

Educational Programs

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Minimum educational qualifications for RN-baccalaureate degree program administrators are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).	25
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If yes, how many online LPN/VN, ADN, BSN entry-level nursing education programs (#)?-Total	38
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Board is responsible for the approval / accreditation of educational programs (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	55
No	NEW YORK, MISSISSIPPI	2

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Basic RN educational programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	53
Basic PN/VN educational programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	53
RN-baccalaureate completion programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING	17
Non-degree (certificate) programs for advanced RN practice	CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, HAWAII, UTAH, IOWA, KENTUCKY, ARIZONA	7
Graduate programs in nursing	VERMONT, PENNSYLVANIA, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA	16
Continuing education programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA	20
Direct entry master's programs	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA	29

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AP programs	CALIFORNIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, ARIZONA	10

The Board has the authority for (check all that apply).		Response Total
New programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	57
Existing programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	57
Program modifications	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	53
Program closure	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	54

Length of time for initial approval for new program (# of years)		Response Total
1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WYOMING	5
1 to 4	KANSAS	1
1 Year from application to opening	KENTUCKY	1
1-4 years (depends on the type of program)	OHIO	1
1.5	DELAWARE	1

2	NEW JERSEY	1
2 (1 year to place 1st application, 1 year to place second application)	COLORADO	1
2 to 3 years	GEORGIA-RN	1
2 years	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
2 years or until the first class has written licensure exam	LOUISIANA-PN	1
2 yrs (minimum); 6 yrs maximum	MICHIGAN	1
2-3 years	MONTANA	1
2-4 years until 1st class graduates	NEW MEXICO	1
2-4 years. Until graduation of first class	OREGON	1
3	OKLAHOMA	1
3 years (depending on program type) - On initial approval for time needed to complete full implementation of the curriculum	NORTH CAROLINA	1
3 years from the first graduating class	UTAH	1
4	CALIFORNIA-VN, NEBRASKA	2
5	LOUISIANA-RN	1
5 years	MARYLAND, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
6	IOWA	1
6- neither the law nor regulations specifically state a number.	MAINE	1
8	VIRGINIA	1
90 days from time application is deemed complete	FLORIDA	1
A nursing education program must make application for full approval within 6 months following the taking of NCLEX by first graduating class	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
about 6 months to 1 year	ILLINOIS	1
Contingent upon proposal and subsequent compliance review after first class graduates	PENNSYLVANIA	1
dependent upon when first class graduates and program earns national accreditation	NEVADA	1

Initial approval remains in effect until the results of the 1st licensing exam for program graduates is available	CONNECTICUT	1
length of one program	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
more than 5 years	VERMONT	1
Must apply for full approval within 2 years of first graduating class	ARIZONA	1
n/a	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
No initial approval, just approval	MINNESOTA	1
no specific #	INDIANA	1
not specified in regulations	MASSACHUSETTS	1
One year	NORTH DAKOTA	1
Ongoing providing annual report approved	HAWAII	1
Provisional approval until first class exam results are reviewed	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
Provisional until 1st class has graduated	ALASKA	1
until first class graduates	TENNESSEE	1
up to 8	IDAHO	1
Up to 3 years - usually about 1 year	GEORGIA-PN	1
variable 1-3 depends on school & type of program	WASHINGTON	1
varies with type of program; full approval not granted until first class graduates and licensure exam results are known.	MISSOURI	1
Varies. Full approval is considered after 2 NCLEX examinations	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1
Varies; first graduates have to take NCLEX first- provisional approval until that occurs	ALABAMA	1
vn = 1 yr; rn = 2 yrs	TEXAS	1

Length of time for continuing approval (# of years)		Response Total
1 year	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, ALASKA	9
2 years	AMERICAN SAMOA, TEXAS	2
3 years	PENNSYLVANIA, ARKANSAS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	3
4 years	CALIFORNIA-VN, NEVADA	2
5 years	MARYLAND, MISSOURI, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	8

More than 5 years	MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, WYOMING	16
Variable length	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, MONTANA	15

The following fees are charged during the approval process (check all that apply):		Response Total
Initial site visit	MISSOURI, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, MONTANA	20
Renewal site visit	NEW JERSEY, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA	9
Annual site visit	VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-PN	2
Paper review	NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, NEVADA	11

Approval/accreditation is subject to an annual review (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	41
No	MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, VIRGINIA, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	16

For unconditional good standing, basic education programs are required to meet a criterion percent of first time writers who pass NCLEX (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	49
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, MAINE, WISCONSIN, VIRGIN ISLANDS	8

If Yes, the NCLEX criterion is the national pass rate (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, GUAM, MONTANA	13

