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Introduction

This *2011 South Dakota Annual Report of Nursing Education Programs* was prepared by the South Dakota Board of Nursing. The report provides statistical information on South Dakota's approved nursing education programs including data on student enrollment, program capacity, student demographics, curriculum, graduates NCLEX® reports, and faculty information and is compared with historical data. The information provided is required for ongoing approval in accordance with ARSD 20:48:07.

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Approved Nursing Education Programs – 2011

Approved Nursing Education Program Name	Pre-Licensure Programs						Post-Licensure Programs		
	LPN	LPN to RN Associate	LPN to RN Baccalaureate	RN Associate	RN Baccalaureate	RN Accelerated Baccalaureate	RN to Baccalaureate	Masters	PhD/ DNP
1. Augustana College					X		X		
2. Dakota Wesleyan University		X		X			X*		
3. Lake Area Technical Institute	X	X							
4. Mount Marty College	X		X		X		X	X	
5. National American University					X		X	X	
6. Oglala Lakota College				X					
7. Presentation College			X	X	X		X		
8. Sinte Gleska University	X								
9. Sisseton Wahpeton College	X	X		X					
10. South Dakota State University					X	X	X	X	X
11. Southeast Technical Institute	X	X							
12. University of Sioux Falls					X	X	X		
13. University of South Dakota				X			X*		
14. Western Dakota Technical Institute	X								
Total	6	4	2	5	6	2	8	3	1

*Denotes programs that do not have a generic Baccalaureate program

Total Number of Nursing Programs: 2002 – 2011

The total number of approved nursing education programs offered in South Dakota to prepare registered nurse and practical nurse candidates for licensure from 2002 to 2011 is displayed in the table below.

2002–2011

Year	Pre-Licensure Programs				Post-Licensure RN-BSN/BAN Programs without generic program
	Baccalaureate Degree Programs	Associate Degree Programs	Practical Nurse Programs	Total Programs	
2002	5	5	3	13	0
2003	5	4	5	14	0
2004	5	4	5	14	0
2005	4	4	5	13	1
2006	4	4	5	13	2
2007	4	4	5	13	2
2008	4	5	5	14	2
2009	6	5	5	16	2
2010	6	5	5	16	3
2011	6	5	6	17	2

Nursing Education Program Contact and Accreditation Information

Practical Nursing Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	State Approval	Accreditation
Lake Area Technical Institute 230 11 th Street NE Watertown SD 57201	Robin Brown, MS, RN Nursing Department Head (605) 882-5284 brownr@lakeareatech.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission NLNAC
Mount Mary College 1105 West 8 th Street Yankton SD 57078-3724	Jacqueline A. Kelley, RN, MPH, DNP Director & Chair, Division of Nursing (605) 668-1511 jacqueline.kelley@mtmc.edu	Interim	Higher Learning Commission
Sinte Gleska University 101 Antelope Lake Circle PO Box 105 Mission SD 57555-0008	Dorothy Peterson, RN, AA LPN Program Director (605) 856-8288 dorothy.peterson@sintegleska.edu	Probation	Higher Learning Commission
Sisseton Wahpeton College Old Agency Box 689 Sisseton SD 57262-0689	Barbara Dahlen, RN, MSN, PhD Director of Nursing Program (605) 742-1126 bdahlen@swc.tc	Full	Higher Learning Commission
Southeast Technical Institute 2320 North Career Avenue Sioux Falls SD 57107	Kristin Possehl, RN, MSN, MEd LPN Program Director (605) 367-4753 kristin.possehl@southteasttech.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission
Western Dakota Technical Institute 800 Mickelson Drive Rapid City SD 57703-4018	Jani Lerback, RN, BSN, RNC Coordinator, Practical Nursing Program (605) 718-2952 jani.lerback@wdt.edu	Probation	Higher Learning Commission

Associate Degree Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	State Approval	Accreditation
Dakota Wesleyan University 1200 West University Avenue Mitchell SD 57301-0909	Adele Jacobson, RN, Ed.D. Administrative Chair (605) 352-2662 adjacobs@dwu.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission NLNAC
Oglala Lakota College PO Box 861 Pine Ridge SD 57770	Joan G. Nelson, MSN, RN Chair, Nursing Department (605) 867-5856 jnelson@olc.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission
Presentation Lakota Campus PO Box 170 Eagle Butte SD 57625	Margie Washnok, RN, APRN, MS, DNP Associate Professor/Associate Degree Program Director (605) 964-4071 Drmargie.washnok@presentation.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission NLNAC
Sisseton Wahpeton College Old Agency Box 689 Sisseton SD 57262-0689	Barbara Dahlen, RN, MSN, PhD Director of Nursing Program (605) 742-1126 bdahlen@swc.tc	Interim	Higher Learning Commission
University of South Dakota 414 East Clark Street Julian 313 Vermillion SD 57069-2390	Carla Dieter, Ed.D., RN, FNP-BC Nursing Chair and Professor (605) 357-1560 carla.dieter@usd.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission NLNAC

Baccalaureate Degree Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	State Approval	Accreditation
Augustana College 2001 S Summit Avenue Sioux Falls SD 57197	Karen Younger, PhD, RN Professor and Chair of Nursing (605) 274-4730 karen.younger@augie.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
Mount Marty College 1105 West 8 th Street Yankton SD 57078	Jacqueline A. Kelley, RN, MPH, DNP Director & Chair, Division of Nursing (605) 668-1511 jacqueline.kelley@mtmc.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
National American University 5301 S Highway 16 Suite 200 Rapid City SD 57701	Dodie Serafini, MS, RN, PhD(c), CNE Interim Dean, School of Nursing X(303)-562-8688 dserafini@national.edu	Interim	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
Presentation College 1500 North Main Street Aberdeen SD 57401	Illa Reeve, MS, RN Chair, Department of Nursing (605) 229-8473 Illa.reeve@presentation.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission NLNAC
South Dakota State University Box 2275 Brookings SD 57007-0296	Roberta K. Olson, PhD, RN Dean of Nursing (605) 688-5178 roberta.olson@sdstate.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
University of Sioux Falls 1102 West 22 nd Street Sioux Falls SD 57105	Barbara Vellenga, PhD, RN Director, School of Nursing (605) 331-6671 barbara.vellenga@usiouxfalls.edu	Interim	Higher Learning Commission CCNE

RN to BSN/BAN Stand-Alone Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	State Approval	Accreditation
Dakota Wesleyan University 1200 West University Avenue Mitchell SD 57301-0909	Adele Jacobson, RN, EdD Administrative Chair & RN-BAN Director (605) 352-2662 adjacobs@dwu.edu	Full	Higher Learning Commission In Candidacy: NLNAC
University of South Dakota 414 East Clark Street Julian 313 Vermillion SD 57069-2390	Ellie Brooks, PhD, RN Director, RN-BSN and BSN Program	Interim	Higher Learning Commission In Candidacy: CCNE

Master's Degree Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	Accreditation
Mount Marty College 5001 West 41 st Street Sioux Falls SD 57106 Nurse Anesthesia (CRNA)	Alfred Lupien, RN, PhD, CRNA, FAAN Program Director (605) 322-0100 msna@mtmc.edu	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
Mount Mary College 1105 West 8 th Street Yankton SD 57078-3724 Advanced Public Health Nurse Leader, Nurse Practitioner: Adult Geriatric, Pediatric	Jacqueline A. Kelley, RN, MPH, DNP Director & Chair, Division of Nursing (605) 668-1594 jacqueline.kelley@mtmc.edu	Higher Learning Commission
National American University 5301 S Highway 16 Suite 200 Rapid City SD 57701	Dodie Serafini, MS, RN, PhD(c), CNE Interim Dean, School of Nursing X(303)-562-8688 dserafini@national.edu	Higher Learning Commission CCNE
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Doctoral Degree Programs	Chair/Dean/Director	Accreditation
South Dakota State University Box 2275, Brookings SD 57007 PhD & DNP (Nurse Practitioner: Family, Neonatal, Psychiatric)	Roberta K. Olson, PhD, RN Dean of Nursing (605) 688-5178 roberta.olson@sdstate.edu	Higher Learning Commission CCNE

Nursing Program Enrollment

Enrollment is defined as the number of undergraduate RN and LPN pre-licensure students who were accepted into the nursing major and were enrolled in nursing courses. Enrollment numbers were reported as of the institution's official fall reporting date. Public nursing schools used the date of the fall census data extract and private schools used the IPEDS reporting date of October 15.

Full-time students were those that enrolled in 12 or more semester credits and part-time students enrolled in fewer than 12 semester credits. New students were those that enrolled for the first time in the nursing program during the reporting period and continuing students were those that were enrolled in the nursing program at all other points of the program's curriculum sequence.

Enrollment in Programs Leading to RN Licensure

Baccalaureate Degree

Baccalaureate degree programs had a total of 1100 nursing students enrolled in 2011 as reflected in the table below. Included in the total enrollment were new students and continuing students. Data reflected an increase of approximately 11% in baccalaureate degree enrollment since 2010.

Baccalaureate Program Enrollment	2011 Students				2011 Total Students	2010 Total Students	Difference 2010 – 2011
	New	Continuing	Full-time	Part-time			
Augustana College	54	55	106	3	109	119	-10
Mount Marty College	36	76	112	0	112	108	+4
Presentation BSN	53	86	78	61	139	119	+20
South Dakota State University	291	332	623	0	623	579	+44
University of Sioux Falls	78	20	98	0	98	53	+45
National American University	19	0	19	0	19	0	+19
2011 Total	531	569	1036	64	1100	978	+122

Associate Degree

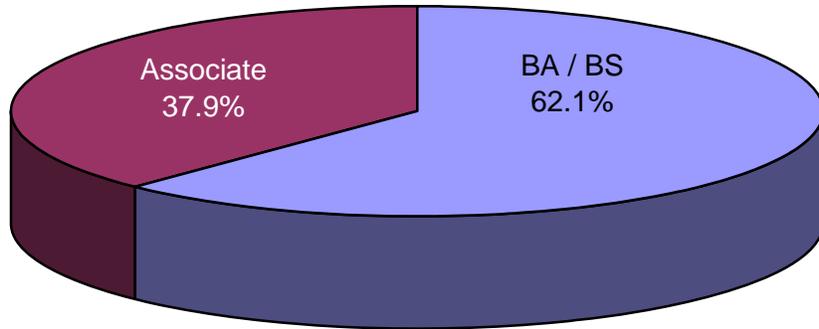
Total enrollment for associate degree programs for RN licensure was 671, a 4% decrease from a year ago. Included in the total enrollment were 353 new students and 318 continuing students.

