

BSN - Bachelor of Science in Nursing



JOB DESCRIPTION: Registered nurses often work in hospitals or outpatient facilities, where they provide hands-on care to patients by administering medications, managing intravenous lines, observing and monitoring patients' conditions, maintaining records and communicating with doctors. Coordinates nursing care for patients and participates in patient and family teaching. Must hold current licensure by the State Board of Nursing Licensure and Registration.

MEDIAN ANNUAL SALARY: \$68,450 (BSNs may have slightly higher salaries due to additional education requirements.)

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

BSN - 4-year undergraduate degree from an accredited college or university.

ADN – 3-year degree from an accredited program.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Registered nurse jobs are expected to grow by 26% from 2010 to 2020.

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