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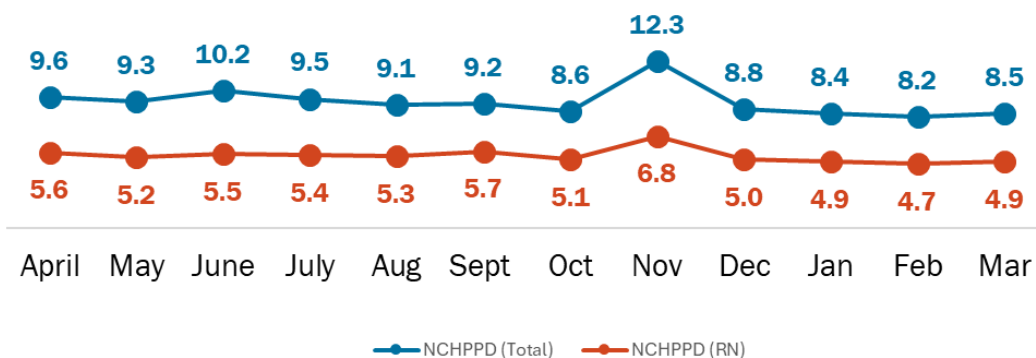
Medical/Surgical Unit

The Medical/Surgical Unit has 47 licensed beds and cares for adult patients. Types of services provided in this setting include care of people with general medical and surgical problems, heart monitoring, end-of-life care, palliative care, and rehabilitative care.
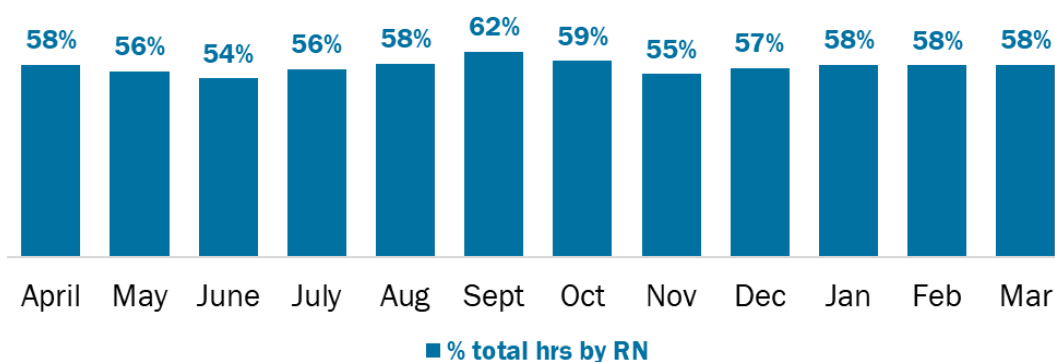
Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (NCHPPD): April 2024 – March 2025

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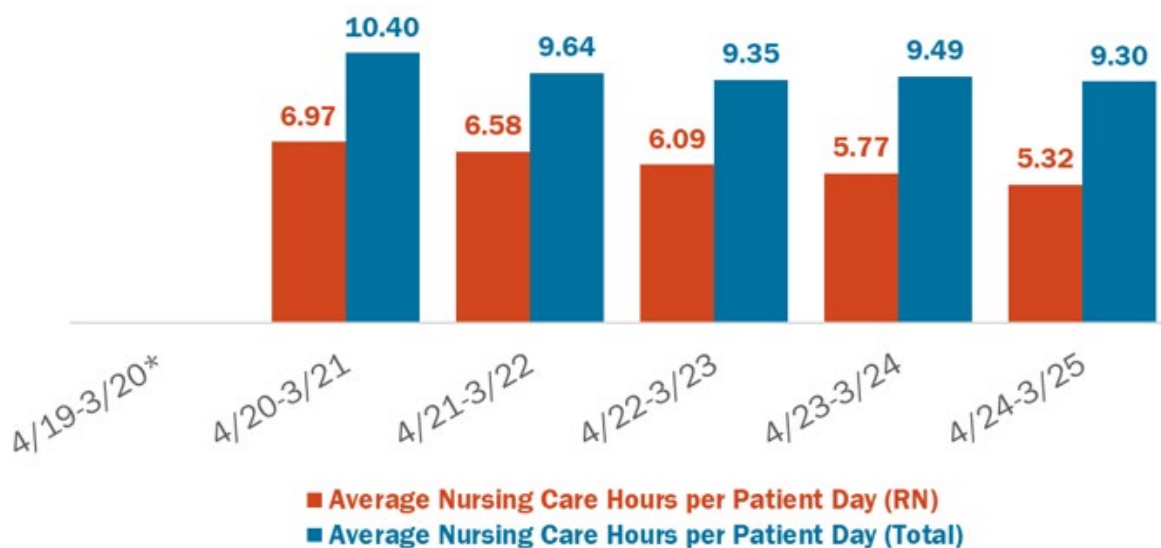| Month	NCHPPD (Total)	NCHPPD (RN)
April	9.6	5.6
May	9.3	5.2
June	10.2	5.5
July	9.5	5.4
Aug	9.1	5.3
Sept	9.2	5.7
Oct	8.6	5.1
Nov	12.3	6.8
Dec	8.8	5.0
Jan	8.4	4.9
Feb	8.2	4.7
Mar	8.5	4.9

