

Nursing Education Programs

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Introduction





House Bill 1507 required the Board of Governors to provide trend information on pre-licensure nursing education programs

Overview of Programs





10 institutions offer 38 nursing programs

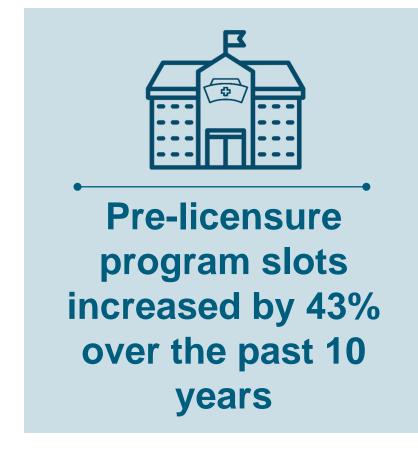
20 of these programs are at the pre-licensure level

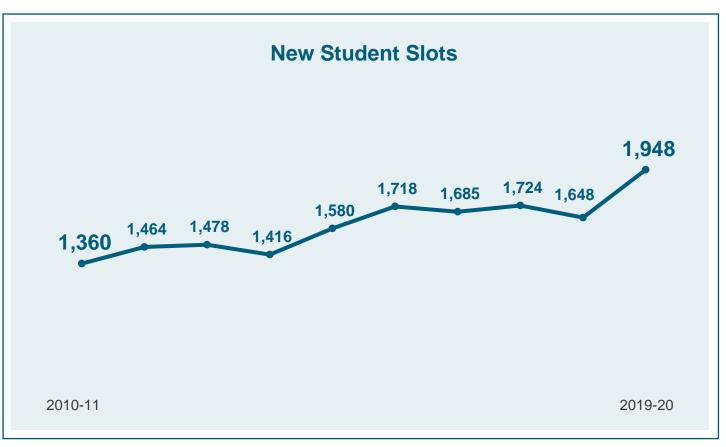
Degree Level and Program	FAMU	FAU	FGCU	FIU	FSU	UCF	UF	UNF	USF	UWF	Tota
Bachelor's											
Registered Nursing	✓	~	*	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	10
Master's											
Adult Health Nursing				~							1
Family Practice Nursing				~						~	2
Nurse Anesthetist					~				~		2
Pediatric Nursing				~							1
Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing				~							1
Registered Nursing	~	~	~	~		~			~	~	7
Doctorate											
Nurse Anesthetist								~			1
Nursing Practice		~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~		8
Nursing Science		~		~		~	~		~		5
TOTAL	2	4	3	8	3	4	3	3	5	3	38

Source: Florida Board of Governors staff analysis of SUDS data based on 2020-21 degree data.

Pre-Licensure Program Slots







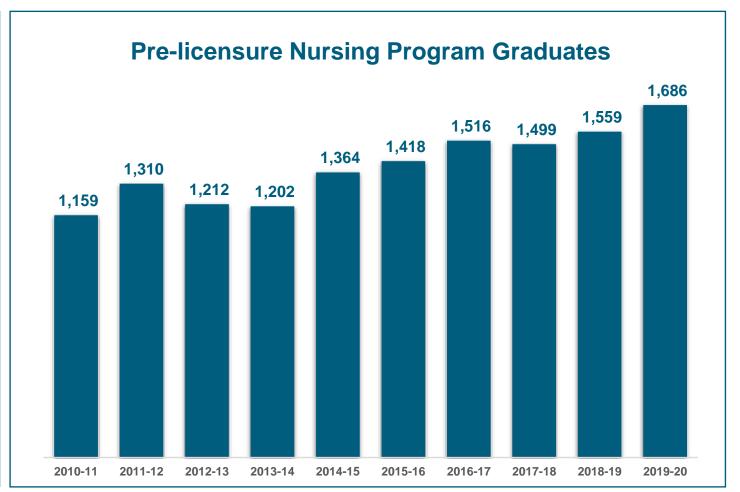
Source: Florida Board of Governors staff analysis of university survey responses, fall 2021.

Pre-Licensure Nursing Graduates





The number of nursing graduates has increased by 45% over the past 10 years



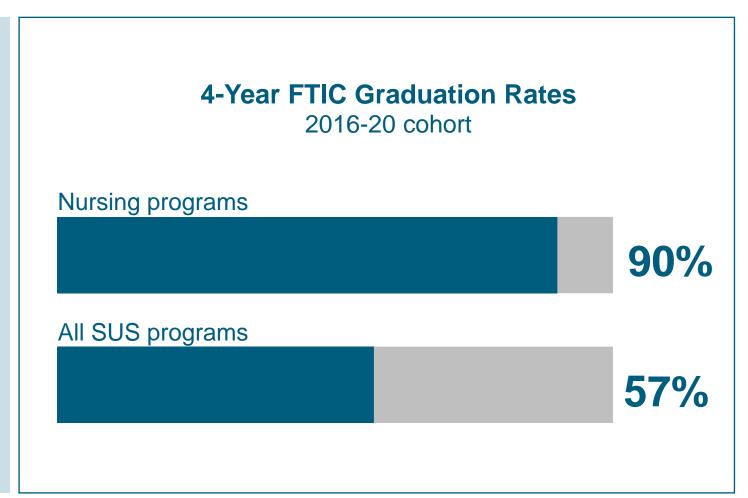
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BSN Program Graduation Rates





