SOCIAL REPRESENTATION OF NURSES BY JOURNALISM STUDENTS

Thank you very much for taking part in this survey. Next, we will ask you several questions that aim to explore the social representation of nursing from the perspective of students studying for the Degree in Journalism.

This survey is part of the research project NURSES FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS OF JOURNALISM IN THE BASQUE COUNTRY, which has had a favourable report from the Ethics Committee of the University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU). The main researchers of this study are: Verónica Tíscar (veronica.tiscargonzales@osakidetza.eus), Leire Iturregui (leire.iturregui@ehu.eus), Eztizen Miranda ([eztizen.miranda@ehu.eus](mailto:eztizen.miranda@ehu.eus)), Sendoa Ballesteros ([sendoa.ballesteros@ehu.eus](mailto:sendoa.ballesteros@ehu.eus)) and Maria Ángeles Cidoncha ([mariaangeles.cidonchamoreno@osakidetza.eus](mailto:mariaangeles.cidonchamoreno@osakidetza.eus))

The survey is completely ANONYMOUS and VOLUNTARY, so please be as honest as possible with your answers. It will only take you 10 minutes to complete.

By completing it voluntarily, we understand that you give your tacit consent to participate in the research. Remember, that once the survey has started, you can withdraw and leave at any time, if you wish to do so.

your socio-demographic data

1. Gender

Mark only one circle

* Male
* Female
* Non-binary

1. Date of birth
2. Previous studies

Mark only one circle

* + High School
  + Professional training
  + Other degree or equivalent studies
  + Others

1. Current academic year

Mark only one circle

* + 1st
  + 2nd
  + 3th
  + 4th

1. Have you been cared for by a nurse in the last two years?

Mark only one circle

* + Yes
  + No

1. Is someone close to you a nurse?

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No

1. If you answered yes to the previous question, please specify who:

Select all that apply

* Parent or grandparents
* Siblings
* Aunts, uncles or other relatives
* Close friend
* Other ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Have nursing professionals attended anyone in your immediate circle in the last two years?

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* + Yes
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1. If you answered yes to the previous question, please specify who:

Select all that apply

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QUESTIONNAIRE

Please answer the following questions honestly.

01. Nursing is a university degree in Spain

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* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

02. Nurses can access postgraduate studies (e.g Master's degree, PhD...)

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

03. Nurses are eligible to undertake doctoral studies

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

04. Nurses have access to specialities through a selective process, at state level, called the Resident Nurse Intern (EIR in Spanish)

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05a. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

MENTAL HEALTH NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05b. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

PAEDIATRIC NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05c. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05d. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05e. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

GERIATRIC NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05f. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

MIDWIFE

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05g. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING CARE

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05h. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

EMERGENCY AND URGENCY NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

05i. You consider the following area to be a nursing speciality:

INTENSIVE CARE NURSING

Mark only one circle

* Yes
* No
* I don´t know

Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements:

Rate from 0 to 5:

0. Strongly disagree

1. Slightly disagree

2. Disagree

3. Somewhat agree

4. Agree

5. Strongly agree

06. Nursing is a profession that can be practised by both men and women.

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07. The social visibility of nurses is independent of the gender of the profession.

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08. Proportionally, there are more male nurses than female nurses in senior positions of responsibility.

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09. Proportionally, there are more men than women in teaching and research positions in care.

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10. Nurses have autonomy in decision-making about the care of their patients.

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11. Nurses are competent to detect or diagnose the health problems and care needs of individuals.

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12. Nurses can autonomously treat minor illnesses of a self-limiting nature.

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13. Nurses are able to independently prescribe over-the-counter medicines.

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14. Nurses also work in coordination with other members of the health team to respond to the needs of patients.

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15. Nursing assistants (i.e. nurses who provide direct care to people) perform managerial and administrative tasks in their daily clinical practice.

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16. Any trained health professional should be able to have access to a senior management position within an institution (e.g., management of a health organisation, health councils...) regardless of their profession.

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17. Any trained health professional should be able to participate in the development of health policies at any state level, regardless of whether they are male or female.

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18. The nursing profession is eminently scientific.

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19. Research is part of the competencies of nurses.

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20, Journals focused on care are recognised for their prestige among scientific publications (impact factor).

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21. The results of research carried out by nurses aim to improve the health of individuals and their communities.

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22. The results of research conducted by nurses can promote the development of health policies.

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23. The results of research conducted by nurses can contribute to the sustainability of the healthcare system.

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24. The research carried out by nurses include the field of healthcare.

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25. The research carried out by nurses include public health problems.

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26. The research carried out by nurses include gender inequalities and social determinants of health.

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27. Nurses can carry out research into many possible fields of research.

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28. Nurse educators develop their competence at university level.

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29. Nurses can become university lecturers.

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30. Nurses develop teaching competencies in clinical settings.

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31. Nurses engage with the media as health educators and communicators.

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32. Nurses are visible in social networks as disseminators and educators in health matters.

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33. The media has a close relationship with the professional nursing associations.

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34. Nurses are accessible and trained to respond immediately to the media when there are emergencies and health alerts.

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35. Nurses provide the media with accurate and verified sources of information.

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36. The competences of nurses are known at the societal level.

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37. The competencies of nurses include promoting the health of individuals and his or her community.

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38. Nurses play a key role in preventing disease in the community.

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39. Nurses play a key role in the community by providing telephone health advice services.

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40. Telemonitoring of complex patients is an area of development for nurses.

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41. Nurses are trained and knowledgeable professionals who can ensure people have proper health education.

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42. Nurses are good health outreach workers.

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43. You are familiar with aspects of the nursing profession through traditional media.

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44. The results of nursing research are also shared with society through the media.

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Regarding the current COVIDd-19 pandemic:

45. Your perception of nurses has improved after the COVID-19 pandemic.

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46. Nurses have shown decisive management in helping to resolve the COVID-19 pandemic.

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47. The COVID-19 pandemic crisis has contributed to raising the visibility of the research competencies of nurses.

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48. There should be a nurse figure in the COVID-19 pandemic reconstruction commission.

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Thank you very much