

SOUTH AFRICAN NURSING COUNCIL

PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION OF NURSING MANPOWER VERSUS THE POPULATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2008

PROVINCE	POPULATION (ESTIMATE) 2008	NURSING MANPOWER AS AT 2008/12/31				IN TRAINING 2008/12/31		
		REGISTERED	ENROLLED	AUXILIARIES	TOTAL	STUDENTS	PUPILS	PUPIL N/A
PERSONS *****								
Western Cape								
- FEMALES	2 760 400	13421	4710	7527	25658	1437	717	365
- MALES	2 501 600	594	244	512	1350	321	66	27
- TOTAL	5 262 000	14015	4954	8039	27008	1758	783	392
Eastern Cape								
- FEMALES	3 441 500	12400	2575	4998	19973	2296	498	104
- MALES	3 137 800	827	171	671	1669	708	146	23
- TOTAL	6 579 300	13227	2746	5669	21642	3004	644	127
Northern Cape								
- FEMALES	580 500	1915	405	1195	3515	232	-	92
- MALES	545 400	156	30	119	305	58	-	51
- TOTAL	1 125 900	2071	435	1314	3820	290	-	143
Free State								
- FEMALES	1 506 800	6506	1278	2674	10458	751	186	133
- MALES	1 370 900	783	228	339	1350	245	47	40
- TOTAL	2 877 700	7289	1506	3013	11808	996	233	173
KwaZulu/Natal								
- FEMALES	5 321 100	21188	14307	10305	45800	2187	4242	970
- MALES	4 784 400	1280	1517	1075	3872	614	469	95
- TOTAL	10 105 500	22468	15824	11380	49672	2801	4711	1065
North West								
- FEMALES	1 756 200	6342	1996	4048	12386	1094	21	130
- MALES	1 668 800	705	191	538	1434	335	7	24
- TOTAL	3 425 000	7047	2187	4586	13820	1429	28	154
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POPULATION PER QUALIFIED NURSE (IN THE SAME PROVINCE) *****								
Western Cape		375:1	1062:1	655:1	195:1			
Eastern Cape		497:1	2396:1	1161:1	304:1			
Northern Cape		544:1	2588:1	857:1	295:1			
Free State		395:1	1911:1	955:1	244:1			
KwaZulu/Natal		450:1	639:1	888:1	203:1			
North West		486:1	1566:1	747:1	248:1			

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PERSONS *****								
Gauteng								
- FEMALES	5 248 600	26874	10379	15042	52295	3299	3894	2330
- MALES	5 198 500	1312	682	1068	3062	701	361	134
- TOTAL	10 447 100	28186	11061	16110	55357	4000	4255	2464
Mpumulanga								
- FEMALES	1 859 100	4903	1630	3063	9596	286	195	85
- MALES	1 730 900	400	144	292	836	140	26	31
- TOTAL	3 590 000	5303	1774	3355	10432	426	221	116
Limpopo								
- FEMALES	2 768 100	7537	2836	6823	17196	1277	267	332
- MALES	2 506 700	835	363	853	2051	476	37	92
- TOTAL	5 274 800	8372	3199	7676	19247	1753	304	424
T O T A L S (R.S.A.)								
- FEMALES	25 242 300	101086	40116	55675	196877	12859	10020	4541
- MALES	23 445 000	6892	3570	5467	15929	3598	1159	517
- TOTAL	48 687 300	107978	43686	61142	212806	16457	11179	5058
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POPULATION PER QUALIFIED NURSE (IN THE SAME PROVINCE) *****								
Gauteng		371:1	944:1	648:1	189:1			
Mpumulanga		677:1	2024:1	1070:1	344:1			
Limpopo		630:1	1649:1	687:1	274:1			
T O T A L S (R.S.A.)								
		451:1	1114:1	796:1	229:1			

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