



BSN NURSING WORKFORCE IN SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

CHARLOTTE, DESOTO, MANATEE, SARASOTA COUNTIES
2016



Higher education levels in nurses improves patient outcomes, infection and mortality rates

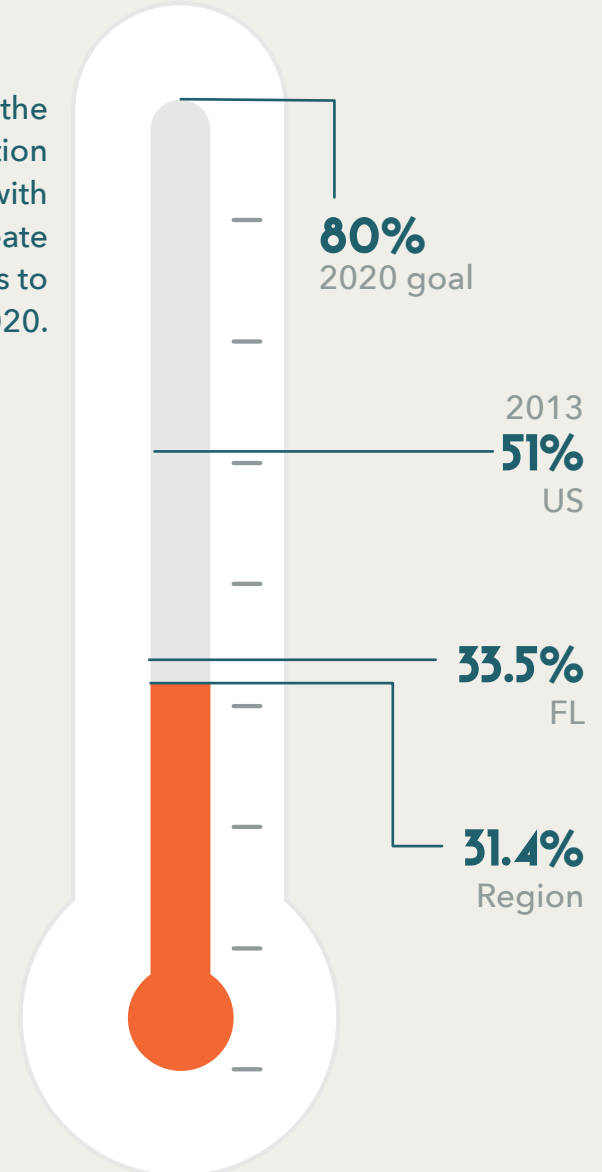


More BSN education program are needed; more bachelor (BSN) prepared nurses are needed

Increase the proportion of nurses with baccalaureate degrees to 80% by 2020.



SNAC is a coalition of education and health care agencies partnering with community members to increase the percentage of BSN prepared nurses





COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES SERVING THE AREA



MORE TRADITIONAL and ACCELERATED/2ND DEGREE BSN PROGRAMS are needed in the Sarasota-Manatee area.

	RN to BSN	Traditional 4 year BSN	Accelerated/ 2nd degree BSN	Veteran to BSN	NCLEX pass rate for prelicensure graduates 2015 (1/1-9/30)
Florida Gulf Coast		●			96.34% of 82
Florida Southwestern State College	●				87.22% of 30
Keiser	●		New 2016		100% of 34
SCF*	●	Planning			92.28% of 106
USF	●	●	●	●	91.2% of 160

* Most graduates live or work in this region

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Percentage of employed nurses with a Baccalaureate degree in nursing or higher

	Manatee	DeSoto	Sarasota	Charlotte	Regional
Total Working RN's	2172	130	3612	1075	6989
Number of BSN's	543	21	1011	351	1962
Master/Doctorate	75	4	156	37	272
Subtotal	618	25	1167	388	2198
Percentage of BSN and Higher	28.4%	19.2%	32.3%	36%	31.4%