



## **Lecture 7**

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### **Military nursing definition:**

Military nursing shares many similarities to civilian nursing, in which the common goal is to treat patients and promote their well-being. However, military nursing is a career or job under different circumstances. Military nurses might work either at home or in foreign countries. The most common settings for military nurses to work include military bases, military hospitals, and clinics.

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### **Work places of military nurses:**

- 1.These nurses may also work in hospitals or global response centers.
- 2.Military nurses work during natural disasters or times of war.

3. Military nurses can work in potentially dangerous environments, like foreign war zones, and work under extremely stressful conditions.

4. Military nurses also have to be prepared to deal with the emotional demands of working in war conditions.

5. As a reward for the extreme sacrifice of military nurses, the career or job also comes with access to healthcare benefits, education, and the opportunity to rise in rank رتبة.

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### **How many nurses in the US Army and civil?**

More than 59,000 American nurses served in the Army Nurse Corps during World War II. However, only 1,000 nurses were registered when (Pearl Harbor) was attacked and the war began on December 7, 1941, according to The Army Nurse Corps: But nowadays there are more than 11.000 army nurses of male and female But civil total population of nurses are as followings: Total US Nursing Population 2,824,641 Registered Nurses (RNs) in the US 690,038 Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) in the US

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**Military nurse definition:** can be simply described as a nurse who serves the military and holds a military rank itself. The history happened when nurses want to serve their country in army sector. It attached its professional name to the military position knowing that they would be of great and essential help for the restoration, maintenance and promotion of health for the army sector and in Navy, Air Force army .

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**Nurse corps**, defined as an independent or semi-independent military command which is composed of a group of members with a common goal. **Nurses** may assume the role of a soldier, marine, sailor بحار , or an airman طيار but may resume her role in health in tents or fixed facilities, as well. They assist the surgical teams and may work also on hospital ships سفينة at times. A **military nurse** may not only practice her profession in the said challenging battlefield but also in many settings. She may practice her profession in clinics, military hospitals, and even in the community.

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**Requirements for Commission- Ship in the Nurse Corps:**

1. Citizen in country from birth (obtain through birth)
  2. Has a pleasing personality.
  3. Board passing rate should be 80% and above, those who have a passing rate below 80% may be admitted, however, a qualifying examination must be taken
  4. Male and female applicants must be single or never been married.
  5. Upon commission, he or she must not exceed the age of 32 years old
  6. Must satisfy with height and weight requirements for test:
  7. Should be successes from other tests.
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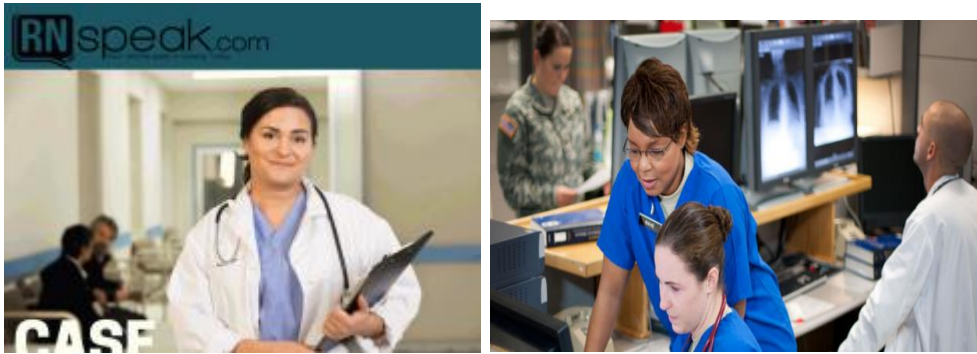
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