NC Nurses

Working collaboratively to improve health across NC

- 22,586 LPNs
- 139,257 RNs
- 13,274 APRNs
Mission:
Protect the public by regulating the practice of nursing
NC has also seen fast growth in the Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant workforce. The cumulative percentage growth per 10,000 population in metropolitan and non-metropolitan counties since 2000 for Nurse Practitioners, Physicians, Physician Assistants in North Carolina is illustrated in the graph below.
Education

Licensure

Standards

Scope

- RIBN project
- PREP program
- Joint Position Statements re: Pain Treatment at End of Life, Alternative Practice Settings for EMS, Licensed Opioid Treatment Programs and Nursing Work Environments
- Home Health and Hospice Grant partner to support RN workforce
- SHEPS partner in NC workforce research study of supply/demand
A balancing Act......

Standards

Innovations