No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	36
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The NCLEX criterion is the (#) percent of national pass rate or (#) percent of program graduates passing NCLEX. Please give the percent.-(#) percent of national pass rate		Response Total
95%	OHIO	1
N/A	MISSOURI	1
The NCLEX criterion is the (#) percent of national pass rate or (#) percent of program graduates passing NCLEX. Please give the percent.-(#) percent of program graduates passing NCLEX		Response Total
70	NEW JERSEY	1
75	WYOMING	1
75%	ILLINOIS, KANSAS, COLORADO, ARIZONA	4
75% First Time Writers	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
80	DELAWARE, VIRGINIA	2
80%	MASSACHUSETTS, MISSOURI, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, IDAHO, NEVADA	8
80% for both PN/VN and RN	TEXAS	1
80% of first time writers	ALABAMA	1
80% or more	PENNSYLVANIA	1
85%	MICHIGAN, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE	3
85% first time testers averaged over 2-year period	OREGON	1
Above 75%	MINNESOTA	1
The NCLEX criterion is the (#) percent of national pass rate or (#) percent of program graduates passing NCLEX. Please give the percent.-Other		Response Total
80% FIRST TIME WRITERS	GEORGIA-RN	1
80% of first time writers	LOUISIANA-PN	1
95% of national average	IOWA	1
Changes yearly	MARYLAND	1
Deficient NCLEX pass rate means, "annual pass rate of 1st time takers on the NCLEX that is more than 5% below the annual national pass rate."	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
first time takers must pass at 80%	NEVADA	1
The program shall maintain a minimum pass rate of 75% for first-time examination candidates.	ARKANSAS	1
Within ten percentage points of national pass rate	OKLAHOMA	1

The Board has established a minimum number of hours for theory courses in PN/VN Certificate/diploma programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, COLORADO	16
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	37
DNA	CALIFORNIA-RN, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, MISSISSIPPI	6

If Yes, number of hours - credit hours		Response Total
1500 hours total	PENNSYLVANIA	1
25	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
A total of 42 quarter units or 28 semester units including biological, applied, social, and behavioral sciences and humanities: minimum of 18 quarter units or 12 semester units and Practical nursing: minimum of 24 quarter units or 16 semester units of which no less than 12 quarter units or eight semester units shall be clinical practicum..	OREGON	1
minimum of 30 semester hours'	HAWAII	1
If Yes, number of hours - clock hours		Response Total
1,500	CONNECTICUT	1
1080 total; 945 allocated to nursing, of which 540 (minimum) must be clinical	MASSACHUSETTS	1
1320 hours	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
300	COLORADO	1
375	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
550	TENNESSEE	1
558	TEXAS	1
576	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
600	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
650	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
700	LOUISIANA-PN	1
recommended 60% clinical and 40% theory	PENNSYLVANIA	1

The Board has established a minimum number of hours for theory courses in PN/VN Associate degree programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	VERMONT, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	10
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	37
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI	12

If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) credit hours		Response Total
1500 hours total	PENNSYLVANIA	1
700	GEORGIA-PN	1
minimum of 18 semester hrs.	HAWAII	1
Same as above	OREGON	1
If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) clock hours		Response Total
1,500	CONNECTICUT	1
300	COLORADO	1
650	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
recommended 60 clinical/40 theory	PENNSYLVANIA	1

The Board has established a minimum number of hours for theory courses in RN Diploma granting programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, CONNECTICUT, GUAM, COLORADO	5
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	39
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, NORTH DAKOTA, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, ALASKA	15

If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) credit hours		Response Total
120 semester hours	HAWAII	1
If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) clock hours		Response Total
1080	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
450	COLORADO	1

Equivalent to 4 fifteen week academic semesters and contain a minimum of 35 semester hours of credit	CONNECTICUT	1
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The Board has established a minimum number of hours for theory courses in RN Associate degree programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, HAWAII, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	8
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46
DNA	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI	5

If Yes, number of hours -credit hours		Response Total
18 semester / 27 Quarter Units	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
36	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
64 hrs.	HAWAII	1
The course content and clinical experience required shall be a minimum of 84 quarter units or 56 semester units including physical, biological, social and behavioral sciences and humanities: minimum of 36 quarter units or 24 semester units; and Nursing: minimum of 48 quarter units or 32 semester units of which no less than 24 quarter units or 16 semester units shall be clinical experience.	OREGON	1
If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) clock hours		Response Total
450	COLORADO	1
540	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
Equivalent to 4 fifteen week academic semesters and contain a minimum of 35 semester hours of credit	CONNECTICUT	1

The Board has established a minimum number of hours for theory courses in RN Baccalaureate programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, HAWAII, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	7
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI	6

If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) credit hours		Response Total
18 semester / 27 Quarter Units	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
72	HAWAII	1
Same as above	OREGON	1
If Yes, number of hours (#)-(#) clock hours		Response Total
450	COLORADO	1
Equivalent to 4 fifteen week academic semesters and contain a minimum of 35 semester hours of credit	CONNECTICUT	1

The Board has established a minimum number of clinical experience hours for PN/VN Certificate/diploma programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, COLORADO	17
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	35
DNA	CALIFORNIA-RN, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, MISSISSIPPI, ALASKA	7

