CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Pursuing a career in nursing, you will have a rewarding future full of personal growth, good earnings, and an increasing level of responsibility as you progress through your career.

Duties you perform will depend upon your specialty, but generally speaking, the many different areas of nursing have a lot in common. Virtually all nursing specialties is that the job involves providing health care services, monitoring patient progress, and educating patients and their families about their health condition or disease.

Most registered nurses work as part of a team with physicians and other healthcare specialists. Some registered nurses oversee licensed practical nurses, nursing assistants, and home health aides.

LINKS TO COLLEGES AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:
http://publications.uh.edu/content.php?catoid=31&navoid=11837
https://www.uttyler.edu/nursing/college/undergraduate/rn-bsn.php
https://www.acenursing.org/
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ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING
CAREER PATHWAY MAP

READ ALL NOTES CAREFULLY:
* Refer to Core Curriculum and KC Catalog for all possible course options.

Courses in **bold** have a pre-requisite (previous course required).

RNSG courses are only for students accepted in the nursing program.

Courses in *italics* may be taken prior to being accepted into the nursing program.

ENGL 1301 class may require a co-requisite and/or developmental course depending on TSI scores.

Refer to KC Catalog for AAS Degree requirements.

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ADVANCED DEGREE/CREDENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES
Registered Nurses begin as staff nurses in hospitals or community health settings and can move to other settings or be promoted to positions with more responsibility. In management, RNs can advance from assistant clinical nurse manager, charge nurse, or head nurse to move senior-level administrative rolls; such as assistant director or director of nursing, vice president or chief nursing officer.

Some RNs may become nurse anesthetists, nurse midwives, or nurse practitioners, which; along with clinical nurse specialists, are types of advanced practice registered nurses (APRNs). APRN positions require a master’s degree, and many have a doctoral degree. APRNs may provide primary and specialty care and in many states they may prescribe medications.

https://www.bon.state.tx.us/
https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/chs/cnws/
http://texasapin.org/
http://www.sfaonline.info/rnbsntrack
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