Associate Program Enrollment	2011 Students				2011 Total Students	2010 Total Students	Difference 2010 – 2011
	New	Continuing	Full-time	Part-time			
Dakota Wesleyan University	66	49	95	20	115	125	-10
Sisseton Wahpeton College ADN	7	8	15	0	15	15	0
Oglala Lakota College	18	11	28	1	29	31	-2
Presentation ADN	9	12	10	11	21	32	-11
University of South Dakota	253	238	131	360	491	497	-6
2011 Total	353	318	279	392	671	700	-29

Total Baccalaureate and Associate Degree

Program Type	2011 Students		2011 Total Students	2010 Total Students	Difference 2010-2011
	Full-time	Part-Time			
Baccalaureate Degree	1036	64	1100	978	+122
Associate Degree	279	392	671	700	-29
Total	1315	456	1771	1678	+93

Percentage of RN Enrollment by Program Type - 2011



Enrollment in Programs Leading to LPN Licensure

Total practical nursing program enrollment for new and continuing students in 2011 was 415 students as displayed in the table below, a 9.3% decrease in enrollment from 2010.

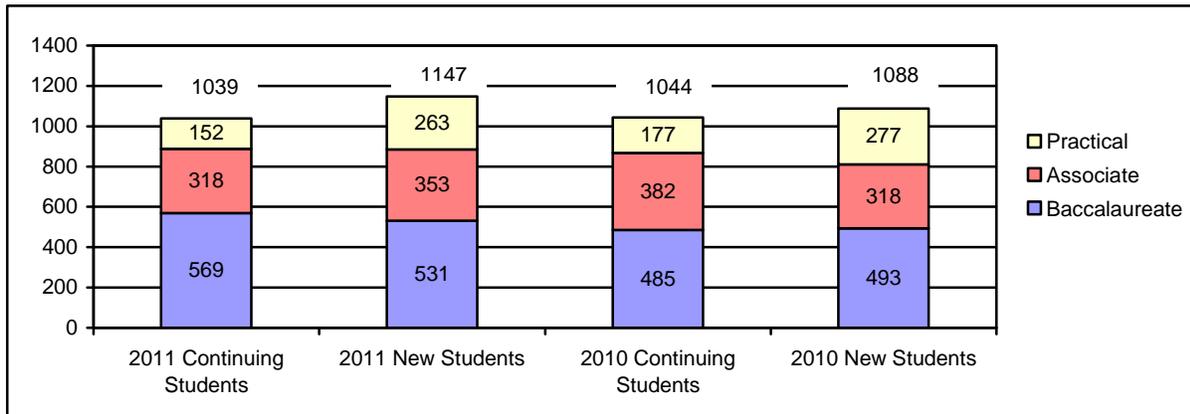
Practical Program Enrollment	2011 Students				2011 Total Students	2010 Total Students	Difference 2010-2011
	New	Continuing	Full-time	Part-time			
Lake Area Tech	75	14	69	20	89	99	-10
Sinte Gleska University	15	0	15	0	15	7	+8
Sisseton Wahpeton College	9	0	9	0	9	20	-11
Southeast Tech	127	128	159	96	255	282	-27
Western Dakota Tech	24	10	34	0	34	46	-12
Mount Marty	13	0	13	0	13	0	+13
2011 Total	263	152	299	116	415	454	-39

Total Student Enrollment in Nursing Education Programs

As depicted in the figure below, total new and continuing student enrollment in South Dakota’s baccalaureate nursing education programs increased 11% in 2011. Overall, a slight decrease (4%) in associate nursing education program total new and continuing student enrollment occurred. In addition, enrollment in practical nursing programs decreased in 2011.

There were 1,147 total new practical, associate, and baccalaureate students in 2011, and 1,039 total continuing practical, associate, and baccalaureate students in 2011 compared to 1,088 total new students in 2010 and 1,044 total continuing students in 2010.

Total Student Enrollment by Program Type



Percent Change for Nursing Enrollment by Program Type

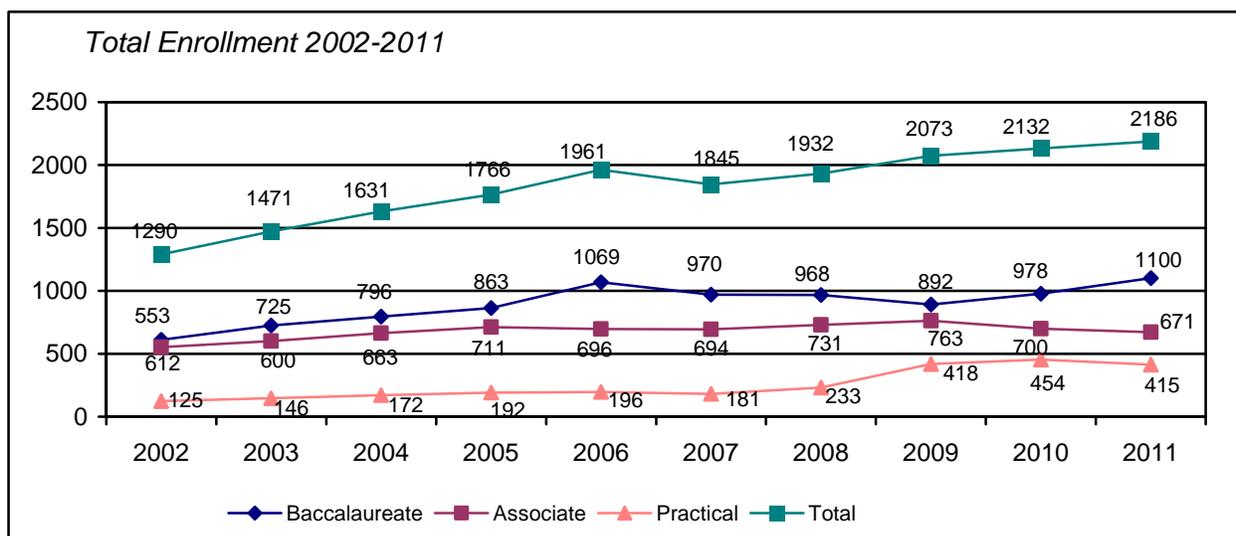
Program Type	Total Students				Difference 2010 – 2011	Percent Change 2010-2011
	2010	Percent of Total Enrolled	2011	Percent of Total Enrolled		
Baccalaureate	978	46%	1100	50%	+ 122	+11%
Associate	700	33%	671	31%	- 29	-4.3%
Practical	454	21%	415	19%	-39	-9.3%
Total	2132	100%	2186	100%	+ 54	+2.5%

The graph below depicts total numbers in the RN programs, and includes the number of practical nursing students, for a total enrollment (baccalaureate, associate, and practical) of 2,186 students in 2011, a 2.5% overall increase in enrollment.

Total Nursing Program Enrollment: 2002 – 2011

Year (October 1)	Baccalaureate		Associate		Total RN Program	Practical	Total Enrollment
	#	% of RN	#	% of RN			
2002	612	53.0%	553	47.0%	1165	125	1290
2003	725	55.0%	600	45.0%	1325	146	1471
2004	796	55.0%	663	45.0%	1459	172	1631
2005	863	54.8%	711	45.2%	1574	192	1766
2006	1069	60.6%	696	39.4%	1765	196	1961
2007	970	58.3%	694	41.7%	1664	181	1845
2008	968	57.0%	731	43.0%	1699	233	1932
2009	892	55.9%	763	44.1%	1655	418	2073
2010	978	58.3%	700	41.7%	1678	454	2132
2011	1100	62.1%	671	37.8%	1771	415	2186

*Excludes RN Upward Mobility students.



Nursing Education Program Capacity

Capacity in Nursing Programs Leading to RN Licensure

Capacity was defined as the number of seats available for newly admitted students during the reporting period.

South Dakota baccalaureate and associate degree RN programs received 1,401 qualified student applications in 2011 with 884 nursing students accepted and enrolled. Data in 2011 revealed that 273 qualified RN applicants were denied admission due to lack of space.

Baccalaureate and Associate Degree RN Capacity: 2011

Nursing Education Program	Nursing Student Capacity	Qualified Applications Received	Not Accepted	Accepted & Declined	No Space	Dropped Pre-Census	Accepted & Enrolled
Augustana College	64	60	0	6	0	0	54
Dakota Wesleyan University	94	88	0	22	0	0	66
National American University	32	19	0	0	0	0	19
Mount Marty College	50	38	2	0	0	0	36
Oglala Lakota College	20	20	0	2	0	0	18
Presentation ADN	32	10	6	0	0	1	9
Presentation BSN	65	26	2	4	0	0	53
Sisseton Wahpeton College	15	7	0	0	0	0	7
South Dakota State University	305	454	9	31	123	0	291
University of Sioux Falls	Unlimited	97	0	16	0	3	78
University of South Dakota	273	582	25	45	150	22	253
Total	950	1401	44	126	273	26	884

**Excludes RN upward mobility programs, these students hold RN licenses.*

Capacity in Nursing Programs Leading to LPN Licensure

Practical nursing programs received 407 qualified applications; only 31 qualified student applicants from Lake Area Tech were denied admission due to lack of space. At capacity for enrollment were Sinte Gleska and Southeast Tech.

Practical Nursing Program Capacity: 2011

Nursing Education Program	Nursing Student Capacity	Qualified Applications Received	Not Accepted	Accepted & Declined	No Space	Dropped Pre-Census	Accepted & Enrolled
Lake Area Technical Institute	94	175	34	28	31	1	75
Sinte Gleska University	16	16	1	0	0	0	15
Sisseton Wahpeton College	20	9	0	0	0	0	9
Southeast Technical Institute	136	149	0	11	0	11	127
Western Dakota Technical Institute	52	45	0	7	0	4	24
Mount Marty	13	13	0	0	0	0	13
Total	331	407	35	46	31	16	263

Nursing Program Learning Options

All South Dakota nursing education programs offered a full-time nursing education option, a majority of the programs also offered a part-time option. Additionally, interactive television and online options were offered.