If Yes, number of clinical hours (#)		Response Total
12	HAWAII	1
200	DELAWARE	1
400	VIRGINIA, COLORADO	2
430	TENNESSEE	1
540 clinical hours	MASSACHUSETTS	1
60% of total 1500	PENNSYLVANIA	1
650	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
660 hours	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
750	CONNECTICUT	1
765	AMERICAN SAMOA	1

800 clock hours	LOUISIANA-PN	1
840	TEXAS	1
954	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
No less than 12 quarter or eight semester units	OREGON	1

The Board has established a minimum number of clinical experience hours for PN/VN Associate degree programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	9
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	37
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, ALASKA	13

If Yes, number of clinical hours (#)		Response Total
400	VIRGINIA, COLORADO	2
650	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
700	GEORGIA-PN	1
750	CONNECTICUT	1
minimum of 26 semester hours	HAWAII	1
Same as above	OREGON	1

The Board has established a minimum number of clinical experience hours for RN Diploma granting programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	DELAWARE, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, GUAM, COLORADO	5
No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	34
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, NORTH DAKOTA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, ALASKA	18

If Yes, number of clinical hours (#)		Response Total
400	DELAWARE	1
500	VIRGINIA	1
750	COLORADO	1
Fifty percent of program contact hours must be in supervised direct client care, observational, simulated or laboratory experiences.	CONNECTICUT	1
minimum of 26 semester hours	HAWAII	1
Oregon has no diploma programs	OREGON	1

The Board has established a minimum number of clinical experience hours for RN Associate degree programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	11
No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43
DNA	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI	5

If Yes, number of clinical hours (#)		Response Total
160	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	1
18 semester / 27 Quarter Units	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
400	DELAWARE	1
500	VIRGINIA	1
750	COLORADO	1
900	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
Fifty percent of program contact hours must be in supervised direct client care, observational, simulated or laboratory experiences.	CONNECTICUT	1
Minimum of 26 semester hrs.	HAWAII	1
No less than 24 quarter units or 16 semester units	OREGON	1

The Board has established a minimum number of clinical experience hours for RN Baccalaureate programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, DELAWARE, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, GUAM, COLORADO	10

No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI	6

If Yes, number of clinical hours (#)		Response Total
160	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	1
18 semester / 27 Quarter Units	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
400	DELAWARE	1
500	VIRGINIA	1
750	COLORADO	1
Fifty percent of program contact hours must be in supervised direct client care, observational, simulated or laboratory experiences.	CONNECTICUT	1
minimum of 48 semester hours	HAWAII	1
Same as above	OREGON	1

The Board of Nursing is recognized/approved as an accrediting agency by the United States Department of Education (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, VIRGINIA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS	9
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46

Approval/accreditation is automatically granted without onsite visit to basic nursing education programs that meet national accreditation agency standards (i.e., NLNAC or CCNE) (yes/no/under certain conditions).		Response Total
Yes	SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, WYOMING	4
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	42
Under certain conditions	MASSACHUSETTS, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, TEXAS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, CONNECTICUT, IDAHO, NEVADA	11

The Board has the authority to intervene when a problem is identified during the accreditation process (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	44
No	MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, NEVADA	10
board provides input to the department of education	NEW YORK	1
The Board must inform the program of the problem and give "reasonable" time to correct	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Board of Nursing collaborates/coordinates with other educational program approval/accreditation bodies for on-site visits (always, sometimes, rarely, never).		Response Total
Always	MARYLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, KANSAS, ARIZONA, MONTANA	7
Sometimes	NEW YORK, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	31
Rarely	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, TEXAS, INDIANA, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS	9
Never	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, MAINE, FLORIDA, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI	11

In lieu of on-site-visits Board of Nursing accepts the following (check all that apply).		Response Total
Reports prepared by educational programs	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA	36
Reports prepared by on-site visitors regarding findings	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA	29

Basic PN/VN programs (#):-(# PN/VN Certification/diploma granting		Response Total
0	GEORGIA-PN, INDIANA, MONTANA	3
1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NORTH DAKOTA, GUAM, ALASKA	7

