

Alabama 2015 LPN Demographic Review

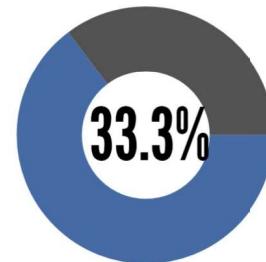
The Alabama Nursing Workforce: A Snapshot

Gender (n=15,300)	2015	%
Male	745	5.02
Female	14,108	92.2
No response	447	2.9

Only **5.02%**
of LPNs are male



Race (n=15,300)	2015	%
American Indian/Alaska Native	91	0.6
Asian	60	0.4
Black/African American	4,924	32.2
Native Hawai'ian/Pacific Islander	8	0.1
White/Caucasian	9,357	61.2
Hispanic/Latino	92	0.6
Other	85	0.6
No response	683	4.5



of LPNs are African
American, American
Indian, Asian, or
Native Hawaiian

Age (n=15,300)	2015	%
18-29	1,535	9.96
30-39	3,259	21.15
40-49	4,084	26.51
50-59	3,900	25.31
60-69	2,277	14.78
70-79	328	2.13
80-89	22	.14
90+	1	.01

Highest Level of Education (n=15,300)	2015	%
Vocational/Practical Certificate-Nursing	12,588	82.3
Associate Degree- Other Field	1383	9.0
Bachelor's Degree- Other Field	545	3.6
Master's Degree- Other Field	143	.9
Unknown	641	4.2



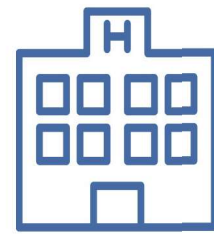
42.4% of nurses are
50+ years of age

Plans to Retire or Leave Nursing Workforce	2015	%
Within Next 5 Years	1,699	11.1
Within Next 10 Years	1,702	11.1
Within Next 15 Years	1,098	7.2
Within Next 20 Years	1,985	13.0
Greater than 20 Years	2,820	18.4
I am not Planning to Leave the Workforce	4,730	30.9
Unknown	1,266	8.3

18.4% are planning to
retire in **20+** years



Setting of Primary Practice Position	2015	%
Nursing Home/Extended Care/Assisted Living	5,204	34.1
Hospital	1,568	10.2
Home Health	990	6.5
School Health Services	766	5.0
Ambulatory Care Setting	546	3.6
Community Health	519	3.4
Correctional Facility	488	3.2
Public Health	279	1.8
Occupational Health	119	.8
Insurance Claims/Benefits	76	.5
Academic Setting	53	.3
Policy/Planning/Regulatory/Licensing Agency	6	.0
Other	2,006	13.1
Unknown	2,680	17.5



10.2%
of LPNs
work in a
hospital setting

Tele-Health Use in Primary or Secondary Position	2015	%
Yes	540	3.5
No	9,997	65.3
Unsure	3,302	21.6
Unknown	1,461	9.6



Only **3.5%**
of LPNs use Tele-Health

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Data Sources:

Alabama Board of Nursing LPN Licensure Survey, 2015