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Percent of Total Nursing Care Hours Provided by RNs: April 2024 – March 2025.

This graph shows the percentage of total nursing hours provided by RNs each month. The yearly average for this period is 57.29%
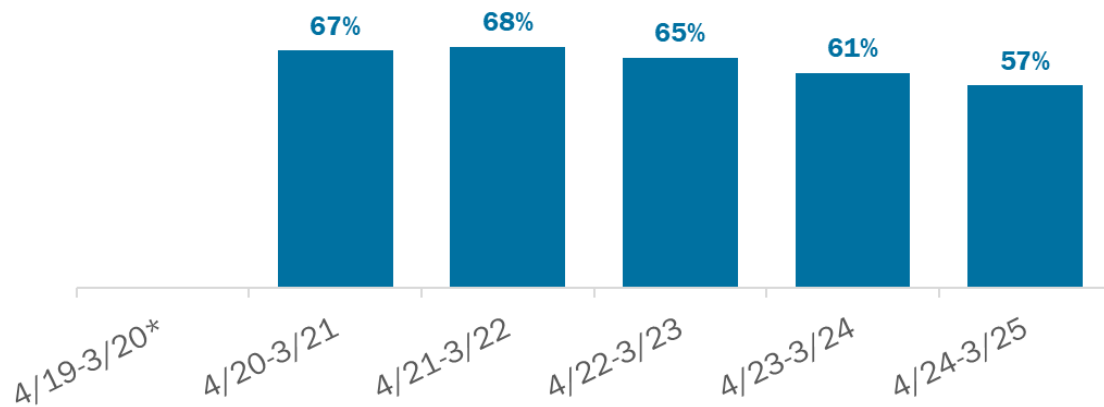

	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
% total hrs by RN	58%	56%	54%	56%	58%	62%	59%	55%	57%	58%	58%	58%

Yearly Average of RN and Total Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day: 2019 – 2025

■ Average Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (RN)
■ Average Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (Total)

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Yearly Percent of Total Nursing Care Hours Provided by RNs: 2019 – 2025

Bar chart showing yearly percent of total nursing care hours provided by RNs:
- 4/19-3/20*: (no data)
- 4/20-3/21: 67%
- 4/21-3/22: 68%
- 4/22-3/23: 65%
- 4/23-3/24: 61%
- 4/24-3/25: 57%

