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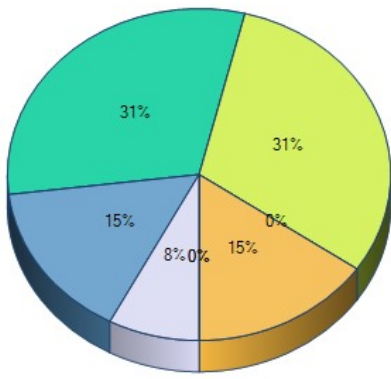
Total Respondents: 210

Responses By Question Analysis:

1. We would like to know about your short-term plans. Please mark each of the following as they relate to you currently:

	Yes	No	Not Applicable	Response Total
I am currently employed or have a job offer in a field closely related to my degree	76.92% (10)	15.38% (2)	7.69% (1)	13
I am currently employed or have a job offer in a field that is not related to my degree	7.69% (1)	84.62% (11)	7.69% (1)	13
I am searching for employment in a field closely related to my degree	0% (0)	53.85% (7)	46.15% (6)	13
I am searching for employment in a field not closely related to my degree	0% (0)	71.43% (10)	28.57% (4)	14
I have been accepted into a graduate program to continue my education at Fitchburg State University	0% (0)	64.29% (9)	35.71% (5)	14
I have been accepted into a graduate or doctoral program to continue my education at another institution	21.43% (3)	35.71% (5)	42.86% (6)	14
I am not planning to continue my education at this time	53.85% (7)	30.77% (4)	15.38% (2)	13
I am a member of the Armed Forces	0% (0)	84.62% (11)	15.38% (2)	13
			Total Respondents	13

2. How long did it take you to find your first position after graduating?



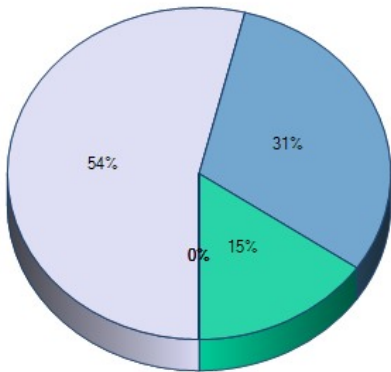
	Response Total	Response Percent
Have not found a position yet	1	8%
Held the position while I completed my degree	2	15%
Secured my position prior to graduation	4	31%
Less than 30 days after graduation	4	31%
1 - 3 months after graduation	0	0%
4-6 months after graduation	2	15%
7 or more months after graduation	0	0%
Did not pursue employment	0	0%
Total Respondents	13	

3. How many times have you changed employers or been promoted since graduation three years ago?

1. 2
2. Once
3. Same employer and same position. I have had pay raises but my position does not offer any promotions. (Healthcare Supervisor RN)
4. 0
5. Changed employers 1x. Received 2 raises
6. Still remain per diem at my initial employer. Have changed jobs once.
7. none
8. None.
9. 1 time
10. Once
11. 0
12. Once. 1 job for two years, on my second now.
13. 5-6, I worked multiple jobs at the same time by choice

Total Respondents 13

4. Are you satisfied with the course of your career thus far?



	Response Total	Response Percent
Very Satisfied	7	54%
Satisfied	4	31%
Neutral	2	15%
Dissatisfied	0	0%
Very Dissatisfied	0	0%
Not Working at This Time	0	0%
Total Respondents	13	

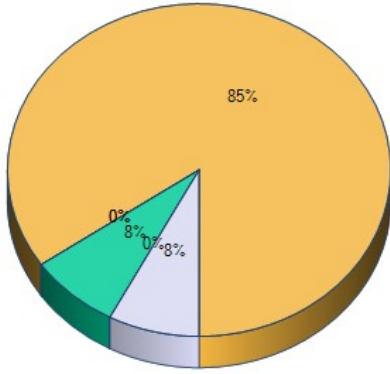
5. Where are you currently employed and what is your job title?

