

2008 Potential RN Workforce of Regional Workforce Board 17, By County*

RWB 17 Total (Polk County)	
Number of Nurses	4,751
Average Age	47.94
Age in Categories (%)	
20 or younger	0.00
21-30	10.06
31-40	19.92
41-50	25.50
51-60	27.74
61 or older	16.79
Average Years Licensed in FL	13.27
Gender (%)	
Female	91.65
Male	8.35
Race/Ethnicity (%)	
White	81.80
Black	7.91
Hispanic	3.86
Asian	5.35
Native American	0.09
Others	0.98

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Data Source: Florida Board of Nursing licensure data extract current as of January, 2008

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- Nurses analyzed as members of the “potential nurse workforce” have active licenses with statuses rendering them eligible to practice, report a Florida address as their mailing address or work address, and did not report a practice location outside the state of Florida.
- When nurses provided unique information for practice location, they have been placed according to the region in which they work. In the remainder of cases, nurses are placed according to the mailing address they gave, which may be a home or work address.

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2008 Potential ARNP Workforce of Regional Workforce Board 17, By County*

RWB 17 Total (Polk County)	
Number of Nurses	210
Average Age	49.87
Age in Categories (%)	
20 or younger	0.00
21-30	3.35
31-40	17.70
41-50	28.71
51-60	34.45
61 or older	15.79
Average Years Licensed in FL	18.07
Gender (%)	
Female	84.06
Male	15.94
Race/Ethnicity (%)	
White	85.71
Black	7.39
Hispanic	4.93
Asian	1.97
Native American	0.00
Others	0.00

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2008 Potential LPN Workforce of Regional Workforce Board 17, By County*

RWB 17 Total (Polk County)	
Number of Nurses	2,248
Average Age	45.03
Age in Categories (%)	
20 or younger	0.22
21-30	13.36
31-40	26.22
41-50	24.34
51-60	23.98
61 or older	11.88
Average Years Licensed in FL	11.31
Gender (%)	
Female	92.51
Male	7.49
Race/Ethnicity (%)	
White	73.15
Black	19.46
Hispanic	4.89
Asian	1.38
Native American	0.31
Others	0.82

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