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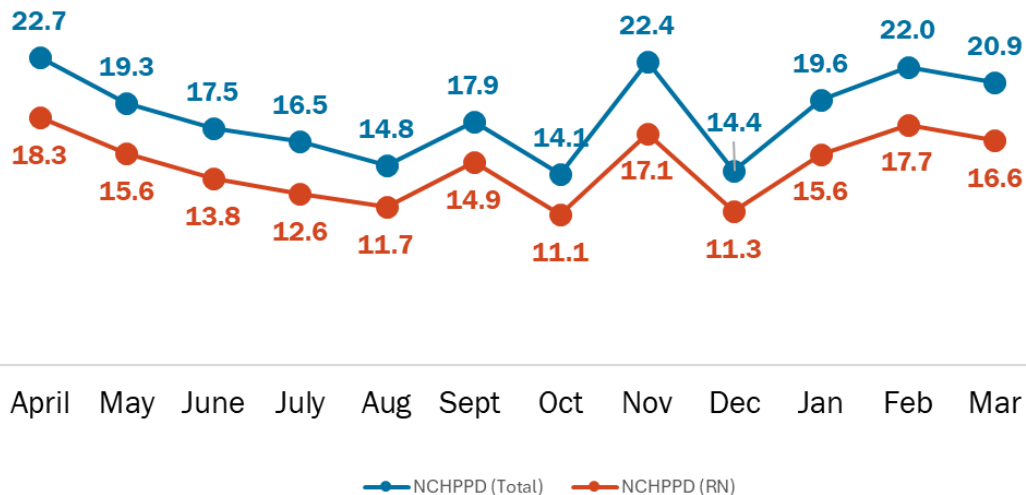
Women & Children's Unit

The Women and Children's Unit has 12 licensed beds. Six of these beds are LDRP (Labor, Delivery, Recovery, and Post-Partum) which allow the laboring mother to be admitted to the same room in which she will spend her time at Central Vermont. The other six beds are used for pediatric patients who require inpatient care, or for female patients who had or will have surgery. There is a minimum of two RNs who are trained as Labor Nurses, and two in Neonatal Resuscitation Procedures, scheduled and available in the unit at all times.
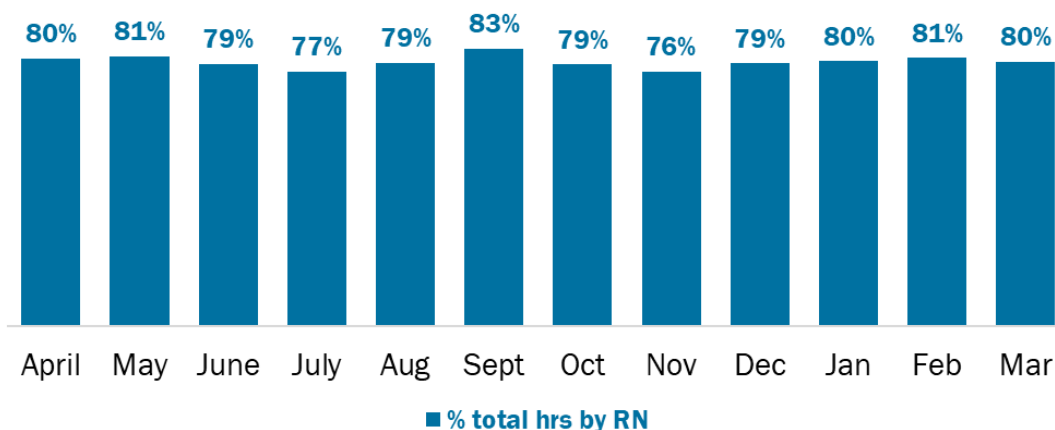
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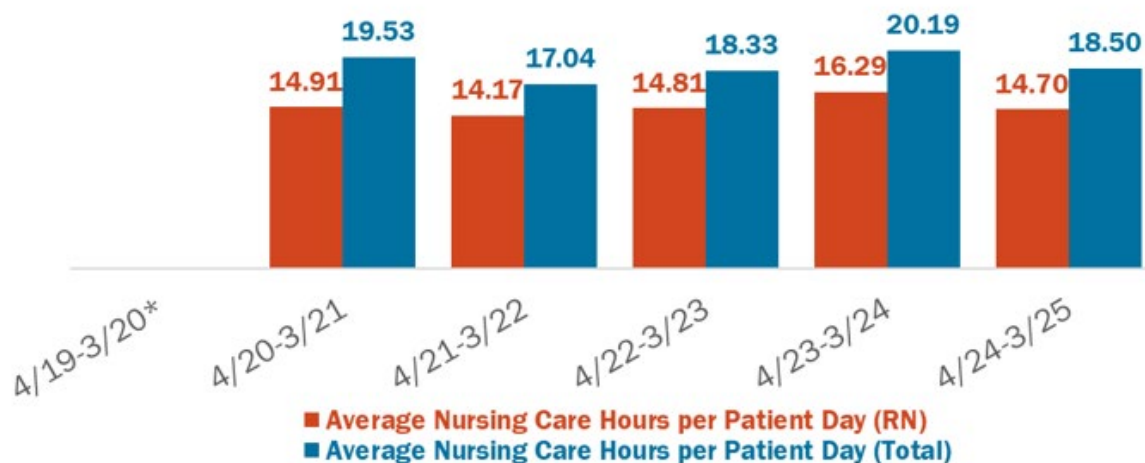
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Percent of Total Nursing Care Hours Provided by RNs: April 2024 – March 2025.

