

Licensing/Operations Report – July 2020

April 1, 2020 – June 30, 2020

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Our application numbers have increased during this last quarter mostly due to graduations but other factors played a role as well. We currently have more than 1077 applications in the queue which is an increase of more than 350 from last quarter.

The licensing section has been very busy this quarter due to graduation season, COVID-19 related issues, testing issues, questions, etc. With the changes to Chapters 2 & 5 LPN IV, CNA II, HHA and MA-C applications have been deployed in ORBS. LPN IV certifications can be viewed with the LPN license through Nursys and by mid July 2020 CNA II, HHA, and MA-C certifications can be verified with the CNA Certification through our website.

The work on the renewal applications took a back seat for a couple of months and we are now forging ahead again. Our goal is to have everything in place by the beginning of September. To help with a smooth renewal it is encouraged that all current licensees, if they have not created one already, create a nurse portal account prior to renewal season.

Total Active Permanent Licenses with Initial and Endorsements issued Apr -Jun 2020

Title	License Type	Total
Total Active	Registered Nurse	9,534
	Certified Nursing Assistant	5,646
	Licensed Practical Nurse	1,062
	Certified Nurse Practitioner	804
	Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	161
	Certified Nurse Midwife	27
	Clinical Nurse Specialist	25
	Total	17,259
Total Initial	Certified Nursing Assistant	234
	Registered Nurse	198
	Licensed Practical Nurse	91
	Certified Nurse Practitioner	16
	Home Health Aid	10
	Certified Nursing Assistant II	8
	MAC	4
	Certified Nurse Midwife	1
	Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	1
	Total	563
Total Endorsement	Registered Nurse	53
	Certified Nursing Assistant	24
	Certified Nurse Practitioner	18
	Licensed Practical Nurse	4
	Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	1
	Total	100