



# News Release

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## DOC seeking to hire 13 Registered Nurses

The Oregon Department of Corrections (DOC) is hiring Registered Nurses at four locations throughout the state:

- Coffee Creek Correctional Facility in Wilsonville (two openings)
- Deer Ridge Correctional Institution in Madras (one opening)
- Oregon State Penitentiary in Salem (six openings)
- Two Rivers Correctional Institution in Umatilla (four openings)



Correctional nurses play a crucial role in promoting wellness, managing treatment plans, and advocating for patients. They are part of a team of 4,500 staff members who are integral in promoting accountability and public safety. In addition to excellent benefits, DOC provides many opportunities for job rotations, promotion, and continuing professional development. Department nurses receive a 4.75 percent pay differential if they possess a bachelor's degree in nursing or a 9.5 percent differential if they hold a master's degree. These positions may be eligible for Police & Fire benefits through PERS, as defined by statute.

To meet minimum qualifications, applicants must possess a current Registered Nurse license issued by the Oregon Board of Nursing or have the ability to obtain a license by the date of appointment. Positions are full-time, part-time, temporary, limited-duration, and float-pool (irregular part-time to fill scheduled or unscheduled vacancies).

The DOC Health Services Unit is responsible for providing health care to over 14,600 adults in custody in 14 prisons across the state. It employs a full suite of certified medical practitioners including doctors, nurses, dentists, and mental health professionals. The department is dedicated to delivering professional, quality health care – consistent with community standards – to inmates during their incarceration. DOC focuses on providing necessary services for improving the health and well-being of those in its custody.

Applicants can view the full job description and apply online at: [www.governmentjobs.com/careers/oregon/jobs/1328798/institution-registered-nurse](http://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/oregon/jobs/1328798/institution-registered-nurse)

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**The mission of the Oregon Department of Corrections is to promote public safety by holding offenders accountable for their actions and reducing the risk of future criminal behavior.**