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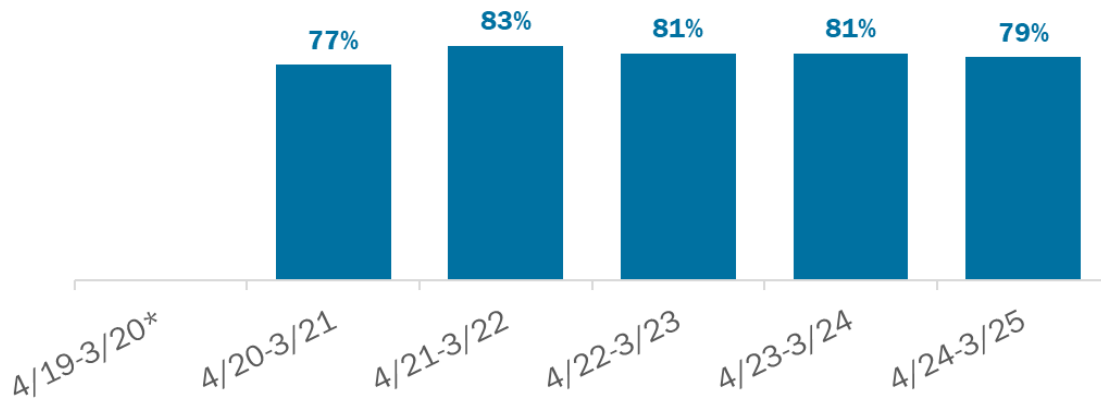

April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
80%	81%	79%	77%	79%	83%	79%	76%	79%	80%	81%	80%

■ % total hrs by RN

Yearly Average of RN and Total Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day: 2019 – 2025

■ Average Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (RN)
■ Average Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (Total)

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- 4/21-3/22: 83%
- 4/22-3/23: 81%
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- 4/24-3/25: 79%

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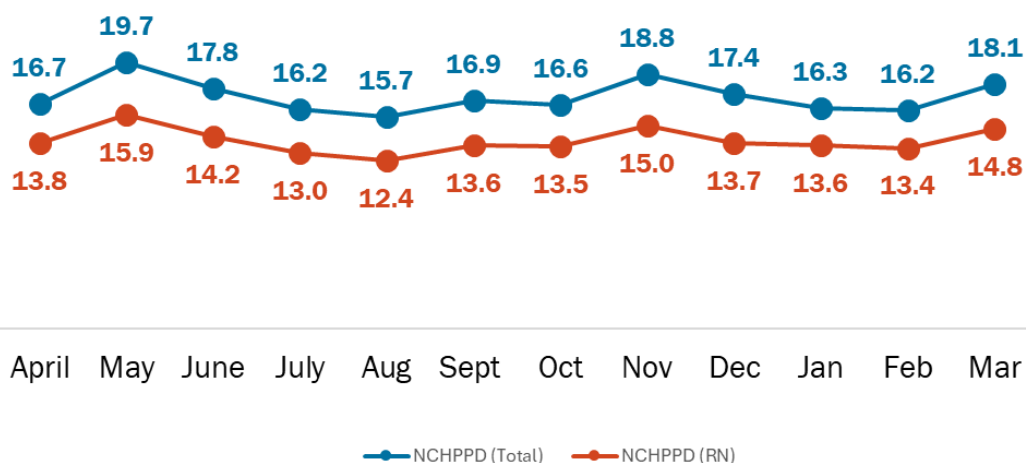
Intensive Care Unit (The Davis Special Care Unit)