Baccalaureate Program Options Offered

Program Name	Full-Time	Part-Time	Interactive Television	Online
Augustana College	Yes			Yes
Dakota Wesleyan University	Yes	Yes		Yes
Mount Marty College	Yes	Yes		Yes
National American University	Yes	Yes		Yes
Presentation BSN	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
South Dakota State University	Yes	Yes		Yes
University of Sioux Falls	Yes	Yes		Yes
University of South Dakota RN-BSN	Yes	Yes		Yes

Associate Program Options Offered

Program Name	Full-Time	Part-Time	Interactive Television	Online
Dakota Wesleyan University	Yes	Yes		Yes
Oglala Lakota College	Yes			Yes
Presentation ADN	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sisseton Wahpeton College	Yes	Yes		Yes
University of South Dakota	Yes	Yes		Yes

Practical Program Options Offered

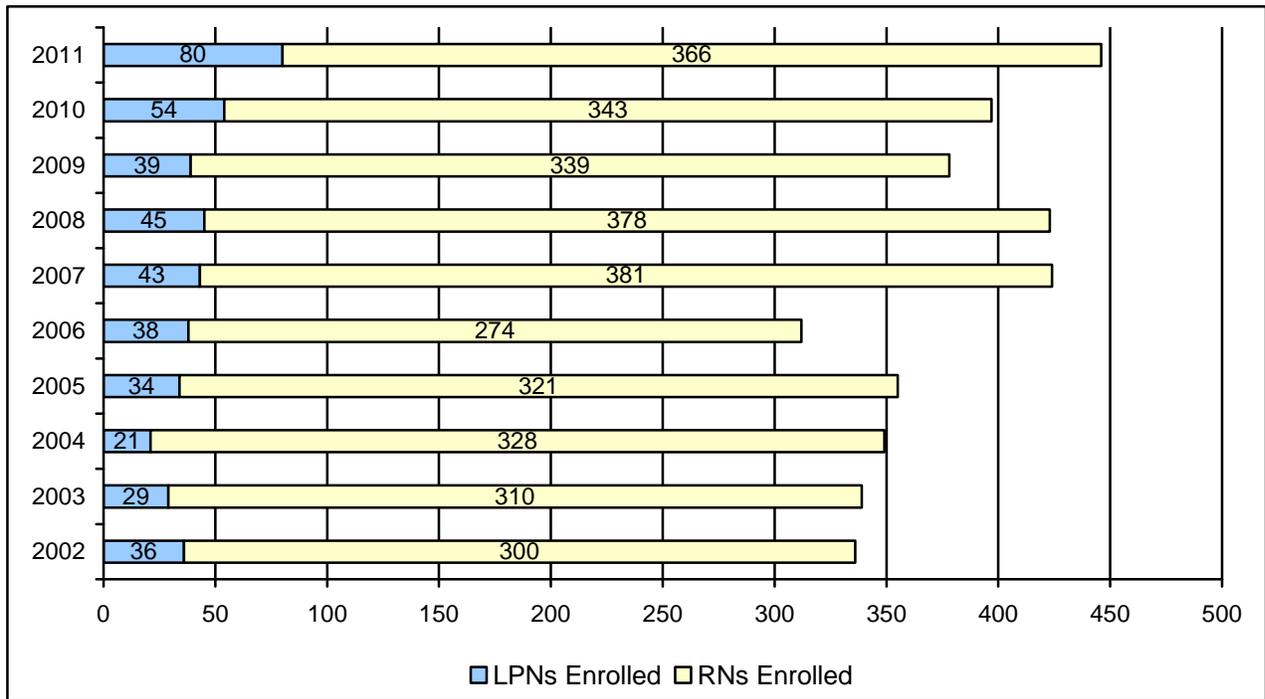
Program Name	Full-Time	Part-Time	Interactive Television	Online
Lake Area Technical Institute	Yes	Yes		Yes
Mount Marty College	Yes			
Sinte Gleska University	Yes			
Sisseton Wahpeton College	Yes			
Southeast Technical Institute	Yes	Yes		
Western Dakota Technical Institute	Yes			

Baccalaureate RN Upward Mobility

RNs and LPNs Enrolled in Baccalaureate Upward Mobility Programs: 2011

Baccalaureate Degree Upward Mobility Programs	RNs Enrolled	LPNs Enrolled	Total Students Enrolled
Augustana College	1	0	1
Dakota Wesleyan University	8	0	8
Mount Marty College	0	1	1
National American University	62	0	62
Presentation BSN	12	79	91
South Dakota State University	243	0	243
University of Sioux Falls	8	0	8
University of South Dakota	32	0	32
Baccalaureate Total	366	80	446

RNs and LPNs Enrolled in Baccalaureate Upward Mobility Programs: 2002-2011

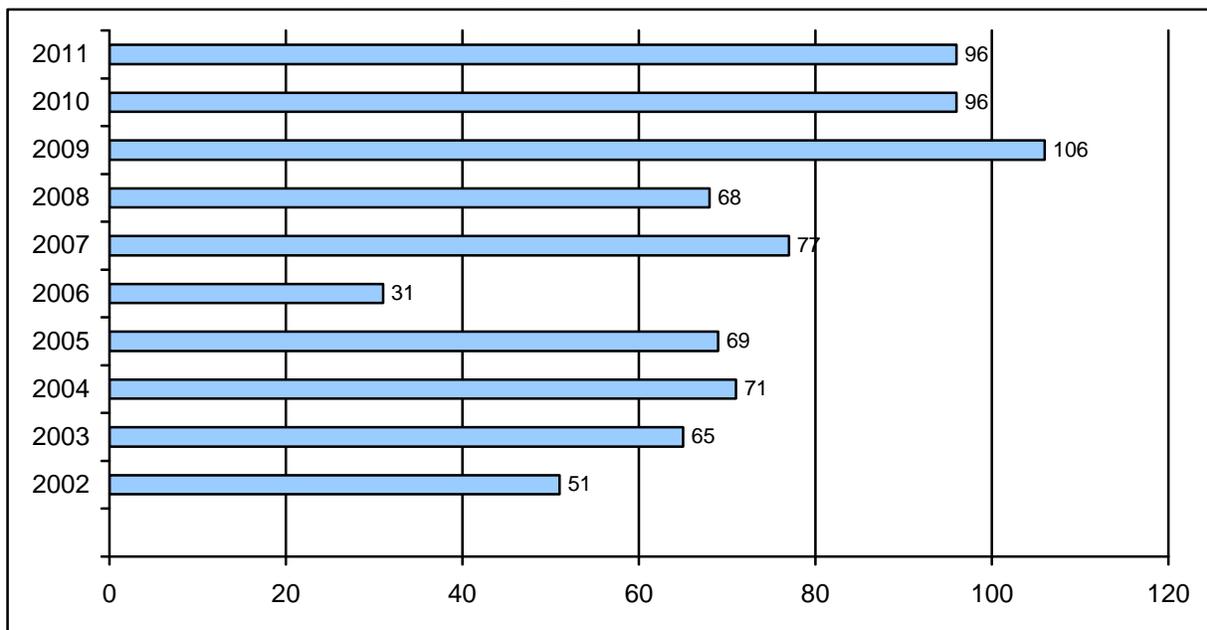


Associate RN Upward Mobility

LPNs Enrolled in Associate Upward Mobility Programs: 2011

Associate Degree Upward Mobility Programs	Total LPN Students Enrolled
Dakota Wesleyan University	16
Sisseton Wahpeton College	9
University of South Dakota	71
Associate Total	96

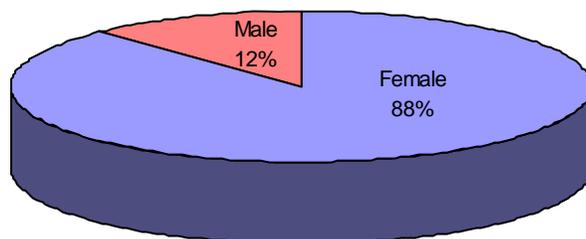
LPNs Enrolled in Associate Upward Mobility Programs: 2002-2011



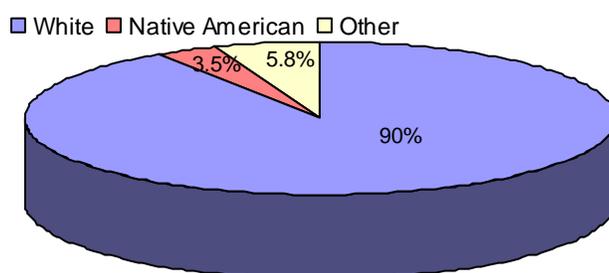
Characteristics of Student Population

Gender and Ethnicity of Enrolled Students

The majority of all RN and LPN students in 2011 were female, 88% (1,920); this essentially reflected no change from 2010 data. Male students comprised 12% (266) of the total population of students (this data excludes RN upward mobility students). Enrollment of males in RN baccalaureate and associate degree programs experienced no change in 2011.



The ethnicity of enrolled students in 2011 is predominately white, 90.7%. Only 5% of students were Native American or African American.



The following table presents comparisons of gender and ethnic distribution of all enrolled students in 2011.

