



# LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES

NOC 32101

Provide care for patients under the direction of doctors and registered nurses. They work in health care settings, such as hospitals, clinics and private homes.



### 3-YEAR OUTLOOK



### 3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

# 463

### MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

# \$26.00

\$23.45    \$31.80  
LOW            HIGH

### TYPICALLY REQUIRED



College or apprenticeship

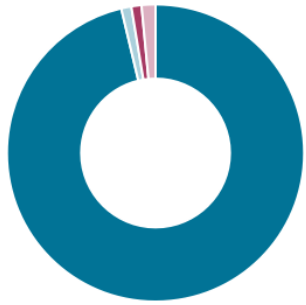
### EMPLOYED

# 2,977

### AVERAGE SALARY

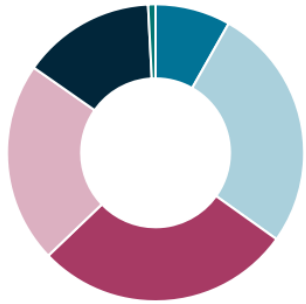
# \$51,160

The information presented is based on data for New Brunswick. To learn more about the data provided, visit [www.nbjobs.ca/occupations](http://www.nbjobs.ca/occupations).



### EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

<b>96.2%</b>	Health care and social assistance
<b>1.1%</b>	Retail trade
<b>1.1%</b>	Public administration
<b>1.5%</b>	All Other Industries



### EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

<b>8.2%</b>	15-24
<b>26.7%</b>	25-34
<b>28.0%</b>	35-44
<b>21.9%</b>	45-54
<b>14.5%</b>	55-64
<b>0.8%</b>	65+

### ALSO KNOWN AS

- Graduate Nursing Assistant
- Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)
- Operating Room Technician
- Registered Nursing Assistant (RNA)

### MAIN DUTIES:

This group performs some or all of the following duties:

- Provide nursing services, within defined scope of practice, to patients based on patient assessment and care planning procedures
- Perform nursing interventions such as taking vital signs, applying aseptic techniques including sterile dressing, ensuring infection control, monitoring nutritional intake and conducting specimen collection
- Administer medication and observe and document therapeutic effects
- Provide pre-operative and post-operative personal and comfort care
- Monitor established respiratory therapy and intravenous therapy.