125	FLORIDA	1
14	NEBRASKA	1
15	MINNESOTA	1
17	WISCONSIN	1
19	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
198	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
2	NEW MEXICO, MAINE	2
20	TENNESSEE	1
22	WASHINGTON	1
23	WEST VIRGINIA-PN, KANSAS	2
24	ALABAMA, COLORADO	2
27	MASSACHUSETTS, ARIZONA	2
28	OKLAHOMA, ARKANSAS, MISSISSIPPI	3
29	NEW JERSEY	1
3	VIRGIN ISLANDS, NEVADA	2
32	MICHIGAN, IOWA	2
35	KENTUCKY	1
4	HAWAII, SOUTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	3
43	NORTH CAROLINA	1
47	MISSOURI, ILLINOIS	2
5	DELAWARE, NEW HAMPSHIRE	2
52	LOUISIANA-PN	1
56	PENNSYLVANIA	1
6	IDAHO, WYOMING	2
71	VIRGINIA	1
72	OHIO	1
8	UTAH, OREGON	2
89	NEW YORK	1
97	TEXAS	1
Basic PN/VN programs (#):-(# PN/VN Associate degree granting		Response Total
0	NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, HAWAII, TEXAS, IOWA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA	19
1	SOUTH DAKOTA, IDAHO	2
10	NEW MEXICO	1
15	MARYLAND	1
2	PENNSYLVANIA, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	2
28	GEORGIA-PN	1
3	OKLAHOMA	1
5	NORTH DAKOTA, MONTANA	2
59	INDIANA	1
6	OREGON	1
9	MINNESOTA	1
Basic PN/VN programs (#):-Total		Response Total
1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, VERMONT, ALASKA	3
12	NEW MEXICO	1

125	FLORIDA	1
14	NEBRASKA, OREGON	2
19	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
2	MAINE	1
20	TENNESSEE	1
22	WASHINGTON	1
23	KANSAS	1
24	MINNESOTA, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, ALABAMA, COLORADO	4
27	MASSACHUSETTS, ARIZONA	2
28	GEORGIA-PN, ARKANSAS, MISSISSIPPI	3
3	NEVADA	1
31	OKLAHOMA	1
32	MICHIGAN, IOWA	2
35	KENTUCKY	1
4	HAWAII, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	2
43	NORTH CAROLINA	1
47	MISSOURI, ILLINOIS	2
5	DELAWARE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, MONTANA	4
58	PENNSYLVANIA	1
59	INDIANA	1
6	NORTH DAKOTA, WYOMING	2
7	IDAHO	1
71	VIRGINIA	1
72	OHIO	1
8	UTAH	1
89	NEW YORK	1
97	TEXAS	1

Basic RN programs (#):-(#) RN Diploma granting		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	29
1	NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, LOUISIANA-RN, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS	9
11	NEW JERSEY	1
19	PENNSYLVANIA	1
2	NORTH CAROLINA, ARKANSAS	2
6	VIRGINIA	1
8	OHIO	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) RN Associate degree granting		Response Total
1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, ALASKA	6
10	LOUISIANA-RN, NEVADA	2
106	FLORIDA	1
12	MARYLAND	1

13	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
14	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
15	NEW JERSEY, ARKANSAS	2
16	MISSISSIPPI, OREGON	2
19	GEORGIA-RN, WISCONSIN, TENNESSEE	3
2	NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	2
20	MASSACHUSETTS	1
21	OKLAHOMA, NEW MEXICO	2
23	ALABAMA, ARIZONA	2
24	MINNESOTA, KANSAS, COLORADO	3
27	PENNSYLVANIA	1
29	WASHINGTON	1
3	DELAWARE, VERMONT	2
30	IOWA	1
34	INDIANA	1
35	MISSOURI	1
36	MICHIGAN	1
38	KENTUCKY	1
4	HAWAII, SOUTH DAKOTA	2
45	VIRGINIA	1
48	ILLINOIS	1
53	OHIO	1
59	NORTH CAROLINA	1
66	NEW YORK, TEXAS	2
7	UTAH, WYOMING, MONTANA	3
8	MAINE, NEBRASKA, IDAHO	3
86	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
9	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) RN Baccalaureate degree granting		Response Total
1	VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA	4
10	COLORADO	1
11	NEW JERSEY	1
12	ARKANSAS, NEBRASKA	2
13	OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN	2
14	SOUTH CAROLINA, WISCONSIN, IOWA, KENTUCKY	4
15	ALABAMA	1
16	KANSAS	1
17	MINNESOTA	1
19	MICHIGAN, NORTH CAROLINA	2
2	VERMONT, MONTANA	2
20	MASSACHUSETTS, GEORGIA-RN	2
23	MISSOURI, INDIANA	2
26	TENNESSEE	1
29	ILLINOIS	1
3	DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, HAWAII	3
30	VIRGINIA	1
31	FLORIDA	1

35	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
36	PENNSYLVANIA	1
38	OHIO, TEXAS	2
4	NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IDAHO	4
5	UTAH, MAINE, NEVADA	3
56	NEW YORK	1
6	SOUTH DAKOTA, OREGON	2
7	MISSISSIPPI, ARIZONA	2
8	MARYLAND, NORTH DAKOTA	2
9	WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON	2
Basic RN programs (#):-(# RN Other basic RN programs, (DN, generic masters, etc.)		Response Total
0	NEW YORK, DELAWARE, OKLAHOMA, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	20
1	VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, MAINE, WISCONSIN, NEBRASKA, OREGON	8
19	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
2	MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEVADA	5
3	WASHINGTON	1
4	GEORGIA-RN	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(# RN Baccalaureate completion programs (count only those in institutions not offering generic BSN programs)		Response Total
0	MISSOURI, OHIO, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, TEXAS, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA	12
1	MARYLAND, DELAWARE, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING	8
2	VERMONT, UTAH, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEBRASKA, IDAHO	6
3	NORTH CAROLINA, MONTANA	2
4	NEW YORK, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, TENNESSEE	4
5	IOWA	1
6	NEW JERSEY	1
7	OKLAHOMA	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(# Non-degree (certificate) programs for advanced RN practice		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, MONTANA	20
10	KANSAS	1
2	NEVADA	1
3	UTAH	1
31	NEW YORK	1
4	WEST VIRGINIA-RN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	2
45	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
5	WASHINGTON, ARIZONA	2
Basic RN programs (#):-(# BS to BSN programs		Response Total
0	MISSOURI, OHIO, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, IOWA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALASKA, MONTANA	12

