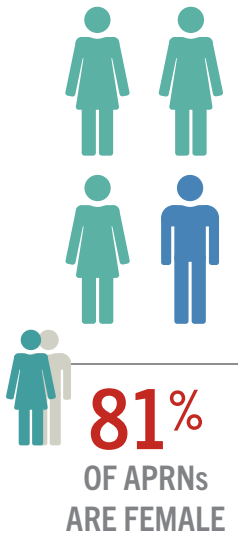
EMPLOYMENT DISTRIBUTION OF LICENSED RNs RESIDING IN LA



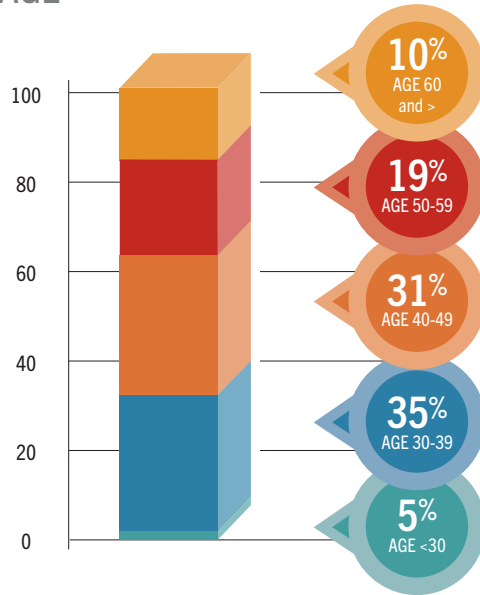


(7,955) of the 9,670 licensed APRNs reported LA as their State of Residence

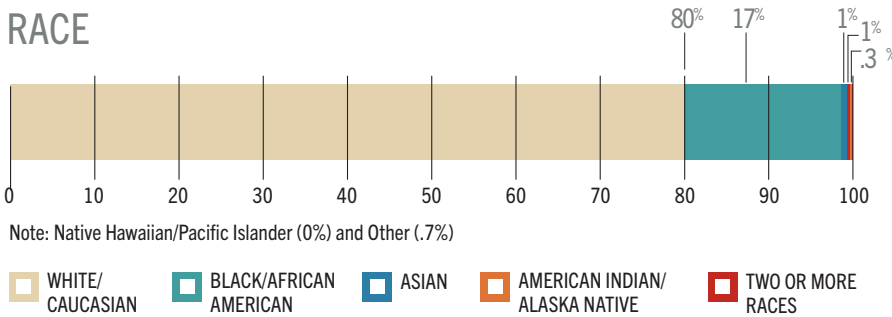
GENDER



AGE



RACE



EMPLOYMENT



36% of Licensed APRNs in LA worked in Hospitals and **31%** worked in Ambulatory Care/Clinics

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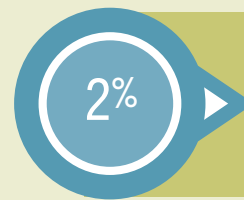
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Top Six Primary Employment Specialty Practice Areas Reported by APRNs Residing in LA (2023)

SPECIALTY AREA

Adult Health / Adult Family	2,419	32%
Anesthesia	1,432	19%
Other - Clinical Specialties	811	11%
Psych-Mental Health/ Substance Abuse	495	6%
Pediatrics	370	5%
Acute Care / Critical Care	297	4%



PERCENTAGE OF APRNs RESIDING IN LA THAT ARE OF HISPANIC ORIGIN.

PRIMARY ROLE AS AN ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE RESIDING IN LA

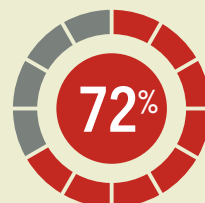
TOTAL APRNs 7,599

79% CNP 5,992

19% CRNA 1,449

1% CNS 95

1% CNM 63



5,705 of APRNs Residing in LA have Prescriptive Authority