51.1614 Practical Nursing

The Department of Labor’s Summary Report for this occupation:

29-2061 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses

**Program Length:** 5 Semesters

On average, students at Hagerstown Community College take nine credit hours per semester. This average is used to calculate On-time Graduate Rate for certificate students in relation to the total credit hours required per certificate program.

Example for Calculation:

| Total Credit Hours Required for Practical Nursing | 42 |
| Average Credit Hours Taken by HCC Students | 9 |
| Calculation for Time to Graduation | \( \frac{42}{9} = 4.6 \) Semesters |
| Time to Graduation for Practical Nursing | 5 Semesters |

Disclaimer: The rate is calculated based on average 9 credits per semester and assumed the student was college ready and not required to take developmental course(s).

**Costs**: Tuition & Fees: $5,519
Books & Supplies: $1,575


*The above is based on FY 12 tuition, fees, course fees, and estimated books/other at $175 per class. In cases where there are electives for students to choose from, the highest course fees are used.

**Number of Graduates**: 15 (July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2012)

**Percent of graduate with Student Loan Debt**: 33.0%

**Median Loan Debt**: Title IV loan debt: $0
Private Education loan debt: $0
Institutional Finance Plan: $0

**On-Time Graduation Rate**: 40%

**Job Placement Rate**: The National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) is currently developing a methodology to calculate job placement rates. When the methodology is available, we will calculate placement rates for this program.