1. Boston Children's Hospital
Radiology Staff Nurse
2. Not working at this time - by choice
3. Justice Resource Institute- Willow Tree Day program. I am the Healthcare Supervisor, Registered Nurse, for over 60 clients.
4. Emergency Room Nurse Heywood Hospital
5. Brigham and women's hospital RN
6. School Nurse at Fisher Hill Elementary School in Orange, MA
Per Diem RN on the Intermediate/Specialty Care Unit at Cheshire Medical Center in Keene, NH

- 7. Currently employed by same employer from prior to starting and finishing degree at Fitchburg State. Current RN.
- 8. Lakes Region General Hospital, Laconia N.H. Registered Nurse, Endoscopy Suite.
- 9. BWH Boston campus RN BSN
- 10. Medical Associates Pediatrics, RN BSN
- 11. Lahey Hospital and Medical Center Burlington Mas
Associate Chief Nurse for Ambulatory and Emergency Services
- 12. Beverly Hospital. Registered Nurse
- 13. UMass Memorial Medical Center. Critical Care Float Nurse

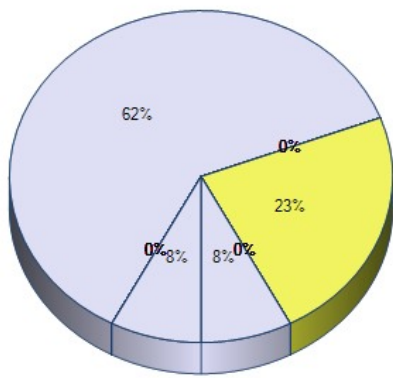
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6. In what sector are you employed?



	Response Total	Response Percent
<input type="checkbox"/> Not employed	1	8%
<input type="checkbox"/> Self-employed	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> For-profit corporation/company	1	8%
<input type="checkbox"/> Government or other public institution or agency	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Military	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit organization, institution or NGO	11	85%
Total Respondents	13	

7. Please select the industry that best describes your employer.



	Response Response	
	Total	Percent
<input type="checkbox"/> N/A - Not working	1	8%
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Biotech/Pharmaceutical	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Business Services	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications/Marketing/PR	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science/Technology	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Education: Higher Education	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Education: PreK - High School	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Financial Services	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Fine/Performing Arts	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Food Service	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare	8	62%
<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/Tourism/Travel	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Law/Legal Services	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Media/Journalism/Publishing	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Medicine	3	23%
<input type="checkbox"/> Military/Defense	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Politics/Public Policy/Advocacy	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Retail	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Services	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Sports/Fitness	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Technology	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Other, please specify	1	8%
Total Respondents	13	

8. We are always interested in our Alumni's continued interest in their personal and professional development. Which, if any, professional organizations have you joined since completing your program of study?

1. IAFN - joined prior to graduation
2. Emergency nurses association Massachusetts nurses association
3. Mass nurse association
4. None
5. N/A
6. N/a
7. N/A
8. IAFN
ANA
certification IN NEA-BC
9. Massachusetts Nurses Association.
10. None

9. We believe that Fitchburg State Alumni are always expanding their body of knowledge and would like to know what types of professional development activities you have engaged in since completion of your program of study? (i.e. attended conferences or workshops, given presentation at conference or workshops, conducting scholarly research, licensures or certifications completed, etc.)

1. Attended several IAFN conferences and a death investigation conference took a course on Gunshot Wounds
2. Many conferences, education chair for central mass ENA
3. ACLS and BLS certified
I am currently enrolled in a graduate program at Worcester State University
No further education related to Forensic Nursing.
4. I have continued my education in nursing and pediatric nursing, and have not pursued further forensic nursing endeavors due to the negative experience at Fitchburg State.
5. N/A
6. Gaining OCN certifications
7. N/A
8. Advisory Board Fellowship Program Washington DC
9. N/a
10. None

Total Respondents 10

10. We like to know where our graduates are in the world. Please provide us with the city and state or country in which you currently reside.

1. Brighton, MA
2. Kalispell MT
3. Worcester Mass.
4. MA
5. Boston Ma
6. Gardner, MA
7. Workplace: Boston, MA
8. Laconia, NH
9. Boston ma
10. Fitchburg, MA
11. Boxborough , MA
12. Beverly, ma
13. Worcester, MA

Total Respondents 13

11. Rate the quality of the following with respect to the degree you received three years ago:

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Response Total
Quality of faculty instruction	69.23% (9)	15.38% (2)	7.69% (1)	7.69% (1)	13
Level of individual attention	50% (6)	33.33% (4)	8.33% (1)	8.33% (1)	12
Quality of academic advisement	38.46% (5)	38.46% (5)	7.69% (1)	15.38% (2)	13
Curriculum linked to job related skills and knowledge	53.85% (7)	30.77% (4)	15.38% (2)	0% (0)	13
Preparation to meet the demands of my job	50% (7)	21.43% (3)	28.57% (4)	0% (0)	14
Preparation to continue my education	30.77% (4)	38.46% (5)	30.77% (4)	0% (0)	13
Total Respondents					13