*Enrolled RN and LPN Student Gender and Ethnicity: 2011 *Excludes RN upward mobility programs.*

Nursing Program	Total Student Enrollment	Gender		Primary Ethnic Origin						
		Female	Male	American Indian Alaska Native	Asian	Black African American	Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander	White	Hispanic / Latino	Other / Unknown
Augustana College	109	94	15	0	3	1	0	105	0	0
Dakota Wesleyan University	115	109	6	1	5	0	0	108	1	0
Lake Area Technical Institute	89	78	11	0	1	0	0	88	0	0
Mount Marty College	125	110	15	2	2	2	0	116	3	0
National American University	19	18	1	0	0	1	0	17	1	0
Oglala Lakota College	29	28	1	25	1	0	0	3	0	0
Presentation ADN	21	15	6	3	0	0	0	17	0	1
Presentation BSN	139	130	9	1	2	9	1	114	2	10
Sinte Gleska University	15	15	0	10	0	0	0	4	1	0
Sisseton Wahpeton College LPN	9	9	0	3	0	0	1	5	0	0
Sisseton Wahpeton College ADN	15	14	1	7	0	0	0	8	0	0
Southeast Technical Institute	255	235	20	3	3	2	0	227	5	15
South Dakota State University	623	526	97	11	5	6	0	595	3	3
University of Sioux Falls	98	77	21	0	0	3	0	95	0	0
University of South Dakota	491	429	62	10	4	10	0	449	18	0
Western Dakota Technical Institute	34	33	1	0	0	0	0	32	2	0
Total	2186	1920	266	76	26	34	2	1983	36	29
Percent of Total Enrolled Students		88%	12%	3.4%	1%	1.5%	.09%	90.7%	1.6%	1.3%

Age of Enrolled Nursing Students

Age of Students Enrolled in Baccalaureate Degree RN Programs (excluding RN Upward Mobility students)

The majority, 90%, of baccalaureate degree nursing students in 2011 continue to be 30 years of age or under, similar to findings in previous education reports.

Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Augustana College	19	82	6	2	0	0	0	109
Mount Marty College	35	57	6	6	7	1	0	112
Presentation BSN	12	60	28	23	14	2	0	139
South Dakota State University	82	440	62	30	7	2	0	623
University of Sioux Falls	30	43	17	6	1	1	0	98
National American University	0	7	5	7	0	0	0	19
Baccalaureate Total	178	689	124	74	29	6	0	1100
Percent of Total	16%	63%	11%	7%	2.5%	0.5%	0	100%

Data survey instructed programs to exclude RN Upward Mobility programs

Age of Students Enrolled in Associate Degree RN Programs

The majority, 73%, of associate degree nursing students in 2011 continue to be thirty years of age or less, similar to findings in previous education reports.

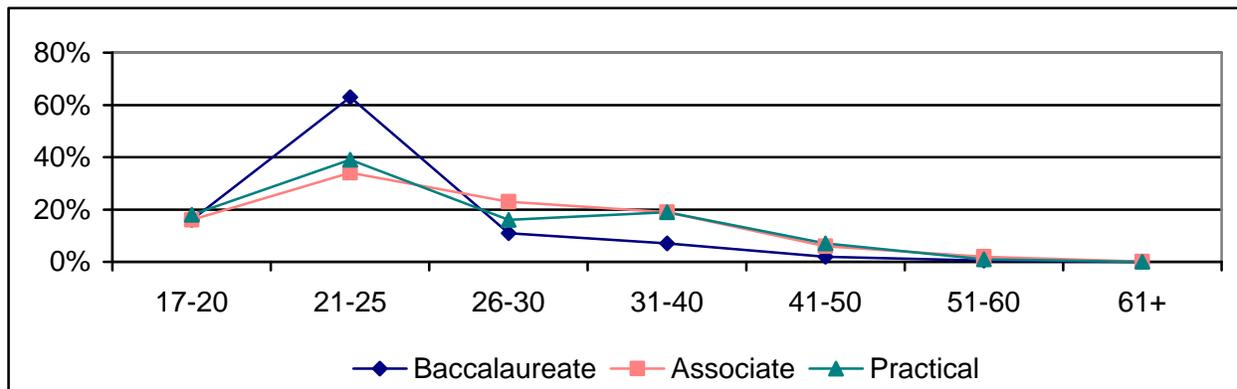
Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Dakota Wesleyan University	35	39	22	14	3	2	0	115
Oglala Lakota College	3	6	10	9	0	1	0	29
Presentation ADN	2	9	6	2	0	2	0	21
Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	3	5	1	2	3	1	15
University of South Dakota	65	170	115	99	37	5	0	491
Associate Total	105	227	158	125	42	13	1	671
Percent of Total	16%	34%	23%	19%	6%	1.9%	0.1%	100%

Age of Students Enrolled in Practical Programs

The majority, 73%, of practical nursing students in 2011 continue to be thirty years of age or less, similar to findings in previous education reports.

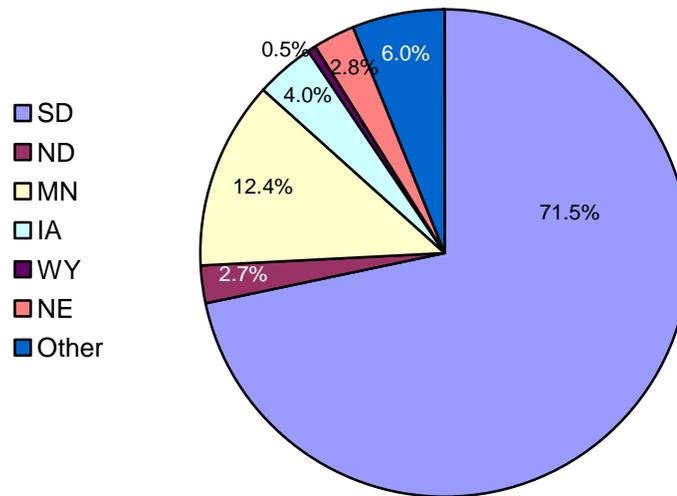
Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Lake Area	19	29	11	19	8	3	0	89
Mount Marty	3	6	1	2	1	0	0	13
Sinte Gleska University	0	4	4	5	2	0	0	15
Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	3	1	2	2	1	0	9
Southeast Tech	46	107	42	46	14	0	0	255
Western Dakota Tech	5	12	6	5	1	0	0	34 (5 unknown)
Practical Nurse Total	73	161	65	79	28	4	0	415
Percent of Total	18%	39%	16%	19%	7%	1%	0	100%

Age of All Students Enrolled



State of Residence of Enrolled Nursing Students

Enrolled Students State of Residence: 2011



State of Residence of Enrolled Nursing Students by Nursing Program

Nursing Education Program	South Dakota		North Dakota		Minnesota		Iowa		Wyoming		Nebraska		Other	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Augustana College = 109	54	49.5%	-	-	38	34.9%	10	9.2%	-	-	1	0.9%	6	5.5%
Dakota Wesleyan = 115	110	95.7%	-	-	3	2.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.7%
Lake Area Technical = 89	81	91.0%	2	2.3%	5	5.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.1%
Mount Marty College = 125	77	61.6%	1	0.8%	4	3.2%	4	3.2%	-	-	33	26.4%	6	4.8%
National American U. = 19	17	89.5%	-	-	2	10.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oglala Lakota College = 29	25	86.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	13.8%	-	-
Presentation College = 160	75	46.9%	27	16.9%	52	32.5%	1	0.6%	1	0.6%	1	0.6%	3	1.9%
Sinte Gleska University = 15	14	93.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6.7%	-	-
Sisseton Wahpeton Coll. = 24	10	41.7%	10	41.7%	4	16.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SD State University = 623	423	67.9%	12	1.9%	100	16.1%	28	4.5%	8	1.3%	9	1.4%	43	6.9%
Southeast Tech = 255	211	82.7%	-	-	14	5.5%	24	9.4%	-	-	1	0.4%	5	2.0%
University of Sioux Falls = 98	66	67.3%	1	1.0%	18	18.4%	4	4.1%	1	1.0%	3	3.1%	5	5.1%
University of SD = 491	368	74.9%	5	1.0%	32	6.5%	16	3.3%	1	0.2%	8	1.6%	61	12.4%
Western Dakota Tech = 34	33	97.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2.9%	-	-	-	-
Total Students = 2186	1564	71.5%	58	2.7%	272	12.4%	87	4.0%	12	0.5%	61	2.8%	132	6.0%

*Excludes RN Upward Mobility enrollment

Nursing Education Curriculum

RN programs were not required to include clock hours with the exception of clinical and learning lab hours. All Programs were asked to list Clinical Clock Hours as total hours for all clinical and nursing learning laboratory experiences in the Program (clock hours per week x number of weeks for all nursing courses).

Nursing Program	Faculty: Student Ratio	Clinical Conversion Clock: Credit	Weeks Per Semester
Augustana College	1:8 1:9 Behavioral Health	3:1	14
Dakota Wesleyan University	LPN and Associate = 1:8 RN-BAN = 1:8	3:1 – Associate and RN-BAN 2:1 – LPN-RN Seminar Hours	15
Lake Area Technical Institute	1:4 - 1:8	60:1	18
Mount Marty College	Sophomores 1:6 Juniors 1:6 Seniors 1:6	3:1	14
National American University	1:8	3:1	11
Oglala Lakota College ADN	1:3 – 1:6	1 st Year 3:1 2 nd Year 4:1 2010-2011 All 3:1	15
Presentation ADN	1:6 – 1:8	3:1	15
Presentation BSN	1:6 – 1:8	3:1	15
Sinte Gleska University	1:7	3:1	16
Sisseton Wahpeton College	1:3 – 1:6	3 hours/week x 15 weeks = 1 credit	16
South Dakota State University	1:8 Some areas 1:9 (Behavioral Health, CCHS)	3:1	15
Southeast Technical Institute	1:8	2:1	18
University of Sioux Falls	1:8	3:1	16
University of South Dakota	1:8	3:1	15
Western Dakota Technical Institute	1:8	40 clinic hrs: 1 credit	16

Nursing Education Program	Non-Nursing Credit Hours	Nursing Theory Credit Hours	Nursing Clinical		Total Learning Lab Clock Hours	Total Credit Hours to Graduate
			Clinical Credit Hours	Clinical Clock Hours		
Augustana College	82	32.5	13.3	532	88	130
Mount Marty College	71	35.3	15.2	639	84	128
Presentation BSN	71	35	21	945	133	127
South Dakota State University	69	59	18	810	150	128
University of Sioux Falls	60	45	21	945	90	128
Dakota Wesleyan University Associate RN	31	27.5	12.5	562.5	Mitchell: 57.0 Huron: 75.5	71

Nursing Education Program	Non-Nursing Credit Hours	Nursing Theory Credit Hours	Nursing Clinical		Total Learning Lab Clock Hours	Total Credit Hours to Graduate
			Clinical Credit Hours	Clinical Clock Hours		
Dakota Wesleyan University LPN-RN	30	17.5	5.75 Clinical 1.75 Seminar	258.75 Clinical 52.5 Seminar	0	55 + 16 from LPN = 71
National American University	79.5	79	28	840	200	186.5
Oglala Lakota College	43	29	13	585	86	85
Presentation ADN	35	20	14	630	71	69
University of South Dakota	29-30	19	16	660	60	64-65
Lake Area Technical Institute	14.5	34		692	75	48.5
Sinte Gleska University	22	21	17	765	180	67
Sisseton Wahpeton College ADN	47	20	5	225	45	67
Sisseton Wahpeton College LPN	28	31	16	720	45	56
Southeast Technical Institute	18	20	8 clinical 5 w/ preceptor	460 clinical 200 preceptor	96	53
Western Dakota Technical Institute	16 (256 clock)	22 (352 clock)	19	720	48	43

Nursing Graduates

Number of Registered Nurse Graduates

In 2011, baccalaureate nursing education programs had 364 graduates, a 3.6% increase from 2010. Associate degree programs had 393 graduates in 2011, a 6.7% increase from 2010.

