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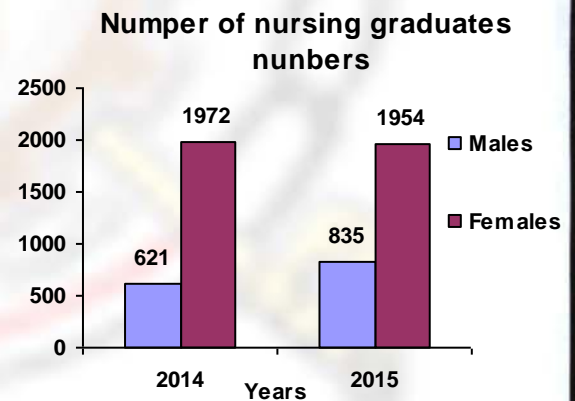
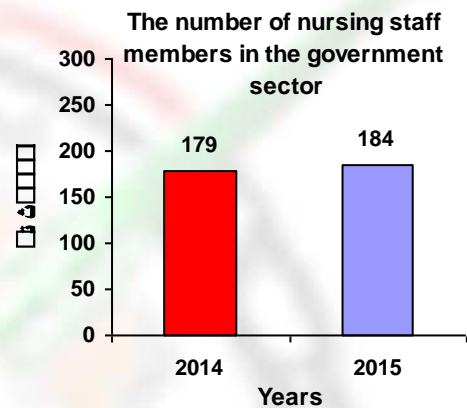
Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of International Nursing Day 3.4% increase in total nursing staff members

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issues today 11 / 5/2017 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 the 12 th May every Ms. / Florence Nightingale, birthday the first to set rules and principles of nursing modern education and also set levels of nursing and administrative services in hospitals ,the logo of this year is " nursing ..a bright present and a renewed future ".

The most important statistical indicators are as follows:

- 1) The Total nursing staff who actually work in the governmental sector reached 203 thousand nurses in 2015 compared to 197 thousand nurses in 2014, with an increase of 3.4 % .
- 2) Total nursing staff who actually work in the government sector reached 184 thousand nurses in 2015 compared to 179 thousand nurses in 2014, an increase of 2.6 % .
- 3) Total nursing staff who actually work in the private sector reached 19 thousand nurses in 2015 compared to 16 thousand nurses in 2014, an increase of 15.7 % .
- 4) Number of nursing syndicate members reached 235 thousand members in 2015, compared to 227 thousand members in 2014, with an increase of 3.6% .
- 5) Total number of nursing colleges graduates reached 2789 (835 males, 1954 females) in 2015 compared with 2593 graduates in 2014 (621 males, 1972 females) , an increase of 7.6 % .
- 6) Total number of technical institutes of nursing graduates 1961 reached graduates (498 by 25.4 % males, 1463 by 74.6 % females) in 2015



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