12. Please select your level of agreement with the following statements:

	Very High	High	Average	Low	Very Low	Response Total
Overall satisfaction with my experience with Fitchburg State University	53.85% (7)	23.08% (3)	7.69% (1)	7.69% (1)	7.69% (1)	13
Total Respondents						13

13. Looking back at your academic career at Fitchburg State University, please select your level of agreement with the following:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Response Total
The social and interpersonal skills you developed have impacted your life	23.08% (3)	53.85% (7)	7.69% (1)	7.69% (1)	7.69% (1)	13
You have benefitted from the personal connections you made	38.46% (5)	23.08% (3)	23.08% (3)	15.38% (2)	0% (0)	13
You have benefitted from the social networks of which you were/are a part	30.77% (4)	23.08% (3)	23.08% (3)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	13
The benefits of attending were worth the financial cost	38.46% (5)	30.77% (4)	23.08% (3)	7.69% (1)	0% (0)	13
Total Respondents						13

14. How well did Fitchburg State University prepare you in terms of the following skill sets:

	Very Well	Well	Neutral	Poorly	Very Poorly	Response Total
Ability to think analytically and logically	50% (6)	33.33% (4)	16.67% (2)	0% (0)	0% (0)	12
Ability to acquire new skills and knowledge on your own	53.85% (7)	38.46% (5)	7.69% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to use the knowledge, ideas, or perspectives gained from your major field	46.15% (6)	30.77% (4)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to orally communicate well	30.77% (4)	46.15% (6)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to judge information/ideas/actions/conclusions based on sources/methods/reasoning	38.46% (5)	30.77% (4)	30.77% (4)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to write effectively	30.77% (4)	38.46% (5)	23.08% (3)	7.69% (1)	0% (0)	13
Ability to use information technology in intellectual and/or professional pursuits	46.15% (6)	30.77% (4)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to understand and appreciate cultural and ethnic differences between people	41.67% (5)	33.33% (4)	25% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	12
Ability to understand international perspectives on economic, political, social, and cultural issues	38.46% (5)	30.77% (4)	23.08% (3)	7.69% (1)	0% (0)	13
Ability to gain an understanding of or appreciation for the arts	30.77% (4)	30.77% (4)	38.46% (5)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to understand and apply quantitative principles and methods	38.46% (5)	38.46% (5)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Ability to understand scientific method	35.71% (5)	50% (7)	14.29% (2)	0% (0)	0% (0)	14
Total Respondents						13

15. How well did Fitchburg State University prepare you for the following personal and professional situational skill sets:

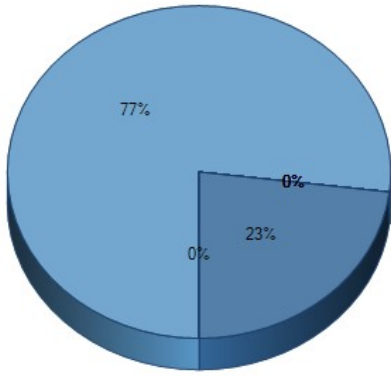
	Very Well	Well	Neutral	Poorly	Very Poorly	Response Total
Your ability to work as a member of a team or group	41.67% (5)	33.33% (4)	25% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	12
Your ability to get along with people of diverse backgrounds and perspectives	46.15% (6)	38.46% (5)	15.38% (2)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Your ability to lead others effectively	38.46% (5)	38.46% (5)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Your ability to evaluate and choose between alternative courses of action	38.46% (5)	46.15% (6)	15.38% (2)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Your awareness of contemporary issues and their cause and consequences	38.46% (5)	38.46% (5)	23.08% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	13
Total Respondents						13

16. What did we not ask you about but you feel we should know?

1. Assistance with placement for clinicals and resources available to and networking ability of staff is poor. Very frustrating for students and we are left to deal with this with an "oh well" attitude from staff.
2. N/A
3. My degree was masters in forensic nursing not given as choice on the following pages
4. None

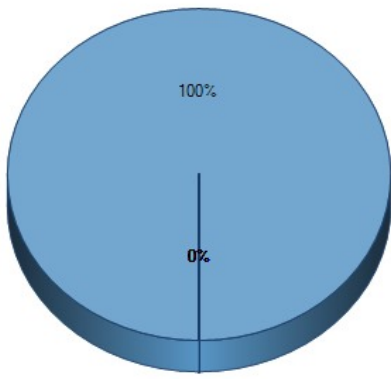
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17. Please select the Degree you completed at Fitchburg State University from the list below.