Baccalaureate Degree Graduates: October 1, 2010 - September 30, 2011

Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program	Generic Students	LPN Upward Mobility Students	Generic + LPN Upward Mobility Students	% of Graduates Prepared From program	RN Upward Mobility Students	Total Bacc. Graduates
Augustana College	55	0	55	15%	1	56
Dakota Wesleyan University	0	0	0	0	8	75
Mount Marty College	24	0	24	7%	0	24
Presentation BSN	20	13	33	9%	1	34
South Dakota State University	232	0	232	64%	55	287
University of Sioux Falls	20	0	20	5%	0	20
Baccalaureate Total	351	13	364	100%	65	496

Associate Degree Graduates: October 1, 2010 - September 30, 2011

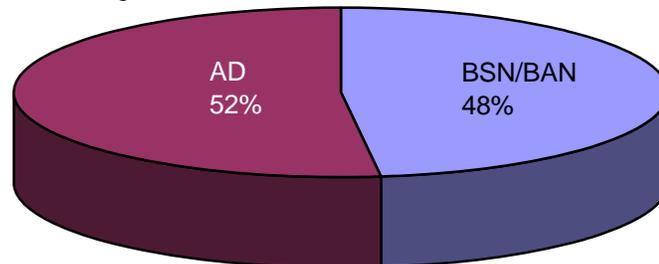
Associate Degree Nursing Program	Generic Students	LPN Upward Mobility Students	Total Graduates	% of Graduates Prepared
Dakota Wesleyan University	48	18	66	17%
Oglala Lakota College	11	0	11	3%
Presentation ADN	16	0	16	4%
Sisseton Wahpeton College	14	0	14	3%
University of South Dakota	230	56	286	73%
Associate Total	319	74	393	100%

Total Number of Baccalaureate and Associate Registered Nurse Graduates – 2011

Total Registered Nurse Graduates	Generic Students	LPN Upward Mobility Students	Total Graduates	% of Total Graduates Prepared
Baccalaureate Degree	351	13	364	48%
Associate Degree	319	74	393	52%
Total	670	87	757	100%

(Total number of graduates in 2010 was 718.)

Percentage of Graduates Produced: 2011



Number of Practical Nurse Graduates

Practical nurse programs continue an upward trend with 202 students graduating in 2011, a 4.1% increase since 2010.

Practical Nurse Graduates: October 1, 2010 - September 30, 2011

Practical Nursing Program	Total Graduates	% of PNs Prepared
Lake Area	60	30%
Sinte Gleska University	7	3%
Sisseton Wahpeton College	6	3%
Southeast Tech	93	46%
Western Dakota Tech	36	18%
Practical Nursing Total	202	100%

Characteristics of Nursing Graduates

Age of Baccalaureate Degree Graduates

The majority, 89%, of baccalaureate degree nursing graduates in 2011 continue to be thirty years of age or less, similar to findings in previous education reports.

October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011

Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Augustana College	0	51	1	0	3	0	0	55
Mount Marty College	0	16	4	2	2	0	0	24
Presentation BSN	0	18	7	6	1	1	1	34
South Dakota State University	0	183	27	17	5	0	0	232
University of Sioux Falls	0	5	11	2	1	1	0	20
Baccalaureate Total	0	273	50	27	12	2	1	365
Percent of Total	0	75%	14%	7%	3%	0.6%	0.4%	100%

**Excludes RN upward mobility enrollment.*

Age of Associate Degree Graduates

The majority, 66%, of associate degree nursing students in 2011 were thirty years of age or less, similar to findings in previous education reports.

October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011

Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Dakota Wesleyan University	3	29	22	7	4	1	0	66
Oglala Lakota College	0	2	5	3	0	1	0	11
Presentation ADN	0	8	4	1	3	0	0	16
Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	2	5	1	2	3	1	14
University of South Dakota	2	114	67	72	26	5	0	286
Associate Total	5	155	103	84	35	10	1	393
Percent of Total	1%	39%	26%	21%	9%	3%	<1%	100%

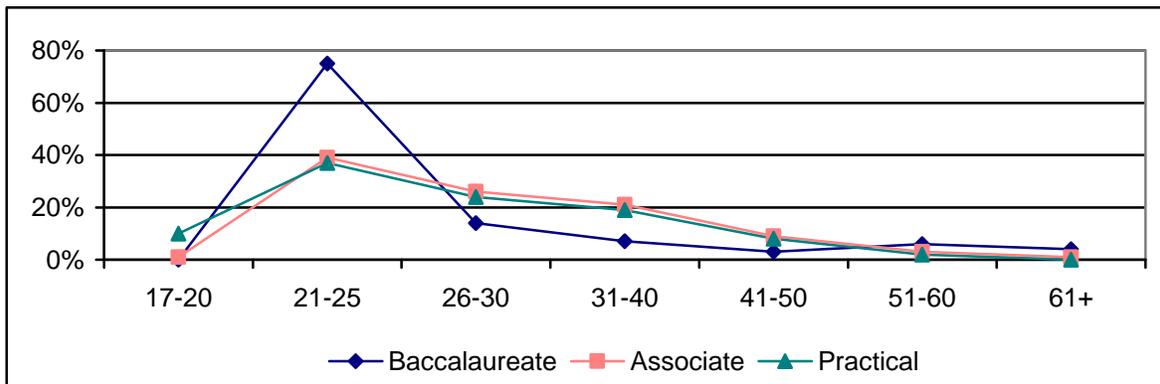
Age of Practical Nursing Graduates

The majority, 71%, of practical degree nursing students in 2011 continue to be thirty years of age or less, similar to findings in previous education reports.

October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011

Nursing Program	17-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Total Students
Lake Area	15	21	11	8	3	1	0	59
Sinte Gleska University	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	7
Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	6
Southeast Tech	1	36	26	20	10	0	0	93
Western Dakota Tech	2	12	9	9	2	2	0	36
Practical Nurse Total	19	74	49	39	16	4	0	201
Percent of Total	10%	37%	24%	19%	8%	2%	0	100%

Age of All Nursing Graduates



Baccalaureate and Associate Degree NCLEX–RN® Results

First-time NCLEX–RN® test writers in South Dakota’s baccalaureate and associate degree programs are displayed in the tables below for the period of January 1 through December 31, 2011. South Dakota’s pass rate for both baccalaureate and associate degree programs was 89.2%; the national pass rate was 87.9%.

Baccalaureate Degree NCLEX- RN® Results: January 1—December 31, 2011

Nursing Program	Total Test Writers	Total Passed	Percent Passed
Augustana College	55	49	89.1%
Mount Marty College	25	18	72%
Presentation BSN	36	34	94.4%
South Dakota State University	223	218	93.6%
University of Sioux Falls	19	18	94.7%
Total	358	337	94%

Baccalaureate Degree NCLEX–RN® Pass Rates: 2002—2011

Nursing Program	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Augustana College	95%	84%	74.5%	90.5%	85.5%	83.9%	86.8%	96.2%	100%	89.1%
Mount Marty College	93%	100%	90.5%	84%	76.7%	81.3%	89.7%	90.9%	87.5%	72%
Presentation BSN	95%	79%	93.1%	87.5%	92%	63.6%	69%	93.2%	85.2%	94.4%
Si Tanka University at Huron	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota State University	93%	93%	85.7%	84.9%	84.2%	91.6%	93.3%	92.9%	90.8%	93.6%
University of Sioux Falls	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.7%

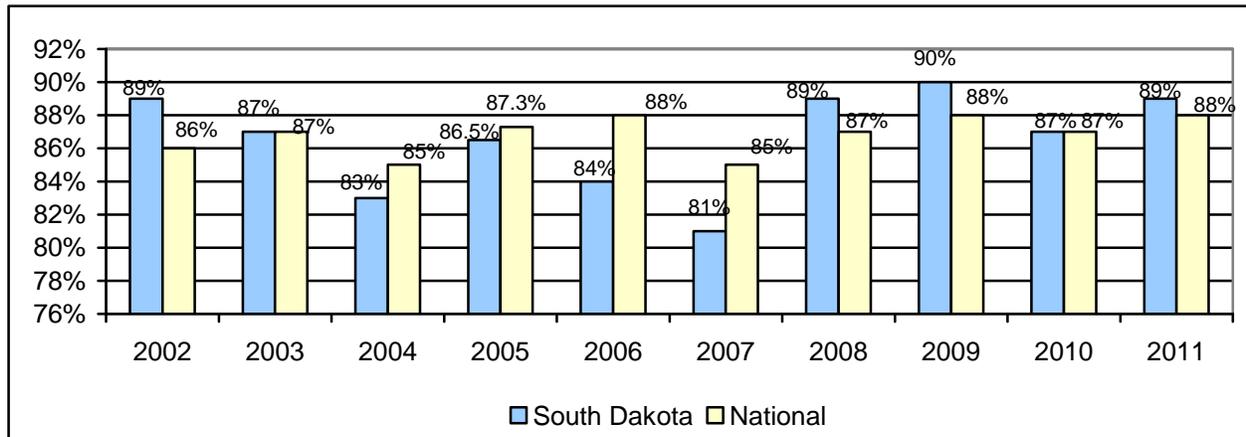
Associate Degree NCLEX-RN® Results: January 1—December 31, 2011

