

**Number of Basic RN Programs and Percentage Change from Previous Year by
Program Type: 1982 to 1995 and 2002 to 2012**

YEAR	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	ALL BASIC RN PROGRAMS		BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS		DIPLOMA PROGRAMS		ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS	
		Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change
1982	1,406	1,432	2.2	402	5.0	288	-5.0	742	3.8
1983	1,432	1,466	2.4	421	4.7	281	-2.4	764	3.0
1984	1,445	1,477	0.8	427	1.4	273	-2.8	777	1.7
1985	1,434	1,473	-0.2	441	3.3	256	-6.2	776	-0.1
1986	1,426	1,469	-0.3	455	3.2	238	-7.0	776	0.0
1987	1,406	1,465	-0.3	467	2.6	209	-12.2	789	1.7
1988	1,391	1,442	-1.6	479	2.6	171	-18.7	792	0.3
1989	1,429	1,457	1.0	488	1.9	157	-8.2	812	2.5
1990	1,412	1,470	0.9	489	0.2	152	-3.2	829	2.1
1991	1,411	1,484	1.0	501	2.4	145	-4.6	838	1.1
1992	1,404	1,484	0.0	501	0.0	135	-6.9	848	1.2
1993	1,415	1,493	0.6	507	1.2	129	-4.4	857	1.1
1994	1,422	1,501	0.5	509	0.4	124	-3.9	868	1.3
1995	1,434	1,516	1.0	521	2.4	119	-4.0	876	0.9
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2002	*	1,459	-3.8	526	1.0	76	-36.1	857	-2.2
2003	1,376	1,444	-1.0	529	0.6	69	-9.2	846	-1.3
2004	1,410	1,504	4.2	553	4.5	71	2.9	880	4.0
2005	1,446	1,544	2.7	573	3.6	62	-12.7	909	3.3
2006	1,538	1,694	9.7	644	12.4	73	17.7	977	7.5
2007	1,626	1,758	3.8	683	6.1	75	2.7	1000	2.4
2008	1,656	1,773	0.9	681	-0.3	69	-8.0	1023	2.3
2009	1,664	1,783	0.6	683	0.3	69	0.0	1031	0.8
2010	1,691	1,812	1.6	694	1.6	70	1.4	1048	1.6
2011	1,712	1,800	-0.7	677	-2.4	63	-10.0	1060	1.1
2012	1,757	1,839	2.2	696	2.8	59	-6.3	1084	2.3

*Not available.

Source: National League for Nursing. 2013.
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www.nln.org/research/slides/index.htm.

