



Narrow scope of work. Provides basic patient care under supervision, assisting with daily activities and monitoring health. Examples include nursing assistant, emergency room technician, and phlebotomist. Licensing typically requires completion of a certificate program.

Delivers direct patient care under supervision, focusing on hands-on skills and patient interaction. Licensing requires completion of an Associate of Applied Science in Practical Nursing degree.

Coordinates patient care, administers medications, educates patients, and collaborates with healthcare providers. Licensing requires completion of an Associates Degree in Nursing or an Bachelors of Science in Nursing degree.

Administers anesthesia and monitors patients during surgery for safe pain management. Licensing requires completion of a CRNA program. Admission into a CRNA program typically requires 1-3 years of experience as an RN working in the ICU at a level 1 or 2 trauma hospital, like Harborview.

Diagnoses and treats illnesses, prescribes medications, and educates patients, often specializing in specific areas. Licensing requires completion of a masters or doctoral program.

Once an individual achieves nursing licensure, specialization often occurs through on-the-job training, experience, and further education, such as advanced practice nursing programs like a Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) or a Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP), offering specialized coursework and clinical experiences.

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1. Apply to College
2. Apply to certificate program
3. Check email for next steps
4. Attend program orientation
5. GRC Nursing will enroll you into your classes after orientation.

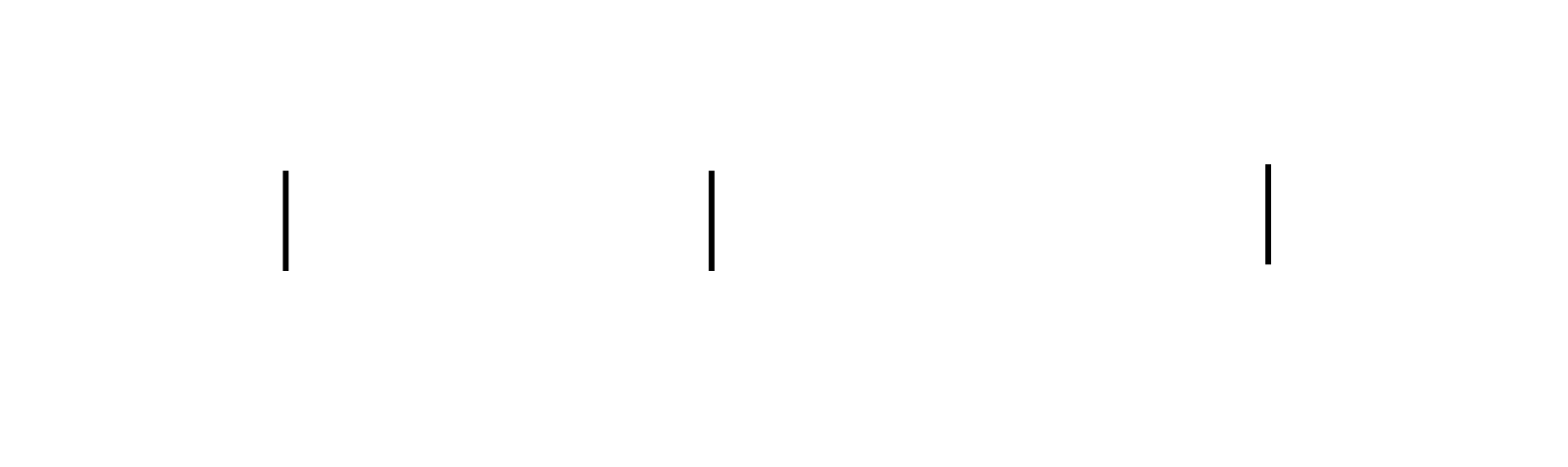
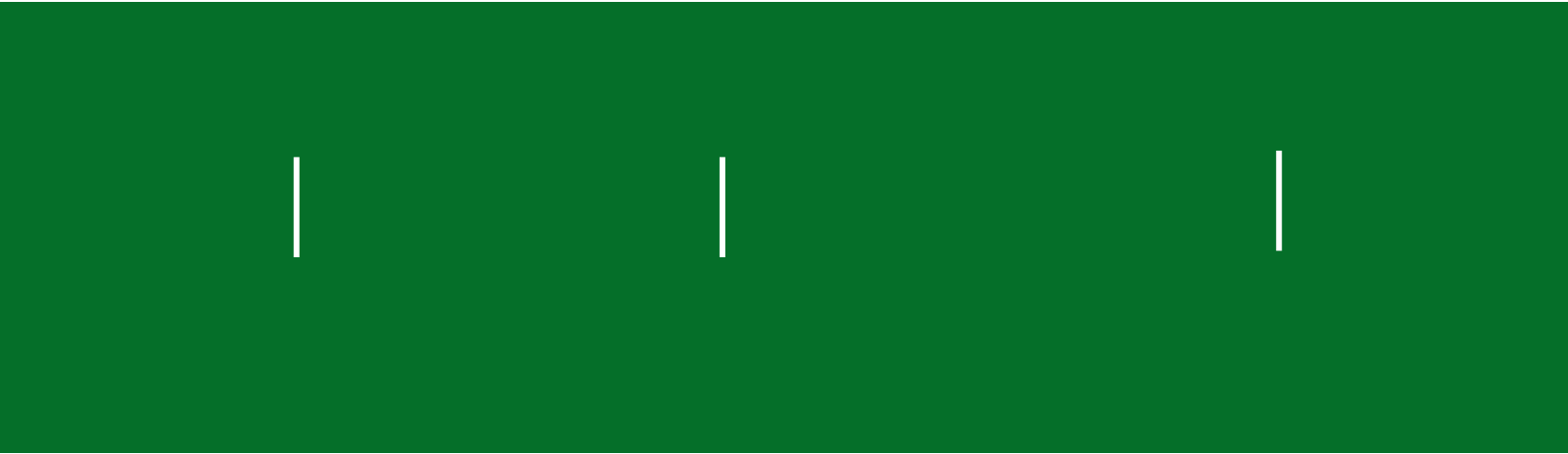
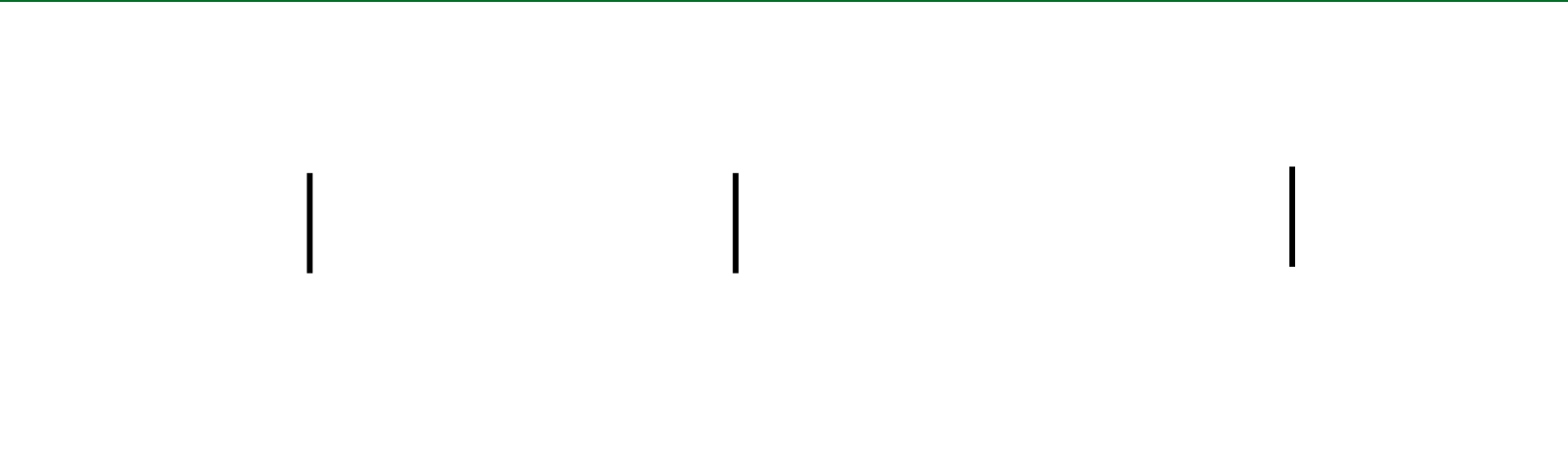
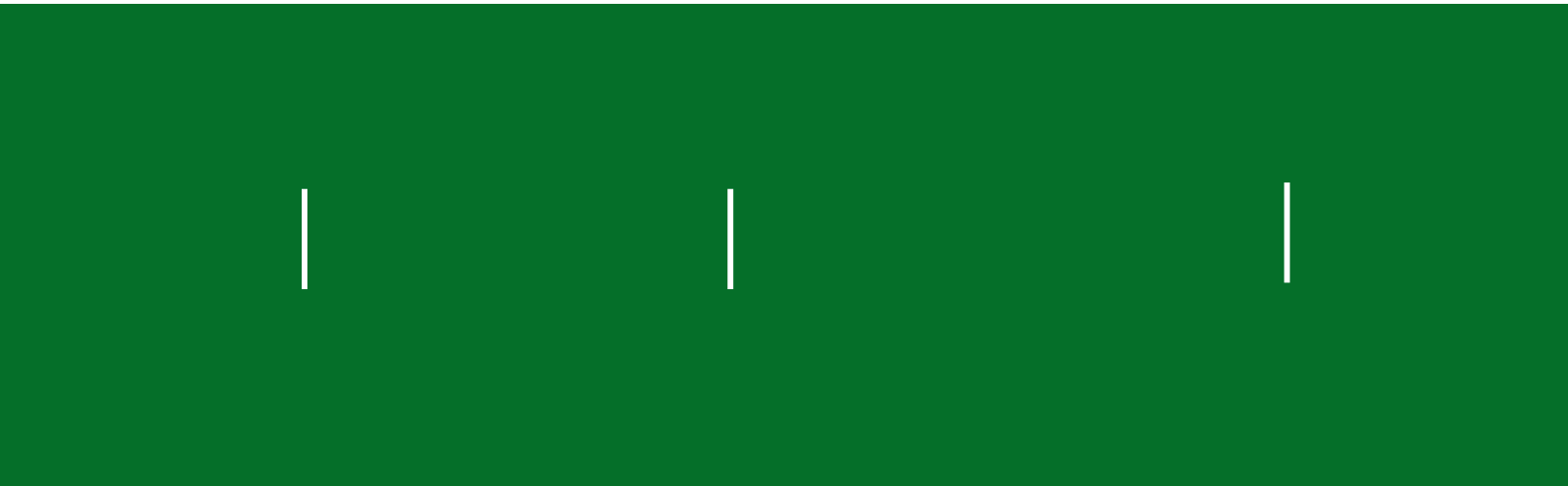
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2 YEARS

FALL QUARTER

APPLICATION

~55%

9 MONTHS

FALL QUARTER

APPLICATION

~30%

Full-Time Program

17 MONTHS

SPRING & SUMMER  
QUARTERS

APPLICATION

~25%

Part-Time Program

92%

2-3 YEARS