Nursing Program	Total Test Writers	Total Passed	Percent Passed
Dakota Wesleyan University	66	60	91%
Oglala Lakota College	11	7	63.6%
Presentation	17	14	82.3%
Sisseton Wahpeton College	8	4	50%
University of South Dakota	279	246	88.2%
Total	381	331	87%

Associate Degree NCLEX-RN® Pass Rates: 2002—2011

Nursing Program	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Dakota Wesleyan University	85%	89%	81.8%	93.1%	84.9%	80.7%	90.5%	88.3%	85.3%	91%
Si Tanka at Huron	86%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oglala Lakota College	100%	54%	60%	81.8%	45.5%	85.2%	88.9%	100%	71.4%	63.6%
Presentation ADN	33%	91%	57.1%	33.3%	100%	72.7%	100%	100%	100%	82.3%
Sisseton Wahpeton College	44%	25%	-	-	-	100%	62.5%	66.7%	30%	50%
University of South Dakota	89%	87%	82.8%	88.3%	83.8%	75.1%	90.1%	86.7%	85.1%	88.2%

South Dakota NCLEX-RN® Pass Rates: 2002—2011



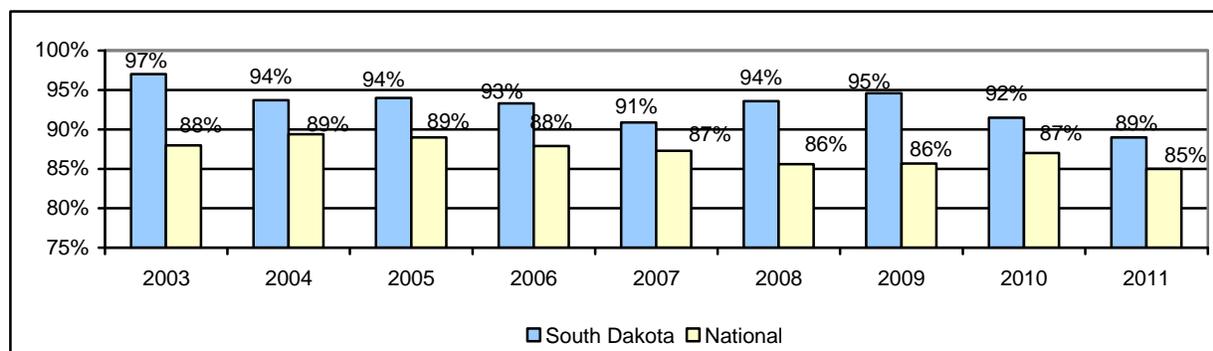
Practical Nurse Graduate NCLEX-PN® Results

South Dakota's first-time NCLEX-PN test writers for the period from January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011 are displayed in the table below. South Dakota's pass rate for all first-time test writers in this time period was 89.2%; the national pass rate was 84.8%.

Practical Program NCLEX-PN® Results: January 1—December 31, 2011

Nursing Program	Total Test Writers	Total Passed	Percent Passed
LPN by Equivalency	4	4	100%
Lake Area	52	47	90.4%
Sinte Gleska University	9	2	22.2%
Sisseton Wahpeton College	5	4	80%
Southeast Tech	98	91	93%
Western Dakota Tech	36	34	94.4%
Total	204	182	89%

South Dakota NCLEX–PN® Pass Rates: 2003–2011



Graduates Licensed as RNs in South Dakota

October 2010– September 2011

Baccalaureate and Associate Registered Nurse Programs	Total Graduates	Total Licensed in South Dakota	
Augustana College	55	40	72.7%
Dakota Wesleyan University	66	59	89.3%
Mount Marty College	24	13	54.2%
Oglala Lakota College	11	7	63.6%
Presentation ADN	16	12	75.0%
Presentation BSN	34	17	50.0%
Sisseton Wahpeton College ADN	14	1	7.1%
South Dakota State University	232	174	75.0%
University of Sioux Falls	20	14	70.0%
University of South Dakota	286	200	69.9%
Registered Nurse Total	758	537	70.8%

*Excludes RN upward mobility enrollment.

Graduates Licensed as LPNs in South Dakota

October 2010– September 2011

Practical Nurse Programs	Total Graduates	Total Licensed in South Dakota	
Lake Area Technical Institute	59	48	81.3%
Sisseton Wahpeton College LPN	6	0	0%
Sinte Gleska University	7	0	0%
Southeast Technical Institute	93	82	88.2%
Western Dakota Technical Institute	36	34	94.4%
Practical Nurse Total	201	164	81.6%

Nursing Education Faculty

Employment Status

Faculty counted as full-time were those included as instructional, administrative, or research staff of the nursing program who were employed full-time as defined by the institution, held academic rank, carried the full scope of faculty responsibility (e.g., teaching, advisement, committee work), and received the rights and privileges associated with full-time employment.

Part-time faculty were those members of the instructional, administrative, or research staff of the nursing academic unit who are employed part-time as defined by the institution, may or may not hold academic rank, carry responsibility for a specific area (e.g., teaching a single course), and may carry any number of titles (e.g., adjunct, clinical instructor).

Also included were administrative, LOA/sabbatical, and persons employed to teach nursing theory, clinical practice, and/or lab. Those not included were substitute teachers, guest lecturers, or faculty for graduate programs.

Baccalaureate and Associate Degree RN Faculty: 2011

Nursing Program	Full Time	Part Time		LOA / Sabbatical	Faculty Total		FTE 2010	Change 2010-2011
		#	FTE		# 2011	FTE 2011		
Augustana College	10	5	1.1	0	15	11.1	11.825	-0.725
Dakota Wesleyan University	13	10	1.42	0	23	14.42	14.94	-0.52
Mount Marty College	8	10	4.61	0	18	12.61	11.91	0.7
National American University	6	16	8	0	22	14	6.0	8.0
Oglala Lakota College	5	1	0.5	0	6	5.5	6.0	-0.5
Presentation College	9	13	3.371	0	22	12.371	12.01	0.361
^Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	5	2.55	0	5	2.55	3.8	-1.25
South Dakota State University	48	92	23.55	0	140	71.55	71.55	0
University of Sioux Falls	5	28	3.71	0	33	8.71	5.12	3.59
>University of South Dakota	41	56	9.44	0	97	50.44	54.12	-3.68
Total	145	236	58.251	0	381	203.251	197.275	5.976

^Sisseton Wahpeton: 4 faculty are FT, however, FTEs of 3 of them are distributed between the PN and RN programs.

> University of South Dakota adjunct faculty are defined as part-time faculty. Also, because some USD FT faculty members hold more than one full FTE, their overages are included in the PT FTE category.

Practical Program Faculty: 2011

Nursing Program	Full Time	Part Time		LOA / Sabbatical	Faculty Total		FTE 2010	Change 2010-2011
		#	FTE		# 2011	FTE 2011		
Lake Area Technical	6	6	1.8	0	12	7.8	8.3	-0.5
Sinte Gleska University	7	0	0	0	7	7.0	4.0	3.0
^Sisseton Wahpeton	1	5	1.45	0	6	2.45	3.8	-1.35
Southeast Technical	8	6	3.0	0	14	11.0	11	0
<Western Dakota Technical	4	4	0	0	8	4.0	5.65	-1.65
Total	26	21	6.25	0	47	32.25	32.75	-0.5

^Sisseton Wahpeton: 4 faculty are FT, however, FTEs of 3 of them are distributed between the PN and RN programs.

<Western Dakota Technical adjunct faculty are paid hourly and thus do not fulfill any FTEs.

Faculty Vacancies

Baccalaureate and Associate RN Nursing Programs	RN Program Vacancies	Practical Nursing Programs	PN Program Vacancies
Augustana College	1	Lake Area Technical	0
Dakota Wesleyan University	0	Sinte Gleska University	0
Mount Marty College	0	Sisseton Wahpeton College	0
National American University	0	Southeast Technical	1
Oglala Lakota College	0	Western Dakota Technical	0
Presentation College	1		
Sisseton Wahpeton	1		
South Dakota State University	4		
University of Sioux Falls	2		
University of South Dakota	3		
Total RN Program Vacancies	12	Total PN Program Vacancies	1

Faculty Characteristics

Gender and Ethnicity

The majority of faculty members teaching in South Dakota's baccalaureate, associate, and practical nursing programs are white females, as presented in the table below.

Nursing Faculty Gender and Ethnicity: 2011

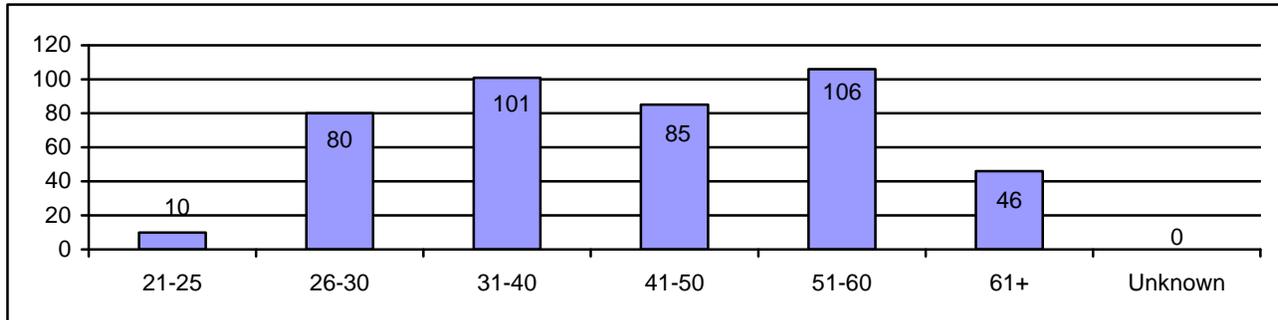
Nursing Education Program	Gender		Ethnicity							Total Faculty
	Female	Male	American Indian Alaska Native	Asian	Black African American	Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander	White	Hispanic / Latino	Other / Unknown	
Augustana College	15	0	1	0	0	0	14	0	0	15
Dakota Wesleyan University	23	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	23
Lake Area Technical	12	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	12
Mount Marty College	17	1	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	18
National American University	22	0	0	0	7	0	14	0	1	22
Oglala Lakota College	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6
Presentation College	20	2	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	22
Sinte Gleska University	7	0	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	7
^Sisseton Wahpeton RN	5	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	5
^Sisseton Wahpeton PN	6	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	6
Southeast Technical Institute	13	1	0	0	0	0	13	0	1	14
South Dakota State University	131	9	0	0	0	0	139	1	0	140
University of Sioux Falls	28	5	0	0	0	0	32	1	0	33
University of South Dakota	93	4	0	0	0	1	95	1	0	97
Western Dakota Technical	7	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	8
Total	405	23	6	0	7	1	408	4	2	428
Percent of Total	94.6%	5.4%	1.4%	0%	1.6%	0.2%	95.3%	0.9%	0.5%	100%

^Sisseton Wahpeton RN and PN Programs share faculty members; the numbers reflect their FTEs as shared between programs

Age

Only 10.5% of all nursing faculty in South Dakota hold a doctoral degree, of that group, approximately 89% were 51 years and older. Additionally, data revealed 11% of all nursing faculty were 61 years and older compared to national findings of 30% of full-time nurse educators 60 years and older¹.