4-year nursing graduation rates exceed the overall graduation rates



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Licensure Passage Rates

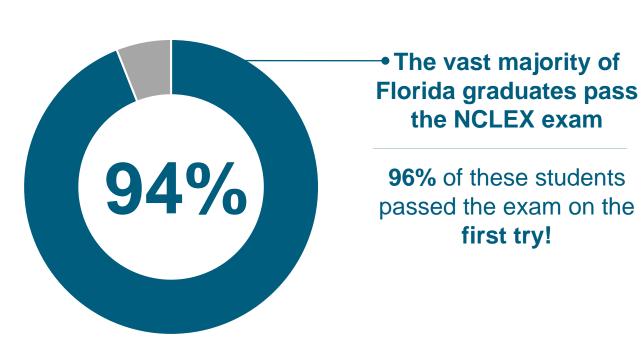




Nursing program graduates have high NCLEX passage rates

Florida graduates exceed the national average of 90%

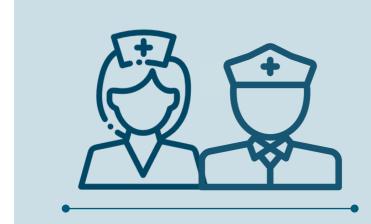




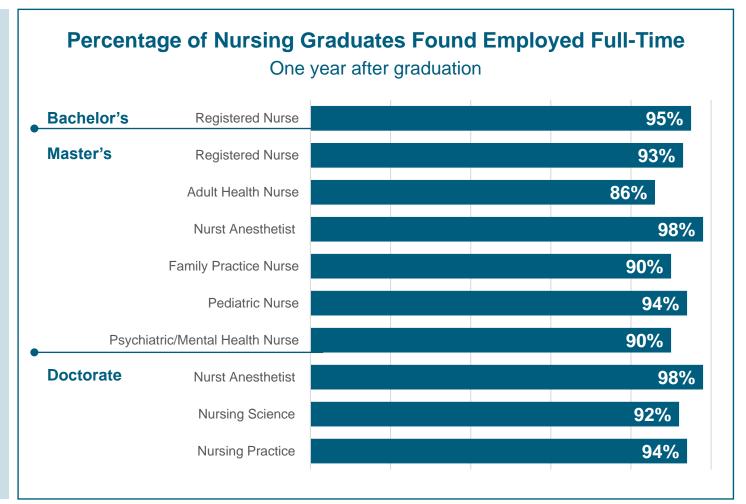
Source: Florida Board of Governors staff analysis of data provided by National Council of State Boards of Nursing, October 2021.

Nursing Graduate Employment Rates





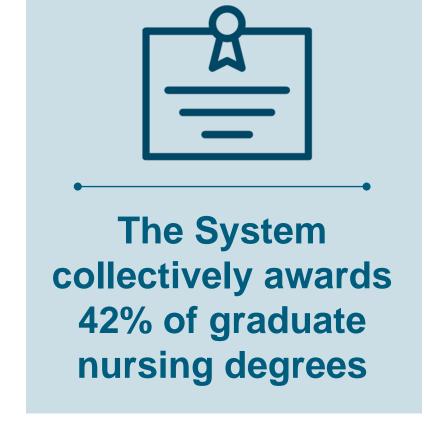
Across all nursing fields, System graduates are employed at high rates

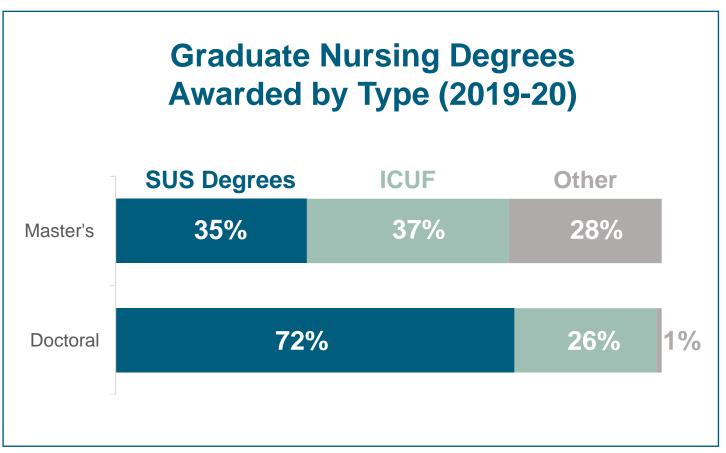


Source: Data provided by the Florida Board of Governors Office of Data Analytics on 12-5-21 using the MyFloridaFuture data set.

Graduate Nursing Degrees Awarded







Source: Florida Board of Governors staff analysis of 2019-20 IPEDS data.

Nursing Bachelor's Graduate Earnings





Nursing bachelor's graduates earn higher wages



Source: Florida Board of Governors, MyFloridaFuture tool, January 2022.

Key Takeaways





The State University System offers high-quality nursing programs that produce successful graduates



The System's highquality BSN programs offer a pathway to create new nurses for the state



System nursing graduates have high graduation rates & NCLEX exam passage rates



Graduates are employed at high rates in all nursing fields, helping to fulfill workforce shortages across the state

