

*Journal of Nursing Regulation*

**5.2M**

NUMBER OF REGISTERED NURSES (RNS) NATIONWIDE WITH NURSING BEING THE NATION'S LARGEST HEALTHCARE PROFESSION

*American Hospital Association*

**200,000**

NEW REGISTERED NURSES (RNS) NEEDED EACH YEAR TO MEET INCREASING HEALTHCARE NEEDS AND REPLACE RETIRING NURSES

*Bureau of Labor Statistics*

**\$77,760**

THE MEDIAN ANNUAL WAGE FOR HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS AND TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS IN 2022



*National Library of Medicine*

**35%**

OF NURSES AND

**54%**

OF PHYSICIANS HAVE REPORTED FEELING SYMPTOMS OF BURNOUT



**76%**

OF PEOPLE ARE EMPLOYED IN HEALTHCARE-RELATED OCCUPATIONS REQUIRING AT LEAST A BACHELOR'S DEGREE

*AACN*

**71.7%**

OF THE RN WORKFORCE EARNED A BACCALAUREATE OR HIGHER DEGREE AS THEIR HIGHEST LEVEL OF NURSING EDUCATION, AS OF 2022



*U.S. Census Bureau*

**MORE THAN HALF**



OF PHYSICIANS ARE MEN

AMONG FULL-TIME HEALTHCARE WORKERS, PARAMEDICS, AND SURGEONS

*Bureau of Labor Statistics*

**36%**

OF PEOPLE EMPLOYED IN HEALTHCARE-RELATED OCCUPATIONS HAVE AN ADVANCED DEGREE

**8 IN 10**

WORKERS IN HEALTHCARE OCCUPATIONS ARE WOMEN

The healthcare sector is projected to **grow by 13%** from 2021 to 2031, adding about **2 million new jobs**