

CAREER IN NURSING

Courses in Nursing

- B.Sc (Hons) Nursing
- B.Sc Nursing
- Diploma in Gen. Nursing & Midwifery
- B.Sc Nursing Post Certificate Course
- M.Sc Nursing
- Certificate Course in General Nursing & Midwifery(GNM)
- Certificate Course in Male Nursing (MN)
- B.Sc Nursing Post Basic Course
- Diploma n Psychiatric Nursing (DPN)
- M.Sc Nursing Post Basic Course
- Certificate Course In Auxiliary Nursing & Midwifery

B.Sc Nursing

- Eligibility: 10+2 with Biology, Physics and Chemistry
- Duration: 3 to 4 years
- B.Sc nursing course provide basic knowledge about nursing, first-aid and midwifery. They are trained in all the theoretical as well as practical aspects of nursing.

M.Sc Nursing

- Eligibility: B.Sc Nursing
- Duration: 2 years

General Nursing & Midwifery (GNM)

- Eligibility: 10+2 with Biology, Physics and Chemistry
- Duration: 3 1/2 years
- GNM programme is to prepare general nurses who function as members of the health team, to hold first-level positions in both the hospitals and other such places.

Auxiliary Nurse Midwife/ Health Worker (ANM)

- Eligibility: 10th
- Duration: 18 months
- ANM course provide training as to how to take care of health related needs of the people living in rural areas especially children, mothers and old persons.

COLLEGES IN PUNJAB

- [Christian Medical College Hospital, Ludhiana](#), (Punjab)
Christian Medical College Hospital, Ludhiana
- [Francis Newton Hospital, Ferozepur](#), (Punjab)
Francis Newton Hospital, Ferozepur
- [Mac-Robert Hospital, Dhariwal, Gurdaspur Distt.](#), (Punjab)
Mac-Robert Hospital, Dhariwal, Gurdaspur Distt.
- [Mohan Dai Oswal Cancer Treatment & Research Foundation, Ludhiana](#),
(Punjab)
Mohan Dai Oswal [Cancer Treatment](#) & Research Foundation, G.T. Road, Sherpur,
Byepass, Ludhiana
- [Rajendra Hospital, Patiala](#), (Punjab)
Rajendra Hospital, Patiala
- [Shaheed Baba Sabha Singh Civil Hospital, Jalandar](#), (Punjab)
Shaheed Baba Sabha Singh Civil Hospital, Jalandar
- [Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur Hospital, Amritsar](#), (Punjab)
Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur Hospital, Amritsar

COLLEGES IN INDIA

- [Ahilya Bai College Of Nursing, New Delhi](#), (Delhi)
Ahilya Bai [College Of Nursing](#), Lok Nayak Hospital, New Delhi

[College Of Nursing, All India Institute Of Medical Sciences, New Delhi](#), (Delhi)

College Of Nursing, All India Institute Of Medical Sciences, Ansari Road, New Delhi-110029

[College Of Nursing, SSKM Hospital Campus, Kolkata](#), ([West Bengal](#))

College Of Nursing, SSKM Hospital Campus, 244, Acharya Jagdish Ch. Bose Road, Kolkata-700020

[Rajkumari Amrit Kaur College Of Nursing, New Delhi](#), (Delhi)

Rajkumari Amrit Kaur College Of Nursing, Andrews Camp, New Delhi-110029

JOB PROSPECTS

They can find employment in :

- Hospitals
- Nursing homes
- Clinics and Health Departments
- Orphanages and old age homes
- Military
- Schools
- Industrial houses and factories
- Railways and public sector medical departments
- Training Institutes as educators

- **Hospital Nursing:** Hospital nurses form the largest group of nurses. Hospital nurses are usually assigned to any special area of work such as surgery, maternity, intensive care, pediatrics, obstetric, rehabilitative etc.
- **Public Health Nursing/ Community Health Nursing:** Public health nurses / Health worker work in government and private clinics and health departments in urban and rural areas to provide basic medical services to the local population. They instruct individuals, families and other groups in health education, disease prevention, nutrition and child care. They arrange for immunizations, blood pressure testing and other health screening.
- **Military Nursing:** Provide health care services in armed forces.
- **Educators:** This field combines nursing with the teaching of students of nursing and administration of educational programmes.
- **Industrial Nursing/ Occupational Health Nursing:** They work under the direction of the industrial physicians and assist in taking preventive safety measures. They provide emergency care at the time of accidents taking place inside the industrial premises.
- **Psychiatric Nursing:** This nursing involves working with patients suffering from emotional and psychological distress. Nursing these patients requires devotion and patience. They generally work in coordination with the psychiatrists, doctors and other specialists.

REMUNERATION

- Remuneration of nurses depends on the level of seniority reached.
- Nurses employed by government hospitals receive a monthly salary of Rs 6,500 to Rs 10,000.
- Those working for private hospitals or the military receive a slightly higher remuneration.
- Private nurses have a fixed daily fee.
- Midwives receive above 4,000 per month approximately, plus a fixed amount per birth registered.
- Health workers receives between Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 2,000 per month.