CAREER PLANS SURVEY  
School of Nursing  
Class of 2008

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<th>Total number of degrees:</th>
<th>143</th>
<th>Full-time Employed:</th>
<th>79 (92%)</th>
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<td>Number of surveys returned:</td>
<td>86</td>
<td>Graduate Study:</td>
<td>4 (5%)</td>
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<td>Percentage of response:</td>
<td>60%</td>
<td>Part-time Employed:</td>
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Career Plans

As in previous years, the vast majority of BSN graduates who responded to the survey ended up in clinical nursing positions. Four of our responses were from students who had received a dual BSN/Wharton degree. Over 88% of the respondents received offers by May 2008, and most accepted positions in the Philadelphia or New York metropolitan area. A large group of students (17%) took jobs in western states. There was an increase in average base salary from $58,653 in 2007 to $59,980 in 2008.

Employment Summary

Average Salary: $59,980 (up 2.5% from 2007)  Range: $41,000 - $75,000

Industry Breakdown:  
Healthcare: 98%  
Consulting: 2%

Geographical Breakdown:  
Mid-Atlantic (incl Philadelphia): 61%  
Northeast (incl New York): 22%  
West: 17%  
Midwest: 0%  
South: 0%

Offer Date Breakdown:  
October – December 2007: 25%  
January – March 2008: 33%  
April –May 2008: 30%  
June – August 2008: 12%

Top Employers:  
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania 25  
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia 11  
Georgetown University Hospital 4  
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center 4  
New York Presbyterian Hospital 4  
New York University Medical Center 3

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Employment Summary Continued

California

Los Angeles
St. John’s Health Center, No Department Given, Registered Nurse
UCLA Medical Center, Emergency Department, Registered Nurse
UCLA Medical Center, Neurotrauma Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse

Oxnard
St. John’s Regional Medical Center, No Department Given, Registered Nurse

San Francisco
Sutter Health’s California Pacific Medical Center, Quality Improvement, Quality Coordinator*
UBS, Healthcare Banking, Analyst *
UCSF Medical Center, Cardiovascular Thoracic Post-Surgical Unit, Registered Clinical Nurse I

Santa Monica
UCLA Medical Center, Geriatrics Surgical Step Down, Registered Nurse

Stanford
Stanford Hospital, Intermediate Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse

Colorado

Aurora
Children’s Hospital of Denver, Cardiac Step-down Unit, Registered Nurse

Denver
Children’s Hospital of Denver, Oncology, No Title Given

Connecticut

New Haven
Yale New Haven Hospital, Pediatric Oncology, Resident Nurse

District of Columbia

Washington
Georgetown University Hospital, Emergency Department, Nurse
Georgetown University Hospital, Medical Surgical Unit, Registered Nurse
Georgetown University Hospital, No Department Given, Registered Nurse
Georgetown University Hospital, No Department Given, Staff Nurse

Massachusetts

Boston
Massachusetts General Hospital, Department of Nursing, Registered Nurse

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**Maryland**

*Baltimore*
John Hopkins University Hospital, Kidney/Liver Transplant Surgery Floor, Registered Nurse

*Bethesda*
National Institute of Health, Endocrine, Research Nurse

**New Jersey**

*Turnersville*
Kennedy Hospital Washington Township, Progressive Care Unit, Registered Nurse

**New York**

*New Hyde Park*
Schneider’s Children’s Hospital, Nursing, Registered Nurse

*New York*
Bronx Lebanon Hospital Center, Maternal-Child, Registered Nurse
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, Bone Marrow Transplant, Clinical Nurse I
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, Head/Neck Oncology, Registered Nurse
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, Intensive Care Unit/Hemodialysis, Registered Nurse
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, Nursing, Registered Nurse
Mount Sinai Medical Center, Obstetrics, Clinical Staff Nurse
Mount Sinai Medical Center, Pediatrics, Clinical Nurse
New York Presbyterian Hospital, Interventional Cardiology, Staff Nurse
New York Presbyterian Hospital, Pediatric Oncology, Registered Nurse
New York Presbyterian Hospital, Pediatric Oncology, Registered Nurse
New York Presbyterian Hospital Weill Cornell, Trauma Emergency Department, Registered Nurse*
New York University Medical Center, Mother-Baby Unit, Registered Nurse
New York University Medical Center, Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, Staff Nurse
New York University Medical Center, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Staff Nurse
Visiting Nurse Service of New York, Acute Care Manhattan, Public Health Nurse Intern

**Pennsylvania**

*Norristown*
Montgomery County Health Department, Family Partnership, Nurse

*Philadelphia*
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Cardiac Care Unit, Registered Nurse
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Emergency Room, Registered Nurse
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Hematology and General Pediatrics, Registered Nurse
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Neo-natal Intensive Care Unit, Clinical Nurse I
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Oncology, Clinical Nurse
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, Clinical Nurse I
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, Staff Registered Nurse
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, No Department Given, Clinical Registered Nurse I
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, No Department Given, Clinical Registered Nurse I
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, No Department Given, Registered Nurse

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Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Surgery/Trauma, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Adult Cardiac Surgery, Staff Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Adult Oncology, Staff Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Advance Medicine Unit, Graduate Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Cardiac Step-Down, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Cardio Thoracic Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Cardio Thoracic Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Cardio Thoracic Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, General Medicine-Telemetry, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Labor Delivery, Clinical Nurse I
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Maternity, No Title Given
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Medical Telemetry, Registered Nurse I
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Neurointensive Care Unit, Staff Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Neuroscience, Staff Nurse I
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Neuroscience, Staff Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Neurotrauma Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Oncology, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Orthopedic Trauma, Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Surgical Critical Care, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Surgical Unit, Staff Nurse I
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Surgical Trauma Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse I
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Women’s Health, Floor Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Women’s Health, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Women’s Health, Staff Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, No Department Given, Registered Nurse
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, No Department Given, Registered Nurse
Penn Presbyterian Medical Center, Cardiology Surgery, Staff Nurse
Penn Presbyterian Medical Center, Emergency, Staff Nurse
Pennsylvania Hospital, Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse

* Sewickley *
Sewickley Valley Hospital, Float Pool, Nurse Assistant

* Washington *

* Bremerton *
Harrison Medical Center, Intensive Care Unit, Registered Nurse

* Seattle *
University of Washington Medical Center, Labor and Delivery (Maternity), Staff Nurse

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