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CELEBRATES NURSES MONTH

The American Nurses Association is celebrating National Nurses Week May 6 - May 12, 2024 and all throughout May. This year's theme, "Nurses Make the Difference," honors the incredible nurses who embody the spirit of compassion and care in every health care setting.

NURSES
make the
Difference



Considering a Career In Nursing?

Nursing is the nation's largest healthcare profession, with nearly 4.7 million registered nurses (RNs) nationwide. Of all licensed RNs, 89% are employed in nursing.^{1a}

Nurses comprise the largest component of the healthcare workforce, are the primary providers of hospital patient care, and deliver most of the nation's long-term care.

Registered Nurses comprise one of the largest segments of the U.S. workforce as a whole and are among the highest paying large occupations. Nearly 55% of RNs worked in general medical and surgical hospitals, with an average salary of \$77,600 per year according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics.²

The federal government projects that more than 203,000 new registered nurse positions will be created each year from 2021-2031.²

SOURCES

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The Family Security Plan® offers a variety of insurance products that let you focus on recovery instead of medical bills.

Think About . . . Hospital Sickness Insurance

\$2,883 Average hospital cost per day, throughout the United States

~ Typical US Hospital Stay Costs 384 Hours of Work With Average Earnings, October 2023

Think About . . . Critical Illness Insurance

The number of cancer survivors is projected to increase by **24.4%** by 2032.

~ American Cancer Society. Cancer Treatment & Survivorship Facts & Figures 2022-2024.