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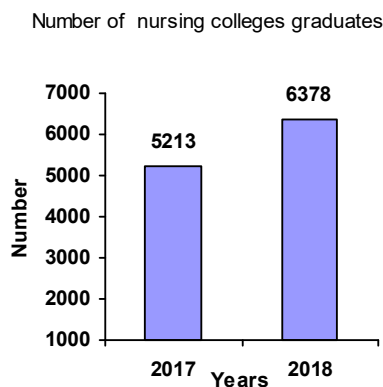
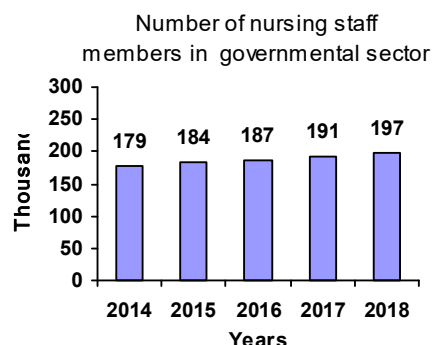
Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of International Nursing Day 3.5% increase in total nursing staff members in 2018

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issues today 11 / 5/2020 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 221065 nurses in 2018 compared to 213583 nurses in 2017, an increase of 3.5 %.
- Total nursing staff who actually work in the governmental sector reached 196686 nurses in 2018, compared to 191351 nurses in 2017, an increase of 2.8 %.
- Total nursing staff who actually work in private sector reached 24379 ncluding(hospitals and treatment facilities without an internal clinic) nurses in 2018 , compared to 22232 nurses in 2017, an increase of 9.7 %.
- Number of nursing syndicate members reached 252950 members in 2018, compared to 247830 members in 2017, an increase of 2.1 %.
- Total number of nursing colleges graduates reached 6378 in 2018, compared to 5213 graduates in 2017, an increase of 22.3%.
- The number of graduates of technical institutes of nursing reached 3489 in 2018 compared to 3679. graduates in 2017, an increase of 5.2%.
- The total number of nursing school graduates reached 11,991 in 2019 compared to 11079 graduates in 2018, an increase of 8.2%.



Sources:

- Ministry of Health.
- Department of Central Statistics in universities.
- General Nursing Syndicates.