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Top 2 Occupations[1] within the Healthcare and Social Assistance Industry in the DC and Baltimore Metropolitan Areas: Immigrant[2] Registered Nurses and Immigrant Nursing Assistants

Figure 1. Top Five Countries of Birth Among Immigrant Registered Nurses

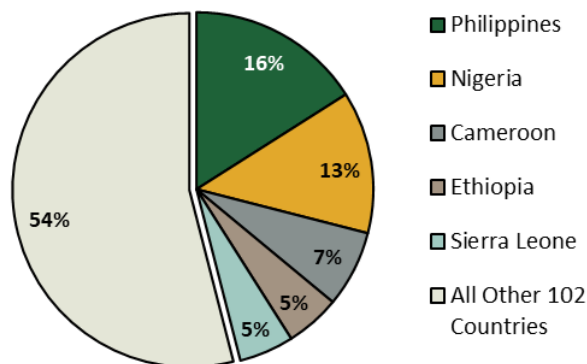Top Five Countries of Birth (Est.Pop.= 23,039)

- Philippines 16%
- Nigeria 13%
- Cameroon 7%
- Ethiopia 5%
- Sierra Leone 5%
- All Other 102 Countries 54%

Figure 2. Race and Ethnicity Among Immigrant Registered Nurses

	Washington, DC and Baltimore, MD metro areas
White	13%
Asian	30%
Black	53%
Other Race	2%
Two or more races	2%
Not-Hispanic	94%
Hispanic	6%
Estimated Immigrant Registered Nurses Population	**23,039**

Figure 3. Gender Distribution Among Registered Nurses

	Native-born Registered Nurses	Foreign-born Registered Nurses
Male	7%	16%
Female	93%	84%
Estimated Registered Nurses Population	**58,929**	**23,039**

Figure 4. Year of Immigration Among Immigrant Registered Nurses

Immigrant Registered Nurses (Est.Pop.=22,930)

9% | 17% | 29% | 36% | 8%

■ 1920-1959 ■ 1960-1979 ■ 1980-1989 ■ 1990-1999 ■ 2000-2009 ■ 2010-2016

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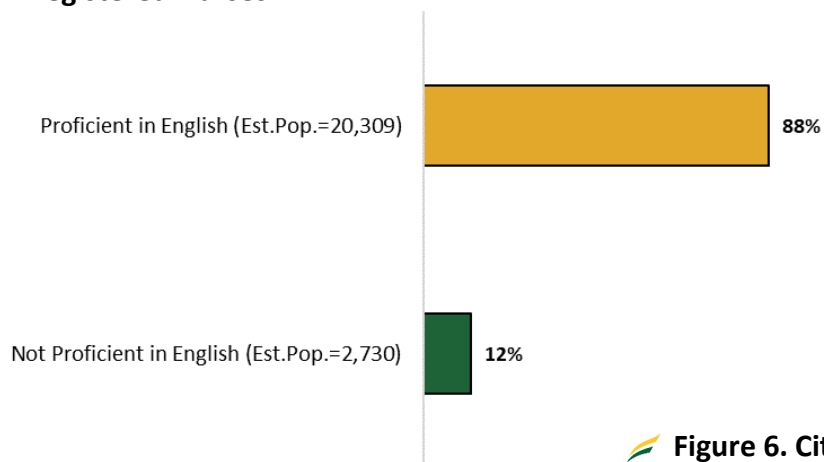### Figure 5. English Proficiency Among Immigrant Registered Nurses

Proficient in English (Est.Pop.=20,309) — 88%

Not Proficient in English (Est.Pop.=2,730) — 12%

Figure 6. Citizenship Status Among Immigrant Registered Nurses

79% — Naturalized citizen (Est.Pop.=18,208)

