

Spotlight on

Licensed Practical Nurses



In-demand NOW!

CAREER OVERVIEW

Licensed Practical Nurses are in high demand in the Greater Cincinnati region, where the population is aging and more and more people are needing more frequent hands-on care.

About one-third of LPNs work in nursing homes and residential care facilities; the remainder work in a wide variety of healthcare facilities including hospitals, physician offices, outpatient care centers and more.

THE EYES AND EARS OF THE TEAM

Some patients, especially the elderly, require daily hands-on care and assistance. This is the crucial role of the LPN: continuous care and monitoring of patients and reporting information back to the care team. They also:

- Monitor a patient's vital signs like blood pressure and pulse and overall health condition
- Change bandages, insert catheters
- Administer medications and injections
- Assist with medical tests and procedures
- Consult with RNs to develop patient care plans

GETTING STARTED

A 3-semester certificate is typically required to become an LPN.

If you are interested in learning more scan the QR code at right.

REGIONAL TRAINING
AND EDUCATION



\$65,500 PER YEAR
average mean salary

925 ACTIVE JOB POSTINGS

in the Cincinnati region

"Caring for others is why I became a nurse."
- Amanda P, LPN

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