

**Basic RN Programs and Percentage Change from Previous Years by Type of Program:  
1981 to 1995 and 2002 to 2008**

YEAR	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	ALL BASIC RN PROGRAMS		BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS		DIPLOMA PROGRAMS		ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS	
		Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change	Number of Programs	Percent Change
1981	1,377	1,401	1.2	383	1.6	303	-2.6	715	2.6
1982	1,406	1,432	2.2	402	5.0	288	-5.0	742	3.8
1983	1,432	1,466	2.4	421	4.7	281	-2.4	764	3.0
1984	1,445	1,477	0.8	427	1.4	273	-2.8	777	1.7
1985	1,434	1,473	-0.2	441	3.3	256	-6.2	776	-0.1
1986	1,426	1,469	-0.3	455	3.2	238	-7.0	776	0.0
1987	1,406	1,465	-0.3	467	2.6	209	-12.2	789	1.7
1988	1,391	1,442	-1.6	479	2.6	171	-18.7	792	0.3
1989	1,429	1,457	1.0	488	1.9	157	-8.2	812	2.5
1990	1,412	1,470	0.9	489	0.2	152	-3.2	829	2.1
1991	1,411	1,484	1.0	501	2.4	145	-4.6	838	1.1
1992	1,404	1,484	0.0	501	0.0	135	-6.9	848	1.2
1993	1,415	1,493	0.6	507	1.2	129	-4.4	857	1.1
1994	1,422	1,501	0.5	509	0.4	124	-3.9	868	1.3
1995	1,434	1,516	1.0	521	2.4	119	-4.0	876	0.9
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2002	*	1,459	-3.8	526	1.0	76	-36.1	857	-2.2
2003	1,376	1,444	-1.0	529	0.6	69	-9.2	846	-1.3
2004	1,410	1,504	4.2	553	4.5	71	2.9	880	4.0
2005	1,446	1,544	2.7	573	3.6	62	-12.7	909	3.3
2006	1,538	1,694	9.7	644	12.4	73	17.7	977	7.5
2007	1,626	1,758	3.8	683	6.1	75	2.7	1000	2.4
2008	1,656	1,773	0.9	681	-0.3	69	-8.0	1023	2.3

\*Data not available.