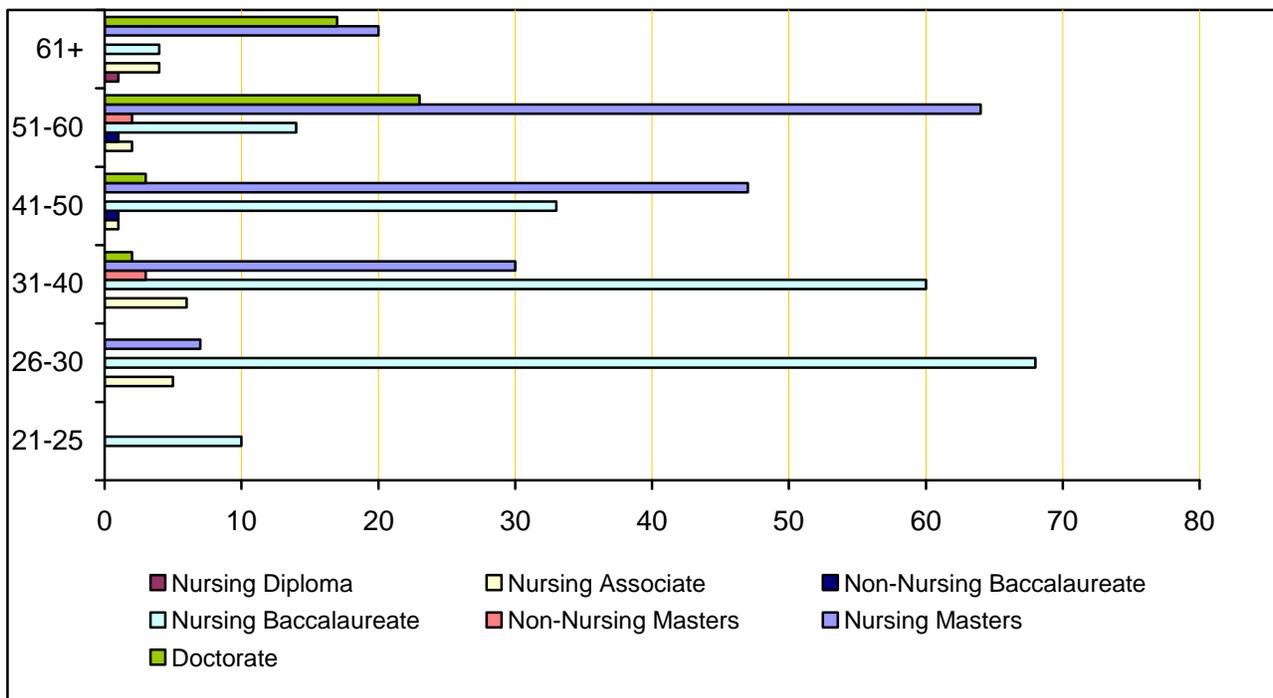
Nursing Faculty Age Range: 2011



Nursing Faculty Age and Highest Degree Held: 2011

Age Range	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	61+	Unknown	Total
Doctorate	0	0	2	3	23	17	0	45
Nursing Masters	0	7	30	47	64	20	0	168
Non-Nursing Masters	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	5
Nursing Baccalaureate	10	68	60	33	14	4	0	189
Non-Nursing Baccalaureate	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Nursing Associate	0	5	6	1	2	4	0	18
Nursing Diploma	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Total	10	80	101	85	106	46	0	428
Percent of Total	2.3%	18.7%	23.6%	19.9%	24.8%	10.7%	0	100%

Nursing Faculty Age and Highest Degree Held: 2011



¹NLN Annual Survey of Schools: 2009-2010. www.nln.org/research/slides. Accessed May 24, 2011.

Highest Degree Held by Program Type

The majority, 44%, of associate and baccalaureate program faculty members' reported their highest degree held in nursing as a baccalaureate degree in nursing; 41% held a master's degree in nursing; and 11.5% held a doctorate degree.

Highest Degree Held by Baccalaureate and Associate Faculty: 2011

Baccalaureate and Associate Nursing Program <i>(Administrator's highest degree is included in "Total" Column)</i>	Highest Nursing Degree Held by Program Administrator	Doctorate Degree	Masters Degree in Nursing	Non-Nursing Masters Degree	Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing	Non-Nursing Baccalaureate	Associate Degree in Nursing	Diploma RN	Total
Augustana College	PhD	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	15
Dakota Wesleyan University	EdD	0	16	0	6	0	0	0	23
Mount Marty College	DNP	3	6	1	7	0	0	0	18
National American University	PhD	3	17	0	1	0	0	0	22
Oglala Lakota College	MS	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	6
Presentation College	MS	1	9	1	10	0	0	0	22
^Sisseton Wahpeton College	PhD	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	5
South Dakota State University	PhD	23	38	0	76	0	2	0	140
University of Sioux Falls	PhD	2	8	2	20	0	0	0	33
University of South Dakota	EdD	1	43	0	46	0	6	0	97
Baccalaureate and Associate Degree Totals		36	154	4	168	1	8	0	381
(Includes RN Administrators) Percent		11.5%	40.9%	1.0%	44.1%	0.3%	2.1%	0	100%

^Sisseton Wahpeton College Associate and Practical Programs share faculty members

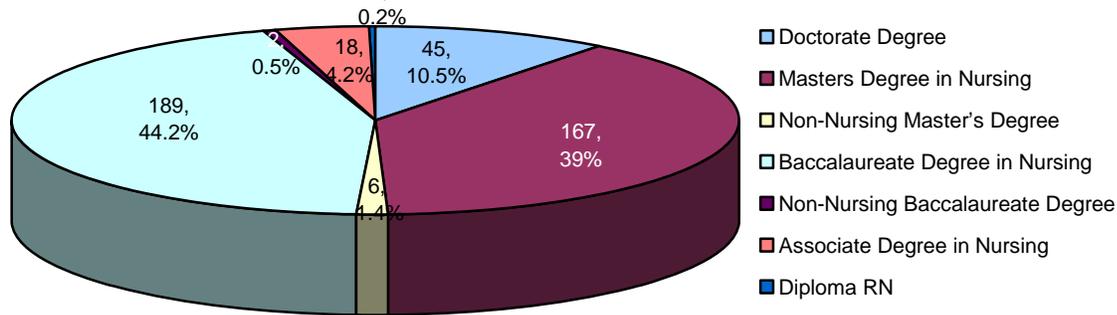
Nine practical nursing faculty members, 23.4%, held a master's in nursing; 44.7% of faculty held a baccalaureate degree in nursing, and 21.3% held an associate degree in nursing. These numbers are comparable to the data from the 2010 Report.

Highest Degree Held by Practical Program Faculty: 2011

Practical Nursing Program <i>(Administrator's highest degree is included in "Total" Column)</i>	Highest Nursing Degree Held by Program Administrator	Doctorate Degree	Masters Degree in Nursing	Non-Nursing Masters Degree	Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing	Non-Nursing Baccalaureate	Associate Degree in Nursing	Diploma RN	Total
Lake Area Technical	MS	0	4	0	6	1	0	0	12
Sinte Gleska University	AD	0	3	0	2	0	0	1	7
^Sisseton Wahpeton College	PhD	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	6
Southeast Technical Institute	MS	0	0	2	4	0	7	0	14
*Western Dakota Technical	BSN	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	8
Practical Program Totals		0	9	2	20	1	9	1	47
(Includes PN Administrators) Percent		2.1%	23.4%	4.3%	44.7%	2.1%	21.3%	2.1%	100%

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Highest Degree Held, All Faculty Members: Baccalaureate, Associate, and Practical Programs: 2011



Faculty Enrolled in Education Programs Leading to an Advanced Degree: 2011

RN Baccalaureate and Associate Program Faculty

Nursing Program	Doctorate			Nursing MS	Nursing BA/BS	Total
	DNP	EdD	PhD			
Augustana College	2	1	1	0	0	4
Dakota Wesleyan University	0	1	1	1	0	3
Mount Marty College	1	0	0	2	0	3
National American University	1	3	7	1	0	12
Oglala Lakota College	0	0	0	1	0	1
Presentation College	0	1	1	3	0	5
*Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	0	0	1	0	1
South Dakota State University	2	0	9	7	0	18
University of Sioux Falls	1	0	1	1	0	3
University of South Dakota	3	10	5	22	1	41
RN Programs Total	10	16	25	39	1	91
Doctorate Total = 51						