The Davis Special Care Unit has 14 licensed beds. Types of services provided in this setting include care of people with, or at risk of developing life-threatening problems such as respiratory and cardiac problems, and pre- and post-operative surgical patients.
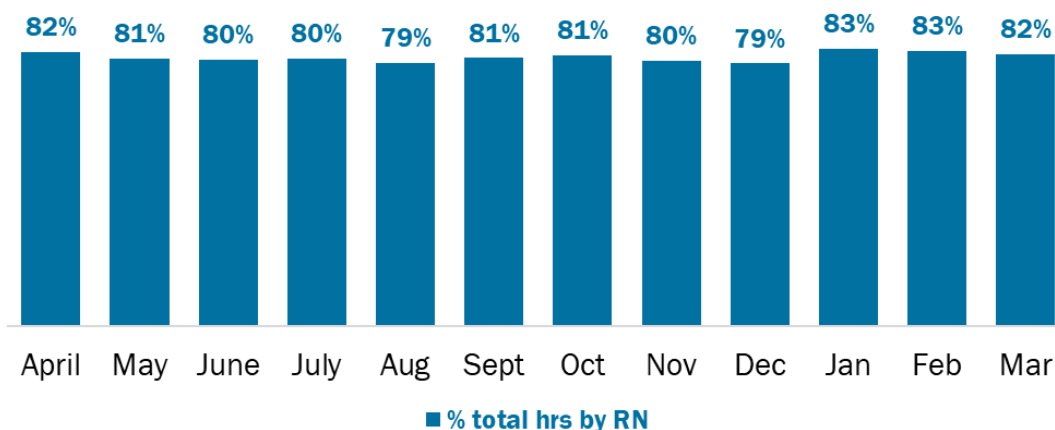
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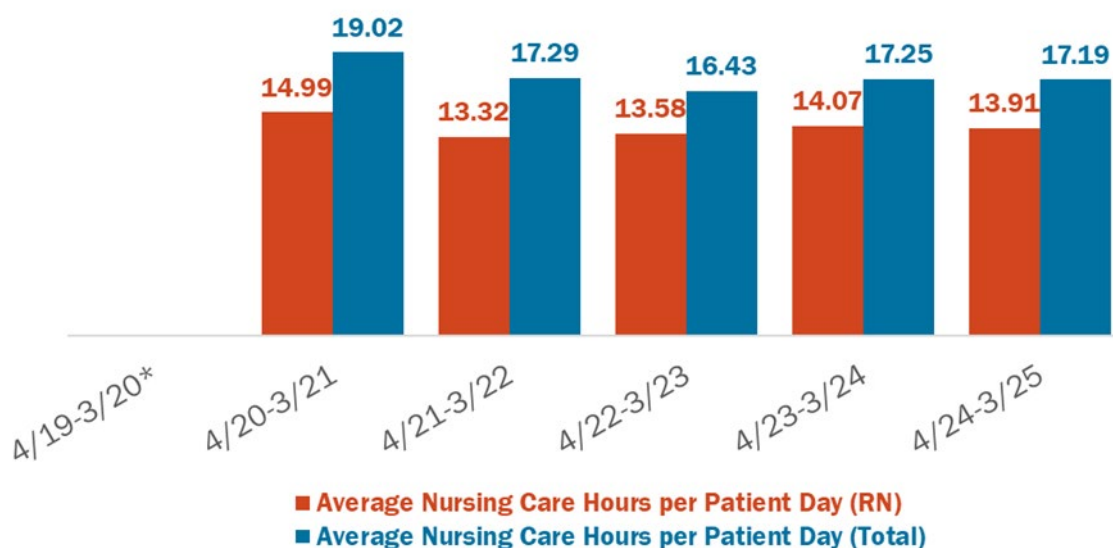|	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
NCHPPD (Total)	16.7	19.7	17.8	16.2	15.7	16.9	16.6	18.8	17.4	16.3	16.2	18.1
NCHPPD (RN)	13.8	15.9	14.2	13.0	12.4	13.6	13.5	15.0	13.7	13.6	13.4	14.8

