

National Indicators

Florida State and Regional Data

The Future of Nursing: *Campaign for Action* will be announcing dashboard indicators to measure the success in progress toward the IOM recommendations. The current indicators being discussed are:

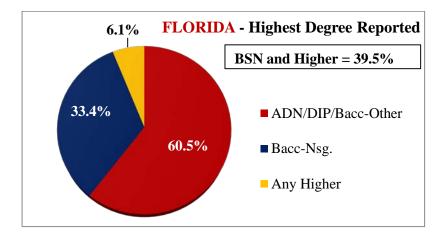
Rec. 4: Increase the proportion of nurses with a baccalaureate degree to 80% by 2020.

<u>Indicator</u>: 80% of employed registered nurses have a baccalaureate in nursing or any higher degree by 2020.

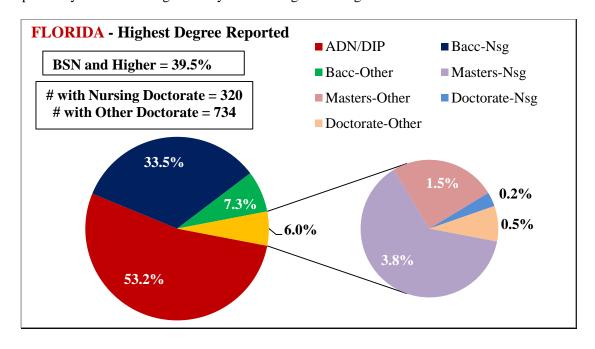
Rec. 5: Double the number of nurses with a doctorate by 2020.

<u>Indicator</u>: Total enrollments in nursing doctorate programs.

The Florida Center for Nursing (FCN) is able to provide this benchmark for the state and eight geographic regions. Results for the State, based on 140,620 employed RNs are below.

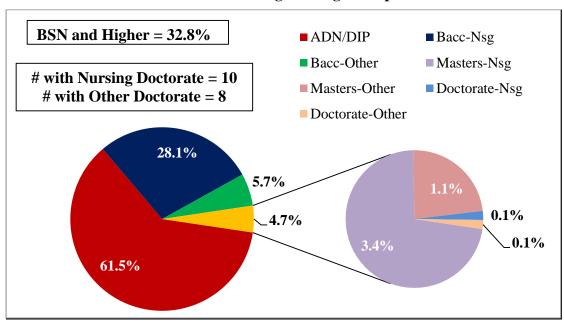


However, given the rich data source housed at the FCN, we can provide even greater detail regarding highest degree reported by RNs indicating that they are working in nursing as shown below.

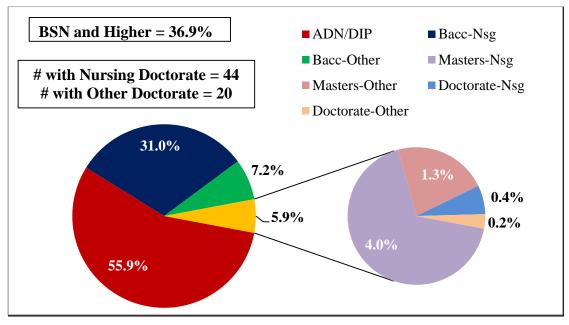


The following charts provide the results for FCNs eight geographic regions. A reference map is located on the last page of this document.

