

Table 11

Salary Survey Breakdown by Percentage

2007 The 2007 National Salary and Workplace Survey of Nurse Practitioners

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The percentages in bold below are based on 6,162 responses and do not represent circulation figures. Survey questionnaires were published in the July, August, September and October 2007 issues of *ADVANCE for Nurse Practitioners* and online at www.advanceweb.com/np.

1. What type of NP certification do you hold?

- 2% none
- 6% acute care NP
- 17% adult NP
- 3% adult psychiatric and mental health NP
- 52% family NP
- 1% family psychiatric and mental health NP
- 3% gerontologic NP
- 1% neonatal NP
- 7% pediatric NP
- (.5%) pediatric acute care NP
- 8% women's health NP

2. Do you hold an additional advanced practice certification?

- 30% yes
- 70% no

3. Highest Degree Obtained

- 2% associate's
- 92% master's
- 3% bachelor's
- 3% doctorate

4. Current Position

(choose the one that most closely matches your current position)

- 3% academican
- 11% acute care NP
- 22% adult NP
- 3% adult psychiatric and mental health NP
- 1% aesthetics/skin care NP
- 35% family NP
- 1% family psychiatric and mental health NP
- 4% gerontologic NP
- 1% neonatal NP
- 7% pediatric NP
- 1% pediatric acute care NP
- 1% school NP
- 10% women's health NP

5. Primary Employment Setting

- 3% academia
- (.5%) aesthetics/skin care practice
- 3% cardiology clinic
- 1% college health (9 months)
- 1% college health (12 months)
- 1% corrections
- 1% diabetes/endocrinology clinic
- 1% elementary or secondary school
- 3% emergency department
- 16% family practice

- 3% gerontology (nursing home, assisted living, long-term care, etc.)
- (.4%) HIV clinic
- 15% hospital
- 6% internal medicine
- 3% mental health setting
- (.5%) neonatal unit
- 3% oncology clinic
- 4% pediatric practice
- 3% retail clinic
- 1% surgery setting
- 7% women's health practice
- 24% other (specify) _____

6. Do you own your own practice?

- 3% yes
- 97% no

7. Work Hours in Your Primary Employment Setting

- 83% full time (35 hours or more)
- 17% part time (less than 35 hours)

8. If part time, fill in your hourly rate.

\$40.32 average

9. If full time, what is your current annual salary (including bonuses and call pay, but not including nonmonetary benefits) as paid by your primary employer?

\$81,397 average

10. To whom do you report?

- 15% department or office manager
- 7% another NP
- 46% an MD
- 7% nursing director
- 14% more than one person
- 12% other (specify) _____

11. Years Practicing as a Nurse Practitioner

- 24% 0-2
- 4% 16-20
- 21% 3-5
- 3% 21-25
- 29% 6-10
- 4% 26 or more
- 15% 11-15

12. Do your job duties include call duty?

- 25% Yes
- 75% No (skip to question #14)

13. If yes, do you get paid for it?

- 38% Yes
- 62% No



14. Benefits From Primary Employer (full or partially paid)

- 17% health insurance
- 16% malpractice insurance
- 16% paid continuing education
- 8% professional association dues
- 17% paid time off
- 3% profit sharing
- 15% retirement plan
- 8% tuition reimbursement

15. How much do you spend on certifications, required registrations and licenses, continuing education and NP organizational dues that is not reimbursed?

\$1,472

16. How many prescriptions do you write per week?

- 6% 0
- 7% 11-15
- 5% 1-5
- 12% 15-20
- 7% 6-10
- 62% more than 20

17. Do you plan to open your own health care-related business in the next 5 years?

- 11% yes
- 89% no

18. Do you believe there are sufficient and appropriate job opportunities for NPs?

- 63% yes
- 37% no

19. Location of Work Setting

- 23% rural
- 39% suburban
- 38% urban

20. What is your gender?

- 8% male
- 92% female

21. Job Satisfaction

- 49% very satisfied
- 9% somewhat dissatisfied
- 40% somewhat satisfied
- 1% very dissatisfied