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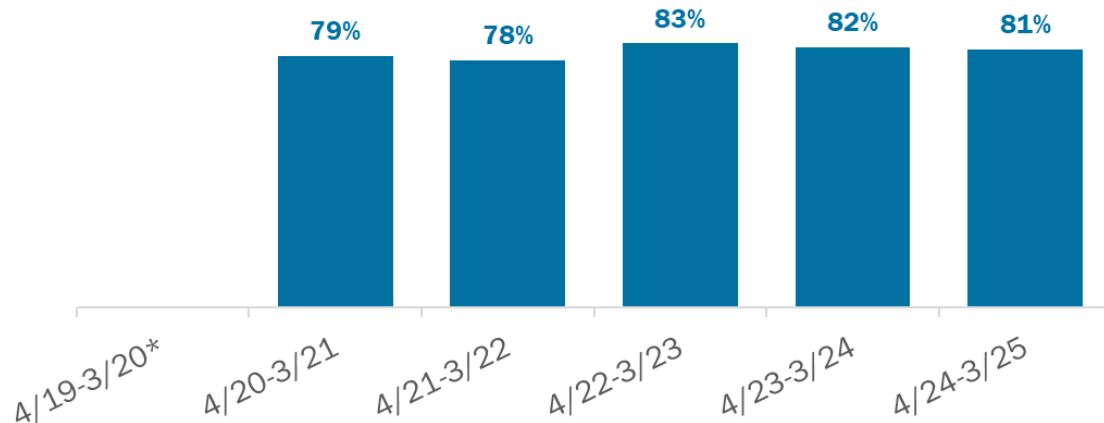

April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
82%	81%	80%	80%	79%	81%	81%	80%	79%	83%	83%	82%

■ % total hrs by RN

Yearly Average of RN and Total Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day: 2019 – 2025

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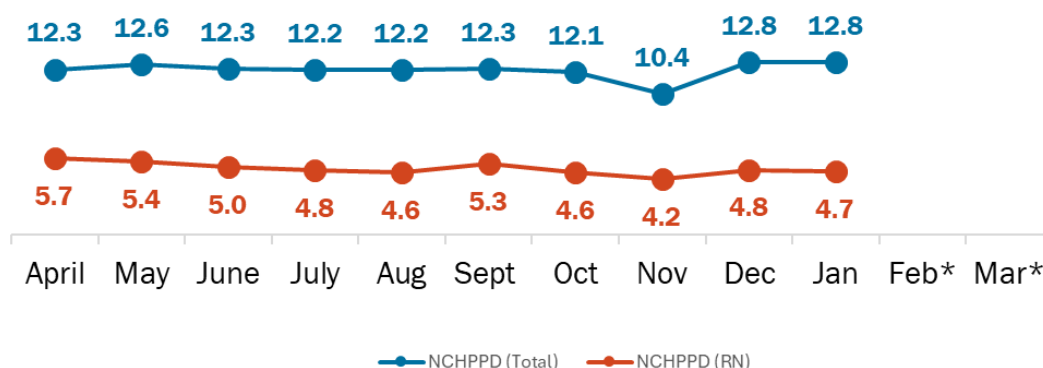
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Psychiatric Unit

The Psychiatric Inpatient Unit has 15 licensed beds and cares for adult patients. Types of services provided in this setting include short-term, secure, inpatient care for individuals with a mental health diagnosis and/or substance abuse disorder.

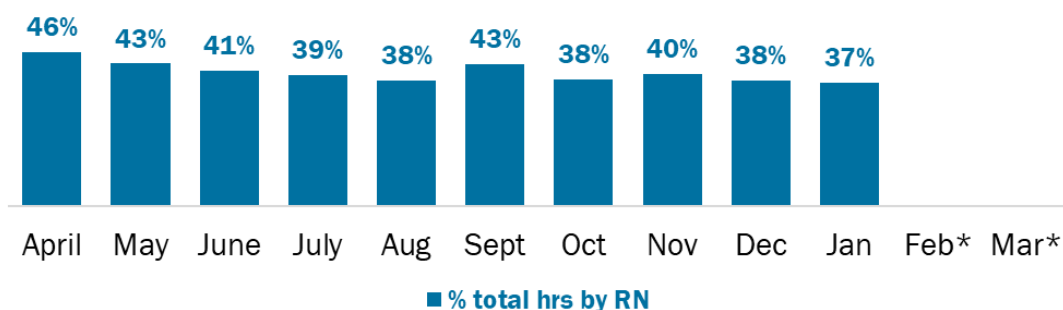### Nursing Care Hours per Patient Day (NCHPPD): April 2024 – March 2025