1	DELAWARE, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, SOUTH DAKOTA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING	7
15	NEW YORK	1
2	MARYLAND, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	8
3	NEBRASKA, NEVADA	2
5	TENNESSEE	1
6	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) MSN Graduate program in nursing		Response Total
0	MISSOURI, OHIO, TEXAS, KENTUCKY	4
1	VERMONT, ALASKA, MONTANA	3
11	WISCONSIN	1
13	GEORGIA-RN	1
17	TENNESSEE	1
18	NORTH CAROLINA	1
2	HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, OREGON	4
3	UTAH, MAINE, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA	7
38	NEW YORK	1
4	DELAWARE, OKLAHOMA, NEW MEXICO, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4
5	LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS	2
52	PENNSYLVANIA	1
6	MARYLAND, WASHINGTON, NEBRASKA, ARIZONA	4
7	KANSAS	1
9	IOWA	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) PhD Graduate program in nursing		Response Total
0	MISSOURI, OHIO, HAWAII, MAINE, TEXAS, KENTUCKY, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA	9
1	DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, UTAH, ARKANSAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IDAHO, NEVADA	11
2	MARYLAND, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, WASHINGTON, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, OREGON, ARIZONA	9
3	WISCONSIN	1
4	NORTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, TENNESSEE	3
6	NEW YORK	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) Graduate programs (not identified as MSN or PhD)		Response Total
0	IDAHO, ALASKA	2
1	NORTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, UTAH, NORTH DAKOTA, TENNESSEE	5
14	KENTUCKY	1
2	MARYLAND, ARIZONA	2
3	KANSAS	1
4	NEW YORK	1
6	WASHINGTON	1
9	IOWA	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) Continuing Education providers		Response Total

0	NEW YORK, MISSOURI, OHIO, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA	11
1	HAWAII	1
1042	FLORIDA	1
133	KANSAS	1
14	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
212	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
231	KENTUCKY	1
254	NEVADA	1
3393	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
57	DELAWARE	1
Basic RN programs (#):-(#) Direct entry MSN		Response Total
0	NEW YORK, KANSAS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, MONTANA	6
1	MARYLAND, NORTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, ARIZONA	7
3	OHIO, TENNESSEE	2
33	WASHINGTON	1
4	ILLINOIS	1
7	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Basic RN programs (#):-Total		Response Total
0	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	1
10	HAWAII	1
103	OHIO	1
107	TEXAS	1
114	NORTH CAROLINA	1
1179	FLORIDA	1
13	WYOMING, MONTANA	2
134	PENNSYLVANIA	1
14	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
16	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
17	NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	2
19	IDAHO	1
195	KANSAS	1
22	UTAH, MAINE	2
221	NEW YORK	1
23	MISSISSIPPI	1
250	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
27	SOUTH CAROLINA, OREGON	2
280	NEVADA	1
297	KENTUCKY	1
3	ALASKA	1
33	NEW MEXICO	1
34	NEBRASKA, COLORADO	2
3578	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
36	MARYLAND	1

37	ARKANSAS	1
38	ALABAMA	1
43	MINNESOTA	1
46	ARIZONA	1
48	MASSACHUSETTS	1
49	OKLAHOMA	1
55	MICHIGAN	1
58	INDIANA	1
60	MISSOURI	1
62	GEORGIA-RN	1
69	IOWA	1
71	DELAWARE	1
79	TENNESSEE	1
81	VIRGINIA	1
82	ILLINOIS	1
9	VERMONT	1
99	WASHINGTON	1

Minimum educational qualifications for LPN program administrators are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, MONTANA	24
MSN preferred	SOUTH CAROLINA, MAINE, INDIANA, WASHINGTON	4
Masters-other	OHIO, VIRGIN ISLANDS	2
BSN	AMERICAN SAMOA, MICHIGAN, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, COLORADO, ARIZONA	12
BSN preferred	NEW YORK, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	4
BS	CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA	2
Other	LOUISIANA-PN, TEXAS, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, ALASKA	5