21% — Not a citizen (Est.Pop.=4,831)
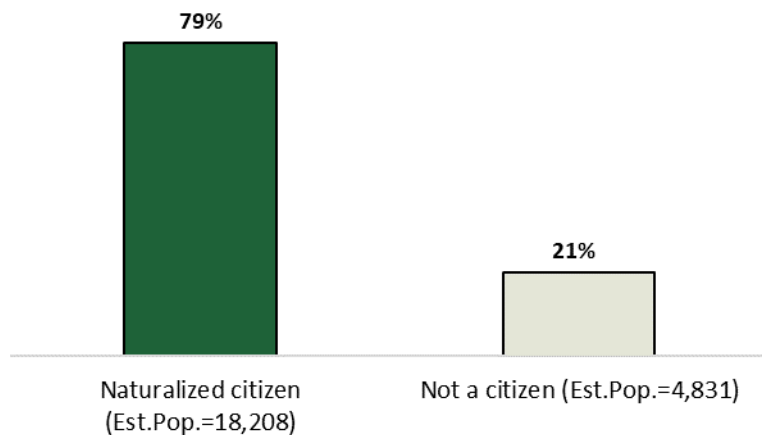
Figure 7. Personal Income Among Registered Nurses
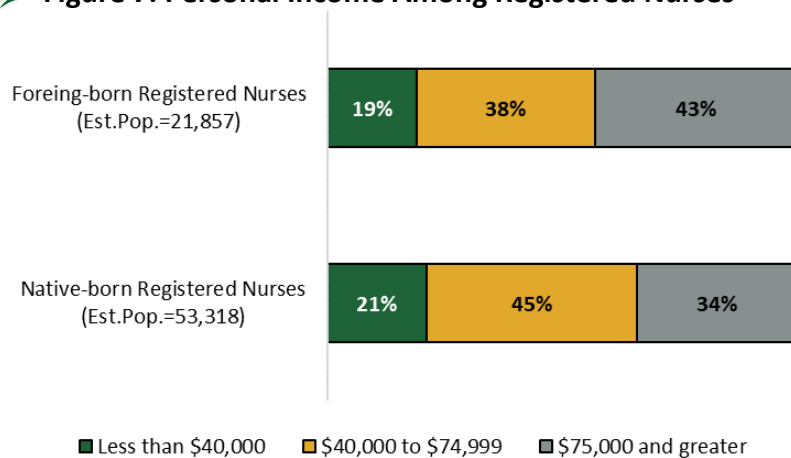
Foreing-born Registered Nurses (Est.Pop.=21,857) — 19% | 38% | 43%

Native-born Registered Nurses (Est.Pop.=53,318) — 21% | 45% | 34%

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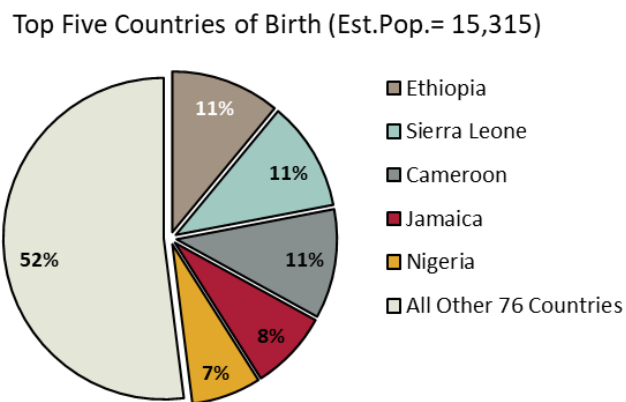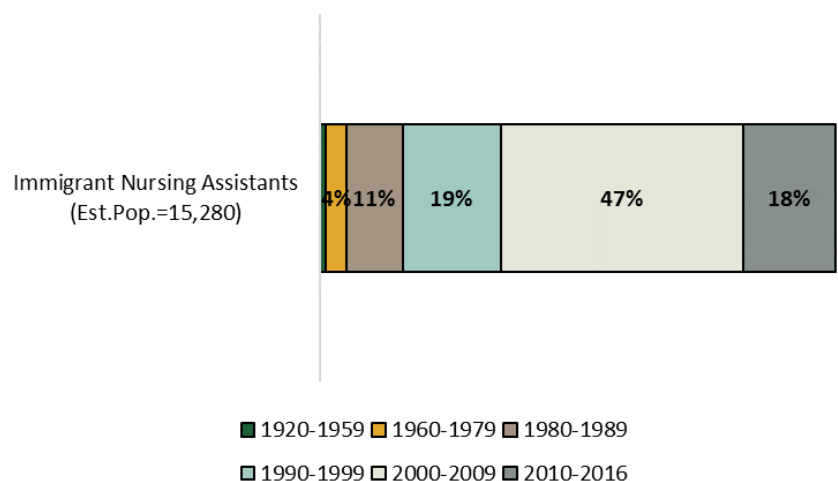### Figure 8. Top Five Countries of Birth Among Immigrant Nursing Assistants