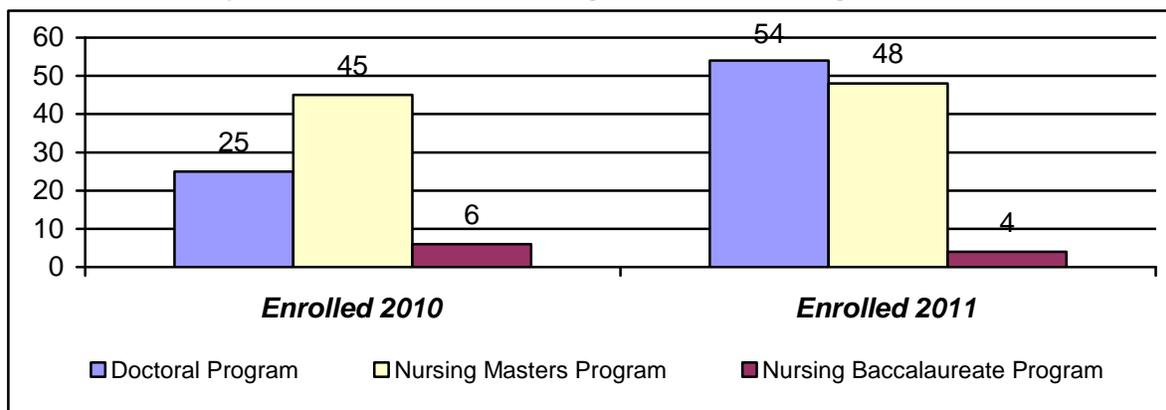
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Practical Program Faculty

Nursing Program	Doctorate	Nursing MS	Nursing BA/BS	Total
Lake Area Technical Institute	1 PhD	2	0	3
Sinte Gleska University	0	2	0	2
*Sisseton Wahpeton College	0	2	0	2
Southeast Technical Institute	1 DNP	2	3	6
Western Dakota Technical	1 DNP	1	0	2
PN Programs Total	3	9	3	15

*Sisseton Wahpeton College Associate and Practical Programs share faculty members

Total Faculty Enrolled in Education Leading to an Advanced Degree: 2010 – 2011



Historical Notes

1980 – 1989:

- 1981: Huron Nursing College began as an AD Program.
- Fall 1985: These Practical Nursing Programs did not accept applications for admission Fall 1985: Southeast Area Vocational Technical Institute, Mitchell Vocational Technical School of Practical Nursing, and Pierre School of Practical Nursing.
- Fall 1986: These Practical Nursing Programs did not accept applications for admission Fall 1986: Western Dakota Tech Vocational Technical and Freeman Junior College.
- May 1986: Sioux Valley Hospital School of Nursing graduated its last class.
- Fall 1988: Presentation College received Interim approval for the Baccalaureate Program. The first class of students was admitted in Fall 1988.
- June 1989: Dakota Wesleyan University graduated its last class of students in the Rapid City LPN Upward Mobility Program.
- Fall 1989: Western Dakota Tech LPN program approved.
- 1989: The western part of the state has diploma, associate and baccalaureate degree programs preparing students for RN licensure and one program preparing students for LPN licensure.
- Fall 1989: South Dakota State University began admitting students to its Satellite Generic Program, Rapid City.
- Fall 1989: The University of South Dakota began admitting students to their Satellite Upward Mobility Programs in Watertown and Pierre. The program in Watertown serves as a 1+1 Program, with Lake Area Technical Institute offering the first year and University of South Dakota the second. The University of South Dakota began admitting students to their Satellite Generic Program in Rapid City.

1990 – 1999:

- Spring 1990: Presentation College discontinued the ADN Program. They offer a Baccalaureate Program with an ADN Exit Option.
- Spring 1991: The University of South Dakota admitted students to their Satellite Generic Program in Pierre.
- May 1991: Rapid City Regional Hospital School of Nursing graduated its last class.
- November 1991: Sisseton Wahpeton College Community College received Interim Approval for their ADN Program, with the first class to be admitted February 1992.
- 1992: Presentation is classified as Associate Degree only; 100% of admissions exit at AD level.
- 1993: Presentation College Associate Degree Program has Full Approval from South Dakota Board of Nursing. The Generic BSN Program has Interim Approval Status with no students enrolled at this time. NLN accreditation was received for an RN completion program. There are currently 23 students (17 FT and 6 PT) enrolled. These students are not included in the 1993 Statistical Report.
- 1994: Presentation College offers the Associate Degree at the Eagle Butte campus only. The BSN Program is offered at the main campus, with 66 students enrolled.
- Fall 1995: Augustana College implemented a Masters Program in Nursing and admitted students.
- 1996: Mount Marty College discontinued the Watertown campus Career Mobility Program.
- 1997: Huron University admitted ten students to a BSN Completion Program. The Program has Probationary Approval Status.
- 1997: Presentation College received Board approval for reorganization of the BSN Program to include a satellite at the North Dakota State School of Science in Wahpeton, South Dakota.
- 1998: Huron University received Interim Approval Status for the BSN Completion Program.
- 1999: Presentation College offered the BSN Completion Program at Queen of Peace Hospital in Mitchell and at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls.

2000 – 2009:

- Fall 2001: Southeast Tech received Prerequisite Status to implement LPN Program in the fall semester.
- May 2002: Huron University (Si Tanka University at Huron) will close its Associate Degree Program following graduation of the last class of students in May 2002.
- 2002: Presentation College offers the Associate Degree Program on the main campus as well as the off-campus site in Eagle Butte, South Dakota.
- May 2002: The Associate Degree Program at Si Tanka University at Huron officially closed.
- May 2003: Board of Nursing approval was withdrawn for the Associate Degree Nursing Program at Sisseton Wahpeton College effective May 31, 2003.
- July 2003: Interim Approval was granted for LPN Programs at Sisseton Wahpeton College and Sinte Gleska University University.
- November 2003: Full Approval Status granted to LPN Program at Southeast Tech.
- January 2004: Approved expansion for articulation agreement between Presentation College with Southeast Tech in Sioux Falls, Lake Area Technical Institute in Watertown, and Western Dakota Tech in Rapid City for BSN Completion Program for LPNs. Nursing courses begin Fall 2004 for LPN-BSN and will begin Spring 2005 for RN-BSN.
- January 2004: Granted Program Approval to Presentation College Baccalaureate Nursing Program, Fairmont Campus, Fairmont, MN. Minnesota Board of Nursing granted Full Approval of BSN Program, June 2003. Nursing courses began Fall 2004 for traditional LPN-BSN students, while RN-BSN courses began Spring 2004. Presentation College BSN Completion Program for RNs and LPNs marketed to all Avera Health sites in South Dakota.
- January 2004: Southeast Tech granted approval for reorganization to expand the LPN Program in Yankton.
- July 2004: Sisseton Wahpeton College was granted Prerequisite Status to begin a new LPN-RN Associate Degree Program.
- November 2004: Dakota Wesleyan University received approval for reorganization to develop a one year LPN to RN curriculum to be offered at Southeast Tech in Sioux Falls.
- December 2004: South Dakota Board of Regents approved South Dakota State University PhD in Nursing Program.
- February 2005: Colorado Technical University granted Prerequisite Status for an RN/BSN completion program.
- April 2005: Colorado Technical University RN/BSN completion program granted Interim Status.
- May 2005: Dakota Wesleyan University granted approval of Proposal for Reorganization of the Nursing Education Programs to offer a satellite program in Huron.
- July 2005: Moved to grant Full Approval to the Sisseton Wahpeton College LPN Program when 75% successful NCLEX[®] Pass Rate met.
- May 1, 2005: Voluntary Closing of Si Tanka University Nursing Program accepted.
- September 2005: Granted Interim Status to Sinte Gleska University LPN Nursing Program.
- November 2005: Granted Dakota Wesleyan University Prerequisite Status for RN-BAN completion program.
- April 2006: Granted National American University University Interim Status pending completion of a successful on-site visit for Distance RN-BSN Completion Program.
- September 2006: National American University University placed on Probation Status for noncompliance with ARSD 20:48:07:38.
- September 2006: Sisseton Wahpeton College College granted Interim Status for LPN-RN nursing program.
- November 2006: Western Dakota Tech Practical Nursing Program returned to Full Approval Status.
- November 2006: National American University University RN-BSN distance program granted Interim Status.
- November 2006: Granted Interim Status for Dakota Wesleyan University University University RN-BAN Distance Learning program.

- February 2007: Oglala Lakota College College AD Program placed on probationary status.
- June 2008: Granted Full Approval Status for National American University University RN-BSN Completion Program.
- September 2008: Sinte Gleska University University LPN Nursing Program placed on Probationary Status.
- November 2008: Granted Full Approval Status to Dakota Wesleyan University RN-BAN Online Completion Program.
- January 2009: University of Sioux Falls approved for Prerequisite Status of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program, accelerated eight-semester and RN-BSN options.
- April 2009: Presentation College BSN and ADN Nursing Education Programs placed on Probationary Status for two years.
- September 2009: University of Sioux Falls approved for Interim Status of the Accelerated Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing Program with an eight-semester and RN-BSN options.
- November 2009: National American University University granted Interim Approval Status for a generic BSN program.

2010 – 2011:

- February 2010: Sinte Gleska University University to remain on Probationary Status with follow-up site visit.
- April 2009: Sisseton Wahpeton College granted Full Approval Status of the PN program and continued Interim Approval Status of the RN program.
- April 2009: Presentation College AD and BSN nursing programs granted continued Probationary Status.
- April 2009: Presentation College approved for reorganization to offer AD courses on main campus.
- June 2010: Mount Marty College granted approval for Prerequisite Status for a LPN Program.
- September 2010: University of South Dakota granted Prerequisite Status for a RN to BSN Completion Program.
- September 2010: Mount Marty College approved for Interim Status for a Licensed Practical Nurse Program.
- January 2011: Mount Marty College began first cohort of LPN Program
- June 2011: National American University granted approval for Request for Reorganization to add Sioux Falls campus
- June 2011: Sisseton Wahpeton College approved for LPN-RN Online program
- September 2011: SDBON opened West River office in Spearfish
- September 2011: University of South Dakota began first cohort of RN-BSN students
- September 2011: Southeast Technical Institute granted Interim Status for LPN-RN (Associate of Applied Science) Program
- November 2011: Western Dakota Technical University placed on Probationary Status