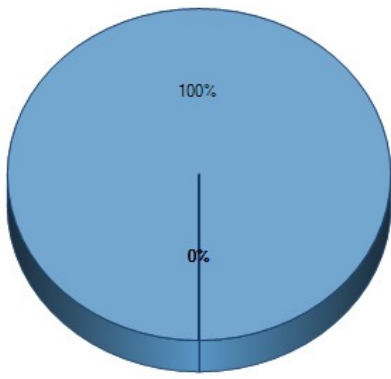
	Response Total	Response Percent
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor of Arts (BA)	0	0%
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor of Science (BS)	10	77%
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Graduate Study (CAGS)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Arts (MA)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Business Administration (MBA)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Education (MEd)	0	0%
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Master of Science (MS)	3	23%
Total Respondents	13	

18. Please select the major field studied for your degree:



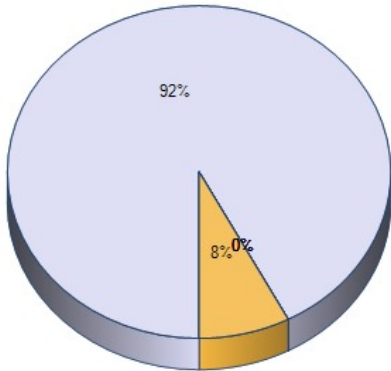
	Response Total	Response Percent
Arts Education (MEd only)	0	0%
Biology	0	0%
Business Administration	0	0%
Chemistry	0	0%
Clinical Mental Health Counseling	0	0%
Communication (MS only)	0	0%
Communications Media	0	0%
Computer Information Systems	0	0%
Computer Science	0	0%
Criminal Justice	0	0%
Curriculum and Teaching (MEd only)	0	0%
Early Childhood Education	0	0%
Educational Leadership and Management (MEd only)	0	0%
Economics	0	0%
Elementary Education	0	0%
English Studies	0	0%
Environmental and Earth Science	0	0%
Exercise and Sports Science	0	0%
Game Design	0	0%
Geographic Science and Technology	0	0%
History	0	0%
Human Services	0	0%
Industrial Technology	0	0%
Interdisciplinary Studies	0	0%
LECOM Early Acceptance	0	0%
Mathematics	0	0%
Middle School Education	0	0%
Nursing - General	13	100%
Nursing - LPN to Baccalaureate	0	0%
Nursing - RN to Baccalaureate	0	0%
Occupational/Vocational Education	0	0%
Political Science	0	0%
Psychological Science	0	0%
Science Education (MEd only)	0	0%
Sociology	0	0%
Special Education	0	0%
Technology Education (Grades 5-12)	0	0%
School Counseling	0	0%
Total Respondents	13	

19. To which gender identity do you most identify?



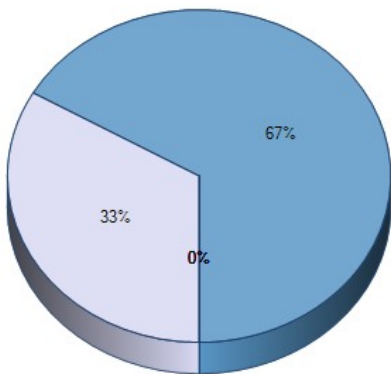
	Response Total	Response Percent
Male	0	0%
Female	13	100%
Transgender Male	0	0%
Transgender Female	0	0%
Do not identify as female, male or transgender	0	0%
Total Respondents	13	

20. To which racial heritage do you predominantly identify?



	Response Total	Response Percent
White/Caucasian	12	92%
Asian	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	0	0%
Black/African American	0	0%
American Indian	0	0%
Other	1	8%
Total Respondents	13	

21. How many dependents do you have (not including yourself)?



	Response Total	Response Percent
1	1	33%
2	2	67%
3	0	0%
4	0	0%
5	0	0%
5+	0	0%
Total Respondents	3	
(skipped this question)	10	