



# Press Release

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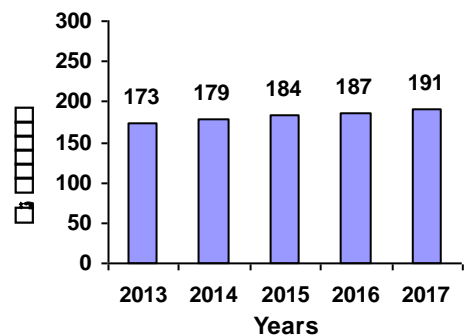
### On the occasion of International Nursing Day 5.9% increase in total nursing staff members in 2017

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issues today 12 / 5/2019 a press release on the occasion of the International nursing day which the World Health Organization (W.H.O) began to celebrate since 1820 in 12 th May annually commemorate of Ms. / Florence Nightingale, birthday, as the first who set rules and principles of nursing modern education . Also she set levels of nursing and administrative services in hospitals .

### The most important statistical indicators are as follows:

- Total nursing staff who actually work reached 219265 nurses in 2017, compared to 207143 nurses in 2016, an increase of 5.9 %.
- Total nursing staff who actually work in the governmental sector reached 191351 nurses in 2017, compared to 187090 nurses in 2016, an increase of 2.3 %.
- Total nursing staff who actually work in private sector reached 27914 ncluding (hospitals and treatment facilities without an internal clinic) nurses in 2017 , compared to 20053 nurses in 2016, an increase of 39.2 %.
- Number of nursing syndicate members reached 247830 members in 2017, compared to 243529 members in 2016, an increase of 1.8 %.
- Total number of nursing colleges graduates reached 5213 in 2017, compared to 4687 graduates in 2016, an increase of 11.2%.
- Total number of Nursing technical institutes graduates was 3679 in 2017, compared to 2513 graduates in 2016, an increase of 46.4%.

Number of nursing staff members in governmental sector



Number of nursing colleges graduates

