Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

**Country capacity on:**
- Yes
- Partial
- No
- NR, No Response

### EDUCATION REGULATION
- Master list of accredited education institutions
- Accreditation mechanisms for education institutions
- Standards for duration and content of education
- Standards for interprofessional education
- Standards for faculty qualifications

### PRACTICE REGULATION
- Nursing council/authority for regulation of nursing
- Fitness for practice examination
- Continuing professional development
- Existence of advanced nursing roles

### WORKING CONDITIONS
- Regulation on working hours and conditions
- Regulation on minimum wage
- Regulation on social protection
- Measures to prevent attacks on HWs

### GOVERNANCE AND LEADERSHIP
- Chief Nursing Officer position
- Nursing leadership development program
- National association for pre-licensure students

### Nursing personnel (latest year)
- Nursing professionals: **594**
- Nursing associates: **179**
- Nurses not further defined: **0**

#### Share of professional nurses
- **77%** per 10 000 population

#### Graduates per year
- **47**

#### Minimum duration of training
- **4 years**

### Share of nurses within the health workforce
- Nurses: NR
- Doctors: NR
- Midwives: NR
- Dentists: NR
- Pharmacists: NR

### Nursing stock and density 2013-2018

#### Age distribution
- <35: 42%
- 35-54: 50%
- 55+: 9%

#### Sex distribution
- 95% Female
- 5% Male

#### Nurse mobility
- Foreign trained: 0.21%
- Foreign born: 2.26%

**Issues for consideration**
- Density above threshold, no estimation for shortage.


**Source:** National Health Workforce Accounts (NHWA), 2020 except †. Latest available data are displayed. Includes multiple data sources such as the OECD/Eurostat/WHO EURO Joint Data Collection, labour force survey, census data and estimates from WHO for shortages. Stock and density projection by 2030 based on a simple stock and flow model. See full report for further details.

NR=Not reported. Data as of 10 March 2020.