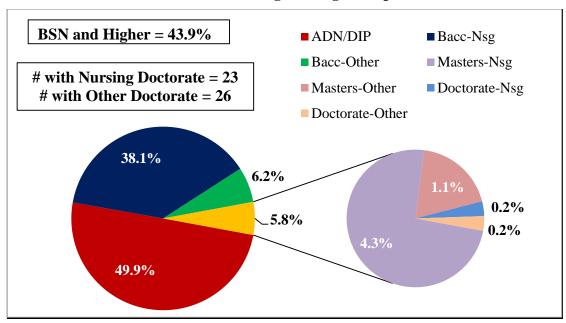
NORTHWEST – Highest Degree Reported



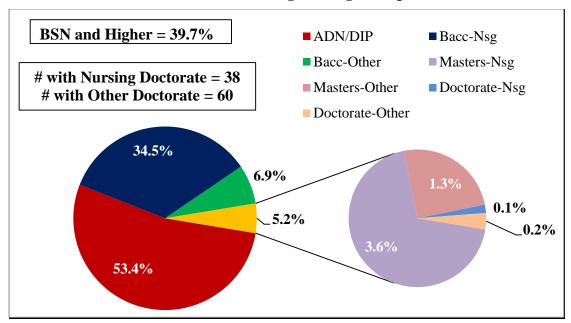
NORTH CENTRAL – Highest Degree Reported



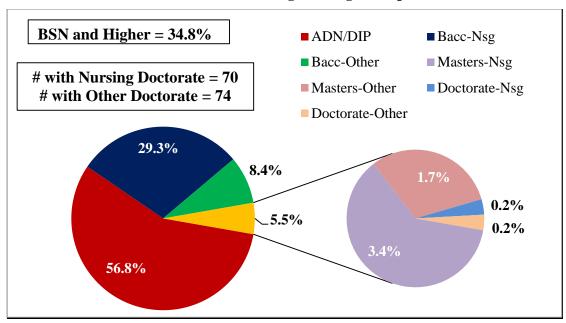
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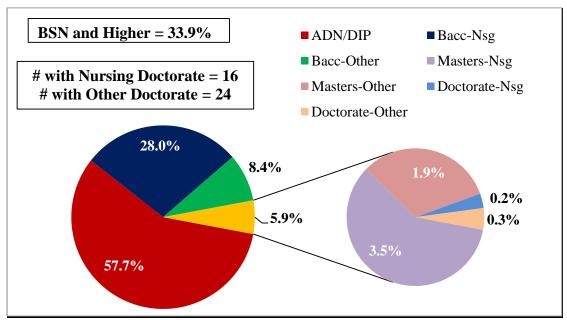
EAST CENTRAL – Highest Degree Reported



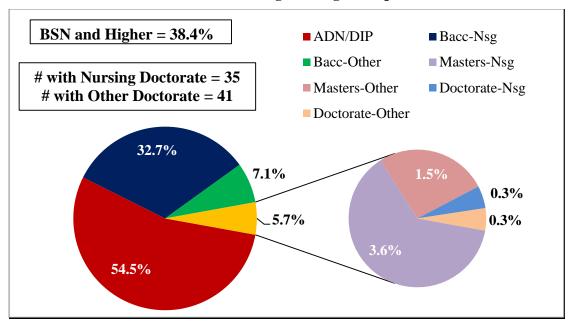
WEST CENTRAL – Highest Degree Reported



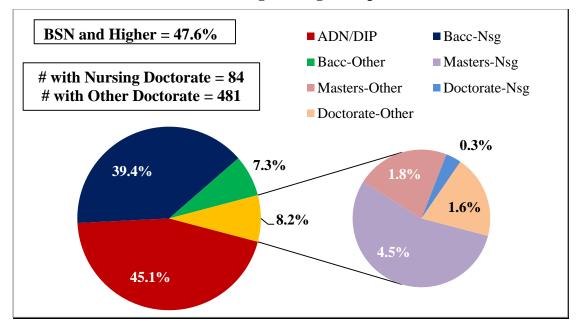
SOUTHWEST – Highest Degree Reported



SOUTHEAST – Highest Degree Reported



SOUTH – Highest Degree Reported



As the FL-AC website is developed, we will provide this information and that relevant to each of the dashboard indicators for the State of Florida and the eight geographic regions. Additionally, though we prefer measuring actual doctoral degrees, we will explore the ability to report the number enrolled in nursing doctorate programs.

Florida Center for Nursing Geographic Regions

