



Nurse Education in the Tertiary Sector

**NEW GRADUATE DESTINATIONS
(as at 30 November, 2020)
FROM REGISTERED NURSE GRADUATES (July – October 2020)**

Number of Graduates who Passed Nursing Council Exam

Number of graduates surveyed	520
Number employed as registered nurses	432 (83% of graduates)
Number seeking work but not offered employment	12 (2% of graduates)
Number not seeking work as RN	22 (4% of graduates)
Number of students who did not complete the survey	54 (11% of graduates)

Area of practice

Medical	Surgical	Child Health including neonatology	Emergency & trauma	Intensive care / Coronary care	Perioperative care (theatre)	District Nursing	Primary Health care (including practice nursing)
(3)	(11)	(2)	0	0	(8)	(1)	(8)
78	85	12	9	7	34	8	13
Mental Health Inpatient care	Mental Health Community	Psycho-geriatrics	Assessment & Rehabilitation	Continuing care elderly	Obstetrics and Maternity	Public Health	Other
(3)	(3)	(1)	0	(19)	0	(3)	(8)
31	13	1	19	19	0	3	30
Other specified							
Cardiothoracic	1	Oncology	1				
Corrections	2	Māori Health Provider	2				
Managed Isolation Quarantine	12	Overseas	5				
Outpatients	6						
PACU	2						
St Johns	2						
Outpatients	6						

REGISTERED NURSE GRADUATE DESTINATIONS (July – October 2020)

Institution	Graduates (Passed state)	Employed as RN in NZ & overseas	Private	Overseas	Not offered work as RN	Not seeking work as RN	No data	% of Graduates known to be in Nursing Employment
Ara	228	206	20	2	3	12	7	90.4%
AUT	103	58	6	0	2	0	43	56.3%
EIT	33	29	6	0	3	1	0	87.9%
NorthTec	29	29	2	0	0	0	0	100.0%
SIT	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	50.0%
UCOL	36	28	14	2	0	6	2	77.8%
Unitec	14	11	2	2	1	0	2	78.6%
Wintec	75	70	20	0	2	3	0	93.3%
Totals	520	432	70	6	12	22	54	83.1%

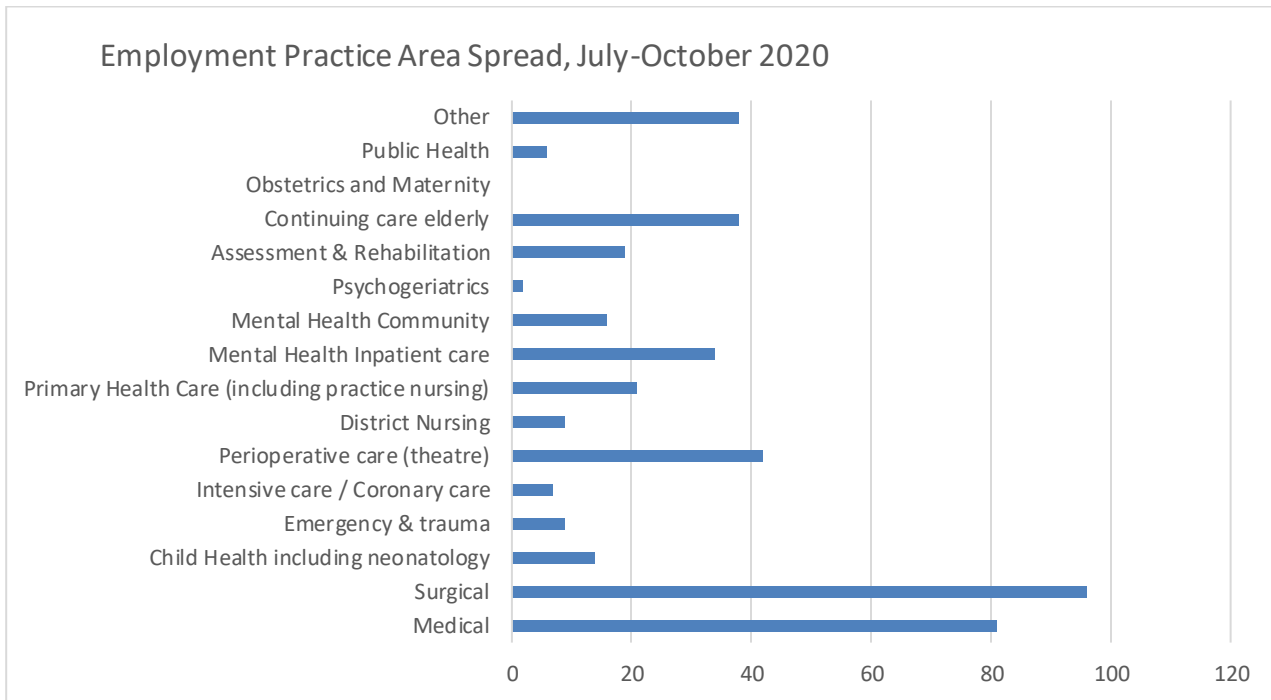


Figure 1: Employment Practice Area Spread (July – October 2020)

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