Top Five Countries of Birth (Est.Pop.= 15,315)

- Ethiopia 11%
- Sierra Leone 11%
- Cameroon 11%
- Jamaica 8%
- Nigeria 7%
- All Other 76 Countries 52%

Figure 9. Race and Ethnicity Among Immigrant Nursing Assistants

	Washington, DC and Baltimore, MD metro areas
White	7%
Asian	10%
Black	78%
Other Race	3%
Two or more races	2%
Not-Hispanic	91%
Hispanic	9%
Estimated Immigrant Nursing Assistants Population	15,315

Figure 10. Gender Distribution Among Nursing Assistants

	Native-born Nursing Assistants	Foreign-born Nursing Assistants
Male	12%	16%
Female	88%	84%
Estimated Nursing Assistants Population	24,393	15,315

Figure 11. Year of Immigration Among Immigrant Nursing Assistants

Immigrant Nursing Assistants (Est.Pop.=15,280): 4% 11% 19% 47% 18%

- ■ 1920-1959
- ■ 1960-1979
- ■ 1980-1989
- ■ 1990-1999
- ■ 2000-2009
- ■ 2010-2016

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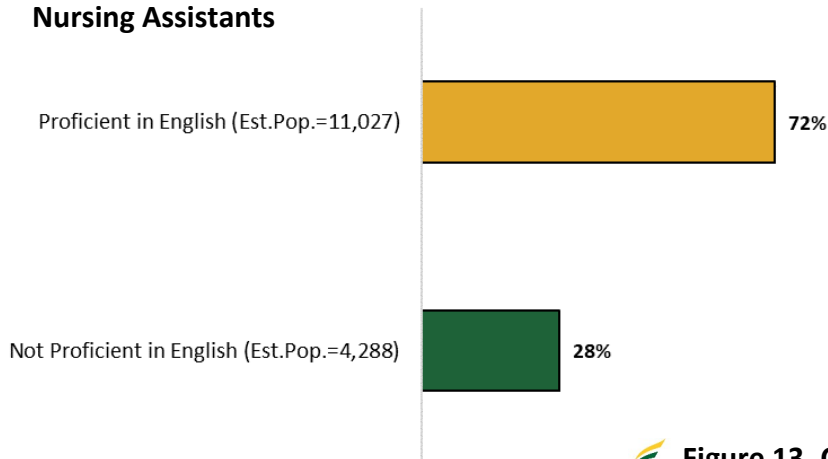**Figure 12. English Proficiency Among Immigrant Nursing Assistants**

Proficient in English (Est.Pop.=11,027) — **72%**

Not Proficient in English (Est.Pop.=4,288) — **28%**

Figure 13. Citizenship Status Among Immigrant Nursing Assistants

57%

43%

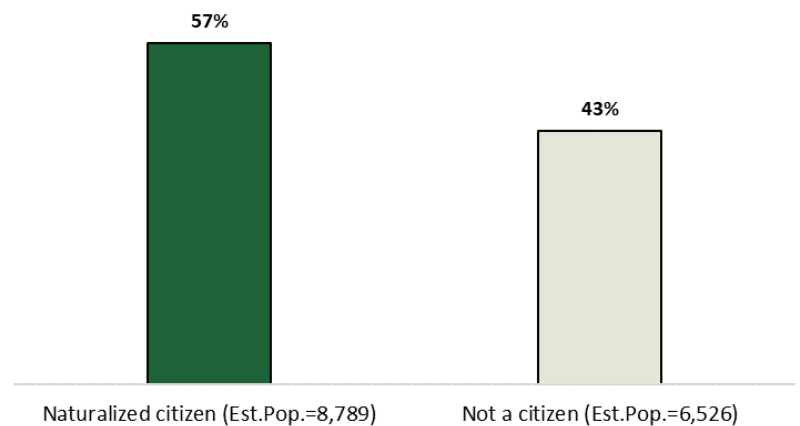Naturalized citizen (Est.Pop.=8,789)   Not a citizen (Est.Pop.=6,526)

Figure 14. Personal Income Among Nursing Assistants

Foreing-born Nursing Assistants (Est.Pop.=14,517) — 80% | 17% | 3%

Native-born Nursing Assistants (Est.Pop.=21,446) — 82% | 16% | 2%

■ Less than $40,000   ■ $40,000 to $74,999   ■ $75,000 and greater