
List of Health Occupations Resources

Sites About Nursing



Growth and Development

[New CDC Growth Charts](#)

New growth charts for birth to age 20 from the CDC. Based on a more inclusive overview of today's diverse population in the US.

Disease Specific Sites

[Americanheart.org](#)

American Heart Association site.

[arthritis.org](#)

Site of the Arthritis Foundation.

[cancernet.nci.nih.gov](#)

Site of the National Cancer Institute a component of the National Institutes of Health.

[diabetes.org](#)

Site of the American Diabetes Association.



[Nurse Zone](#)

General site with information covering work life and after work life for nurses.

[About Nursing](#)

General information about and for nurses.

[NursingCenter.com](#)

General information about nursing. Includes links to many journals, associations and other sites of interest.

[Rn.com](#)

A nurse community site featuring nursing employment information, travel nursing jobs, unlimited continuing education, a nursing forum and much more.

[Nursing Hands](#)

Information includes news, references, games & features.

[Nursingworld.org](#)

Official site of the American Nurses Association.

[rnweb.com](#)

The *RN Magazine* site.

immunize.org Site of Immunization Action Coalition, a nonprofit organization formed to boost immunization rates and prevent disease. Also publishes *Needle Tips*.

lungusa.org Site of the American Lung Association.

mhsource.com Site of Mental Health Infosome, publisher of several mental health related magazines.

nephron.com Site of the Nephron Information Center. Lots of links pertaining to renal/kidney disease as well as other health related links.

neuroguide.com A searchable and browsable index of neuroscience resources available on the Internet: Neurobiology, neurology, neurosurgery, psychiatry, psychology, cognitive science sites and information on human neurological diseases.

rarediseases.org Site for the National Organization for Rare Disorders. Very long list of rare diseases with linked information.

[Nurses in History](#)

Many links to sites about nurses throughout history.

Military Health Careers

[Coast Guard Health Career Opportunities: Enlisted](#)

Professional opportunities are handled on a case by case basis through recruiting.

Career Outlook for Health Professions

[US News.com: Career Outlook for Health and Medicine](#)

Outlook for new types of health careers for the future.

Resources on Work-life Issues

[Women Today](#)

An interesting article on dual-worker couples.

[Families and Work Institute](#)

Families and Work Institute (FWI) is a non-profit center for research that provides data to inform decision-making on the changing workplace, changing family and changing community.

Cultural and Linguistic Standards of Care

[Culturally and
Linguistically
Competent Standards
of Care](#)

Cultural and linguistic competence implies an ability by health care providers and organizations to understand and respond effectively to the cultural and linguistic needs brought by patients to the health care setting. This site includes the final National Standards for provision of these competencies.

[Diversity Rx](#)

Promoting language and cultural competence to improve the quality of health care for minority, immigrant, and ethnically diverse communities. Several sections explain the who, what, why and link to the where and how to promote the competencies.