Minimum educational qualifications for RN-baccalaureate degree program administrators are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
Earned doctorate-Nursing	SOUTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, GUAM, NEVADA	4
Earned doctorate-other	DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, UTAH, TEXAS, NORTH DAKOTA, OREGON, WYOMING, MONTANA	10
Doctorate preferred	NEW YORK, LOUISIANA-RN, WASHINGTON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	4
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA	30
MSN preferred	INDIANA	1
Masters-other	CALIFORNIA-RN	1

Other	IOWA, ALASKA	2
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Minimum educational qualifications for RN-associate degree program administrators are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
Earned doctorate-Nursing	GUAM	1
Doctorate preferred	LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH	2
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	40
MSN preferred	NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, TEXAS, INDIANA, WASHINGTON	5
Masters-other	NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
BSN	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
Other	IOWA, ALASKA	2

Minimum educational qualifications for RN-diploma program administrators are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
Doctorate preferred	LOUISIANA-RN	1
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA	18
MSN preferred	NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, TEXAS, INDIANA	4
MS	OHIO	1
Masters-other	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Other	OKLAHOMA, HAWAII, UTAH, NEVADA	4

Minimum educational qualifications for LPN program faculty are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, NEW MEXICO, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA	8
BSN	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, IDAHO, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	25
BSN preferred	PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, INDIANA, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, VIRGIN ISLANDS	6
BS	NEW YORK	1
Other	NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA	11

Minimum educational qualifications for RN-baccalaureate degree program faculty are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters- other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
Earned doctorate-Nursing	GUAM	1
Doctorate preferred	NEW YORK	1
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	32
MSN preferred	VIRGINIA, TEXAS, INDIANA, WASHINGTON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	5
MS	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
Masters-other	OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
BSN	OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN	3
Other	NORTH CAROLINA, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, ALABAMA, ALASKA	6

Minimum educational qualifications for RN-associate degree program faculty are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
Earned doctorate-Nursing	GUAM	1
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	27
MSN preferred	NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, TEXAS, INDIANA, WASHINGTON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	6
MS	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
Masters-other	OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
BSN	AMERICAN SAMOA, MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	7
Other	NORTH CAROLINA, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, ALASKA	7

Minimum educational qualifications for RN-diploma program faculty are (Earned doctorate-Nursing, Earned doctorate-other, Doctorate preferred, MSN, MSN preferred, MS, Masters-other, BSN, BSN preferred, BS, other-please specify).		Response Total
MSN	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, NEW JERSEY, LOUISIANA-RN, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA	14
MSN preferred	NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, TEXAS, INDIANA	4
MS	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
Masters-other	OHIO	1
BSN	MISSOURI, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS	4
Other	VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, UTAH, NEVADA	5

Articulation between levels of nursing education is mandated (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, GUAM, COLORADO	11

No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48
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If Yes, articulation levels for the following (check all that apply).		Response Total
NA to LPN	LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, GUAM	4
NA to AD	GUAM	1
NA to BSN	GUAM	1
LPN to AD	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, GUAM, COLORADO	10
LPN to BSN	LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, GUAM, COLORADO	6
AD to BSN	AMERICAN SAMOA, NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, GUAM	9
Diploma to BSN	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Paramedic to RN	KANSAS	1

If No, voluntary articulation exists between levels of nursing education. (yes/no/don't know).		Response Total
Yes	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	42
No	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS	6
Don't know	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, WASHINGTON, GUAM	6
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, KANSAS	5

If Yes, voluntary articulation levels:		Response Total
NA to LPN	NEW YORK, MINNESOTA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, NEVADA	9
NA to AD	IOWA, FLORIDA, NEVADA	3
NA to BSN	FLORIDA	1
LPN to AD	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	38
LPN to BSN	NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA, IDAHO, ARIZONA	22

AD to BSN	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	37
AD to MSN	CALIFORNIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, ALABAMA, IDAHO	4
AD to MSN, BSN to PhD	WISCONSIN	1
BS to BSN	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
LPN to Diploma and Diploma to BSN	NEW JERSEY	1
not available	INDIANA	1
RN to BSN	FLORIDA	1
RN to MSN	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE	3
The Board of Nursing approved the SC Statewide Articulation Model & it has been adopted by programs in our state.	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
This is for Nevada System of Higher Education, not private schools.	NEVADA	1

Student-faculty ratios are prescribed for basic nursing education programs (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46
No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, WISCONSIN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE	12
DNA	MISSISSIPPI	1

If yes, what is the prescribed full-time to part-time faculty ratio for basic nursing education programs?- LPN/VN programs		Response Total
1 : 10	WASHINGTON	1
1 faculty :: 10 students	NEW JERSEY	1
1 faculty: 15 students (clinical component)	PENNSYLVANIA	1
1/8 in clinical	WYOMING	1
1:10	OHIO, ILLINOIS, KANSAS	3
1:10 (1:8 preferred)	NEBRASKA	1

