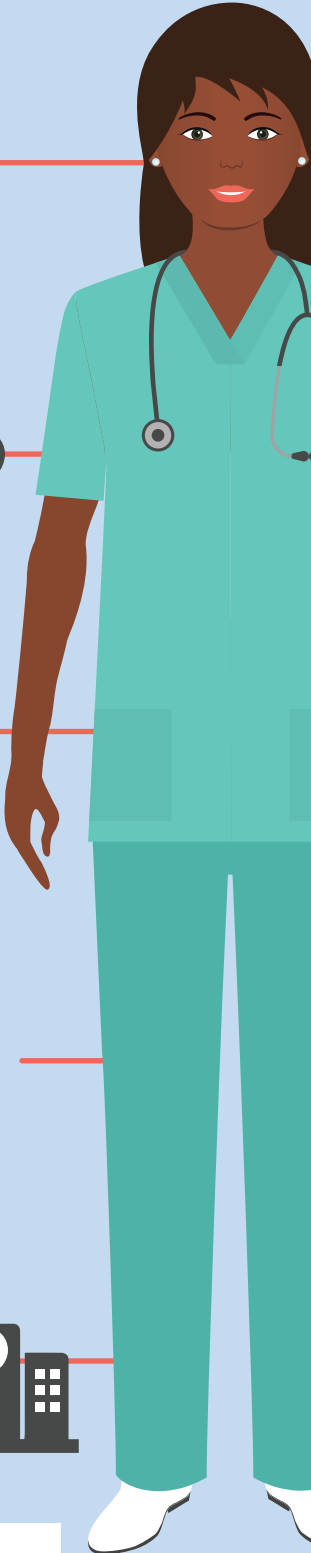
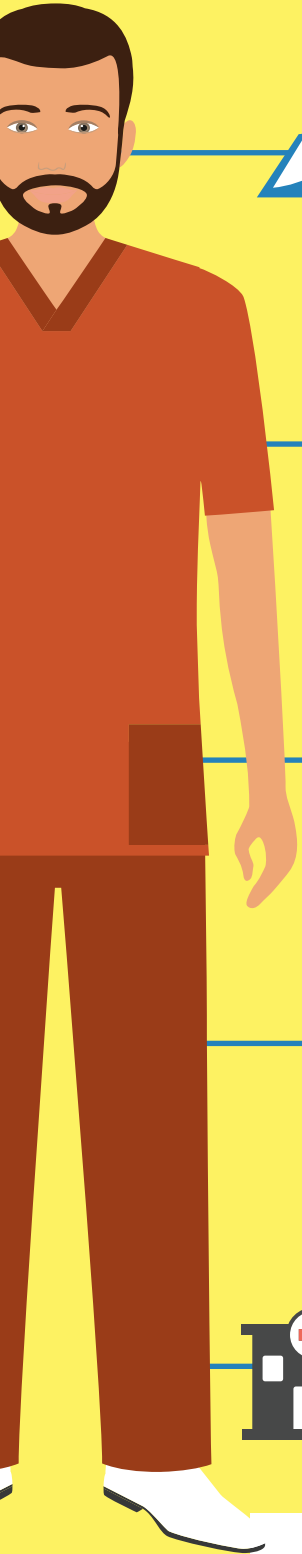


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LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE(LPN)

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REGISTERED NURSE(RN)



EDUCATION



LPNs must have a license and complete an approved educational program. Programs award a certificate diploma and typically take about 1 year to complete.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN), Associate's degree in Nursing (ADN) or Diploma from approved Nursing program. Pass state board exam to obtain license.



IMPORTANT QUALITIES



- Compassion
- Detail oriented
- Interpersonal skills
- Communication skills
- Physical stamina
- Patience

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- Detail oriented
- Critical-thinking skills
- Communication skills
- Physical stamina
- Emotional stability
- Organizational skills



WHAT THEY DO



Monitor patients, administer basic patient care, report status, and concerns to RN's and doctors, and maintain patient records.

Patient care, maintain medical records, educate patients and the public about various health conditions, medicine management, provide team leadership, and provide advice and emotional support.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGES \$23.29

Employment of LPNs is projected to grow 3.1% from 2020 to 2030.

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGES \$37.36

Employment of registered nurses is projected to grow 5.5% from 2020 to 2030.

WORK ENVIRONMENT



Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses work in many settings, including nursing homes and extended care facilities, hospitals, physicians' offices, and private homes. Most work full time, including evenings, holidays, and weekends.

Most RN's work in hospitals, physicians' offices, home healthcare services, and nursing care facilities.



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