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NCHPPD (Total)	12.3	12.6	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.1	10.4	12.8	12.8		
NCHPPD (RN)	5.7	5.4	5.0	4.8	4.6	5.3	4.6	4.2	4.8	4.7		

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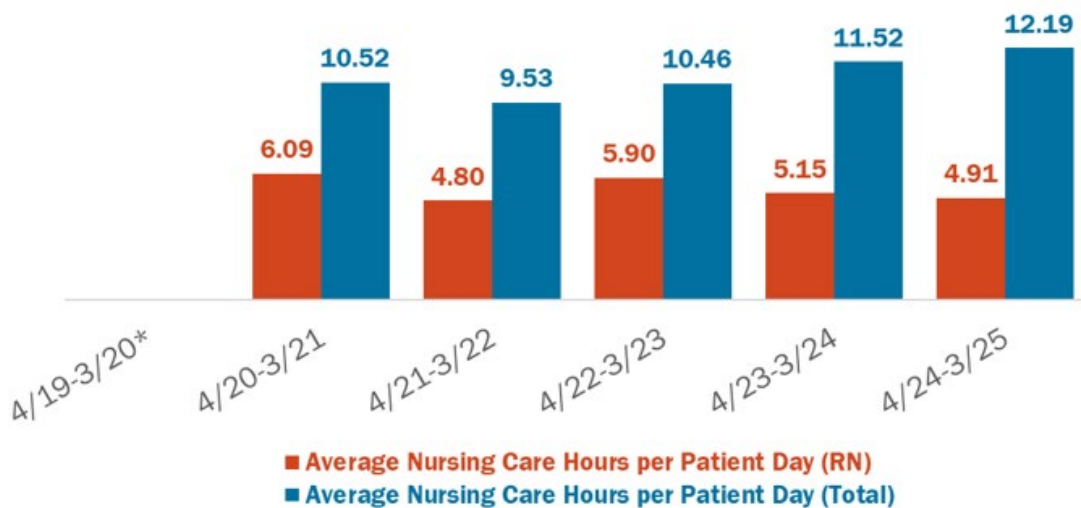
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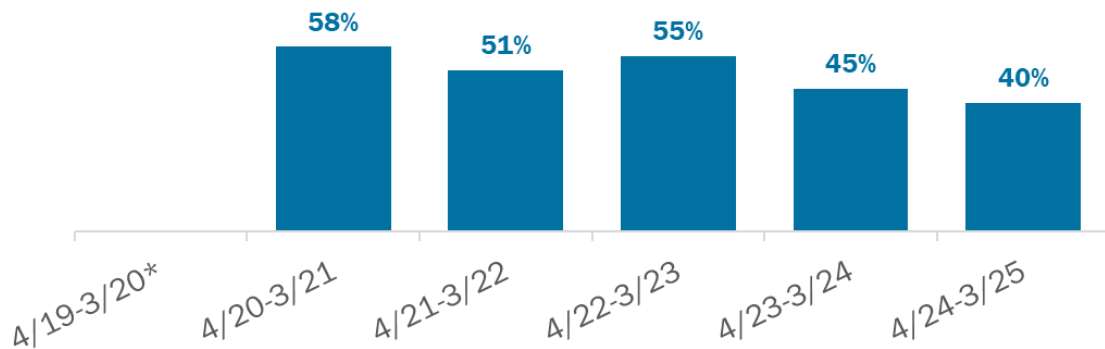

April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb*	Mar*
46%	43%	41%	39%	38%	43%	38%	40%	38%	37%		

■ % total hrs by RN

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