1:10 clinical	VIRGINIA	1
1:10 in clinical	LOUISIANA-PN, IDAHO	2
1:8	DELAWARE, OREGON	2
1:8 Acute inpatient setting 1:10 non-acute clinical setting	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
1:8 for clinical component	MAINE	1
10 : 1	NORTH CAROLINA	1
10 to 1	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
10:1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MICHIGAN, GEORGIA-PN, TEXAS, INDIANA, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, GUAM, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	13
10:1 for clinical	UTAH	1
12:1, 18:1 with Facility agreement	FLORIDA	1
15 students to one instructor in clinical	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
5:1	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
8 -1	HAWAII	1
8 to 1 in clinical settings only	NEVADA	1
8:1	NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA	3
8:1 clinical ratio	NORTH DAKOTA	1
8:1 in acute care settings in clinical	ALABAMA	1
8:1 in clinical area	NEW MEXICO	1
Clinical 10:1	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Clinical ratio has to be at least 10 to 1	ARKANSAS	1
If yes, what is the prescribed full-time to part-time faculty ratio for basic nursing education programs?-RN programs		Response Total
1 : 10	WASHINGTON	1
1 faculty :: 10 students	NEW JERSEY	1
1/8 in clinical	WYOMING	1
1:10	OHIO, ILLINOIS, KANSAS	3
1:10 (1:8 preferred)	NEBRASKA	1
1:10 clinical	VIRGINIA	1
1:10 in clinical	IDAHO	1
1:20	GEORGIA-RN	1
1:8	DELAWARE, OREGON	2
1:8 Acute inpatient setting 1:10 non-acute clinical setting	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
1:8 for clinical component	MAINE	1
10 : 1	NORTH CAROLINA	1
10 to 1	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
10:1	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MICHIGAN, LOUISIANA-RN, TEXAS, INDIANA, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, GUAM, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	12
10:1 for clinical	UTAH	1

12:1, 18:1 with Facility agreement	FLORIDA	1
1 faculty to 8-10 students depending on setting and faculty member judgment	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
4:1	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
8 to 1 in clinical settings only	NEVADA	1
8-1	HAWAII	1
8:1	NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA	3
8:1 clinical ratio	NORTH DAKOTA	1
8:1 in acute care settings in clinical	ALABAMA	1
8:1 in clinical area	NEW MEXICO	1
Clinical 10:1	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Clinical ratio has to be at least 10 to 1	ARKANSAS	1
na	PENNSYLVANIA	1
Full-time to part-time faculty ratios are prescribed for basic nursing education programs (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEBRASKA, NEVADA, COLORADO	9
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	49
DNA	MISSISSIPPI	1

If yes, what is the prescribed full-time to part-time faculty ratio for basic nursing education programs?- LPN/VN programs		Response Total
1:3	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
1:4	COLORADO	1
75% fulltime	NEBRASKA	1
8:1	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
majority full time	GEORGIA-PN	1
majority full-time	INDIANA	1
If yes, what is the prescribed full-time to part-time faculty ratio for basic nursing education programs?-RN programs		Response Total
1:2	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
1:20	GEORGIA-RN	1
1:4	COLORADO	1
50% fulltime	NEVADA	1
75% fulltime	NEBRASKA	1
8:1	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
majority full-time	INDIANA	1

Clinical education facilities used by basic LPN/VN nursing education programs are approved/ accredited by the Board (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ALASKA	14
No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41
DNA	CALIFORNIA-RN, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4

If Yes, on what basis (check all that apply):		Response Total
Site visit	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, CALIFORNIA-VN, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE	7
Report by programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, KANSAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ALASKA	15
Program reports are viewed at time of site visit	NEW JERSEY	1

Clinical education facilities used by basic RN nursing education programs are approved/accredited by the Board (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, ALASKA	16
No	NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	39
DNA	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	4

If Yes, on what basis (check all that apply):		Response Total
Site visit	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, VIRGIN ISLANDS	7
Report by programs	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, KANSAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, ALASKA	19
Reports are viewed at time of site visit	NEW JERSEY	1

The use of clinical teaching assistants for providing supervision and/or education to basic nursing students is regulated by the Board for LPN/VN Programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MISSOURI, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-PN, ARKANSAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	23
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM	22
DNA	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, VIRGIN ISLANDS	14

If Yes, student preceptor ratio for LPN/VN programs:		Response Total
1:1	CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	12
2:1	MISSOURI, OHIO, GEORGIA-PN, ARKANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, NEVADA	7
More than 4:1	MARYLAND, NEW MEXICO, WASHINGTON	3

The use of clinical teaching assistants for providing supervision and/or education to basic nursing students is regulated by the Board for RN Programs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MISSOURI, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	29
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, MAINE, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM	19
DNA	DELAWARE, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, VIRGIN ISLANDS	11

If Yes, student preceptor ratio for RN programs:		Response Total
1:1	CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NEBRASKA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	14
2:1	MASSACHUSETTS, MISSOURI, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, NEVADA	11
More than 4:1	MARYLAND, WASHINGTON	2

Pre-licensed nursing students in clinical settings are regulated by the Board (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, MONTANA	17

No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42
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Board reviews clinical agencies used for students (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA	33
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	26

Curriculum guidelines/regulations in RN nursing programs include requirements for clinical experience in the following specialty areas (check all that apply):		Response Total
Obstetrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Adult health	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Pediatrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Psychiatric	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42

Community health	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, ALASKA	30
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Curriculum guidelines/regulations in RN nursing programs include requirements for didactic experience in the following specialty areas (check all that apply):		Response Total
Obstetrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Adult health	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Pediatrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Psychiatric	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42
Community health	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ALASKA	31

Curriculum guidelines/regulations in PN/VN nursing programs include requirements for clinical experience in the following specialty areas (check all that apply):		Response Total
Obstetrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42

Adult health	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42
Pediatrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	42
Psychiatric	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	31
Community health	AMERICAN SAMOA, MISSOURI, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, FLORIDA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO	11

Curriculum guidelines/regulations in PN/VN nursing programs include requirements for didactic experience in the following specialty areas (check all that apply):		Response Total
Obstetrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Adult health	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Pediatrics	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	43
Psychiatric	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	35

Community health	AMERICAN SAMOA, MISSOURI, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, FLORIDA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO	11
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Board regulates distance learning programs (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA	30
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, COLORADO, MONTANA	29

Board approves any entry-level nursing educational programs that are exclusively online (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, ALASKA, MONTANA	17
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, COLORADO, ARIZONA	37
DNA	WYOMING	1
Only Vt. based programs	VERMONT	1
Only if physically presence in Minnesota	MINNESOTA	1

If yes, how many online LPN/VN, ADN, BSN entry-level nursing education programs (#)?-(#) LPN/VN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, MONTANA	15
1	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
3	MINNESOTA	1
If yes, how many online LPN/VN, ADN, BSN entry-level nursing education programs (#)?-(#) ADN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, NEVADA, MONTANA	13
1	SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, ALASKA	3
2	MISSOURI	1
3	MINNESOTA	1

If yes, how many online LPN/VN, ADN, BSN entry-level nursing education programs (#)?-(#) BSN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, WISCONSIN, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, MONTANA	14
1	MISSOURI, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA	3
If yes, how many online LPN/VN, ADN, BSN entry-level nursing education programs (#)?-Total		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, NEVADA	12
1	ALASKA	1
2	FLORIDA	1
3	MISSOURI, SOUTH DAKOTA	2
6	MINNESOTA	1

Board approves any entry-level nursing educational programs that are primarily online but include some form of a traditional clinical component (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	33
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, CALIFORNIA-VN, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM	23
DNA	PENNSYLVANIA	1
Only Vt. based programs	VERMONT	1
We do the ones in state but do not approve out of state programs	KANSAS	1

If yes, how many LPN/VN, ADN, BSN?-LPN/VN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, MONTANA	12
1	UTAH, SOUTH DAKOTA, KENTUCKY	3
25	ALABAMA	1
3	MINNESOTA	1
97	TEXAS	1
If yes, how many LPN/VN, ADN, BSN?-Diploma		Response Total
0	MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, UTAH, ALABAMA, IDAHO, MONTANA	6
1	VIRGINIA, TEXAS	2

If yes, how many LPN/VN, ADN, BSN?-ADN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, ARKANSAS, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY, MONTANA	6
1	MICHIGAN, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	13
10	ILLINOIS	1
2	MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, UTAH, IDAHO	4
28	ALABAMA	1
3	MINNESOTA	1
66	TEXAS	1
If yes, how many LPN/VN, ADN, BSN?-BSN		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY, WYOMING, MONTANA	10
1	MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, FLORIDA, NEVADA	4
16	ALABAMA	1
2	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
38	TEXAS	1
4	IDAHO	1
If yes, how many LPN/VN, ADN, BSN?-Total		Response Total
0	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, ARKANSAS, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE	7
1	MICHIGAN, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	9
10	ILLINOIS	1
2	VIRGINIA, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, NEVADA	4
202	TEXAS	1
3	CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, UTAH	3
6	MINNESOTA	1
69	ALABAMA	1

What is the Board's position regarding current educational requirements for entry into RN practice?		Response Total
No position	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, GUAM	18
Neutrality	MICHIGAN, OKLAHOMA, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, TENNESSEE, ALASKA, MONTANA	9
Support BSN as minimum	HAWAII, IDAHO, NEVADA	3
Support all levels	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA	25

What is the Board's position regarding current educational requirements for entry into PN/VN practice?		Response Total
No position	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, UTAH, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, GUAM, WYOMING, MONTANA	25
Neutrality	MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, HAWAII, MAINE, INDIANA, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, ALASKA	9
Support all levels	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	20

The Board has the statutory authority to implement changes in the educational requirements for entry into practice through the administrative rule process (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	38
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW YORK, MARYLAND, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM	19