

DIVISION OF HEALTH SCIENCES SUMMARY: UNLV CAREER OUTCOMES 2005 - 2006

A summary of the Career Outcomes Survey conducted by Career Services staff three months after graduation

Top 5 Majors

1. Nursing
2. Kinesiological Sciences
3. Health Education
4. Health Care Administration
5. Athletic Training

Total Respondents from Division of Health Sciences (69)

Undergraduates 49/69 = 67%

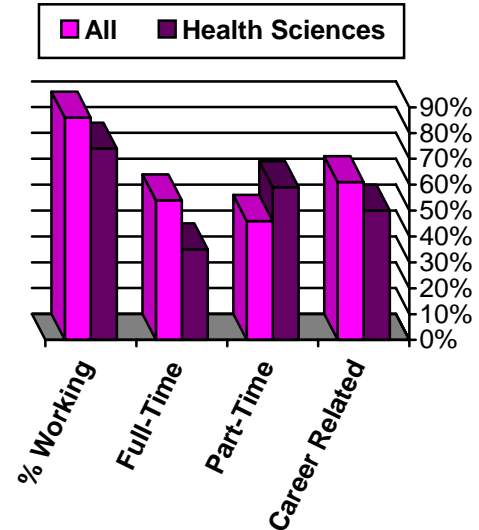
Graduates 20/69 = 27%

Percentage of Health Sciences Graduating Class represented by Survey

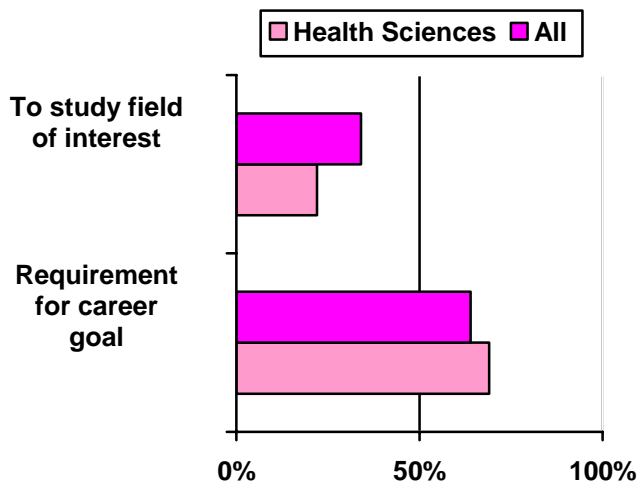
Undergraduate 49/346 = 14%

Graduates 20/56 = 36%

Employment Status of Respondents while in School



Primary Reason for Pursuing a Degree



CAREER EXPERIENCE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

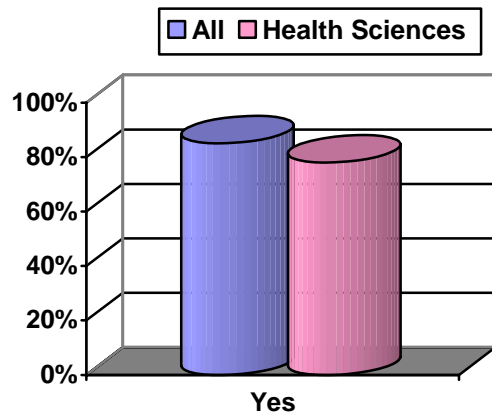
For Division of Health Sciences students, 74% indicated they worked while attending school and only 35% of those characterized their work as primarily full-time. Of the students who reported working while in school, 50% said their pre-graduation employment was related to their field of study, lower than that of the overall respondents (61%).

The national trend continues as students with career-related experience develop marketable skills and networks of employer contacts leading to greater success in their career searches upon graduation.

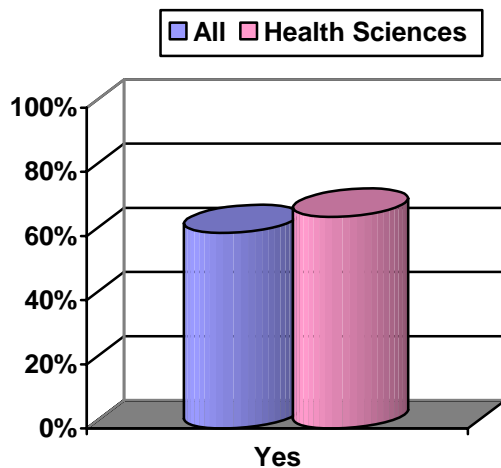
TOP 7 CAREER SERVICES UTILIZED BY STUDENTS

- #1 "Backpacks to Briefcases" Career Handbook
- #2 UNLV Career Day (each Spring Semester)
- #3 Career Services' main web page
- #4 In-office Computer Lab &
- #5 In-office Career Library
- #6 Met with a Career Counselor
- #7 Walk-in resume critique

Do you believe your UNLV education has prepared you for your chosen profession?



Did the degree you recently completed through UNLV help you obtain, enhance your status in and/or make you eligible for promotion in your current position?



**JOB OUTLOOK:
Continued Improvement!**

The job market for 2005 – 2006 graduates was much improved, with more employers seeking UNLV students and alumni than in the previous 4 years. Graduates reporting career-related current employment status within 3 months of graduation revealed good results for all career interests and college majors (see chart that follows).

66% of Health Sciences respondents felt their degree helped them obtain, enhance their status in, and/or made them eligible for promotion in their current positions. **Good news is that On-Campus Recruiting interview opportunities increased for the second year, by 28%.** This increase contributed to the overall **76% employment rate for 2005 – 2006 graduates.** Health Sciences graduates compare a little less favorably with 70% employment after graduation and 71% reporting career related positions. However, a large number of the “unemployed” respondents were actively pursuing graduate school, relocating, or taking time off.

Responding students identified our career handbook, annual career day, and the Career Services website as the top three tools they utilized from us. Students should use all available tools in their job searches, including the online web-based job and internship postings, Resume Books, and On-Campus Recruiting, all part of **UNLV CareerLink**, our online recruiting management system. In addition we host career fairs twice a year, which are great opportunities for networking and researching current and future employment and internship opportunities.

**NEED MORE INFO?
<http://hire.unlv.edu>**

Click the red “Publications” button on the Career Services’ main web page for direct access to the 2005–2006 Graduating Students Survey Response Database.

We used Survey Monkey to gather the data and report the responses from our graduates. This system enables filtering of the responses (by individual colleges, majors, graduation dates, etc.) so you can see only the responses you’re interested in.

More reports, including this and previous years’ Executive Summaries, can be accessed through this same link as they become available!

**CAREER, SALARY OFFERS & JOB STATUS
OF RESPONDENTS BY COLLEGE**

	All	Health Sciences
Currently Employed	76%	70%
Career-related Current Employment	66%	71%
Current Employment Full-time Status	78%	70%
Used UNLV CareerLink (Job Search System)	26%	13%
Received Career Offers through OCR	14%	7%
Salary Offers – High:	\$200,000	\$110,000
Average:	\$41,611	\$43,772
Low:	\$14,000	\$19,500
Actively Pursuing Graduate Studies	26%	30%

Listing of Job Offers Accepted

Company Name	Job Title	City	State	Salary
Alexander Dawson School	Director of After school programs	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$24,000
Alox Soxena	FNP	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$110,000
Anders & Dunaway Nutrition	Diet Tech	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$20,000
CCSD	Teacher	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$33,000
CCSD	Teacher	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$40,000
CCSN	Instructor	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$52,000
CCSD	Nutritionist	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$26,000
City of Boulder City	Assistant youth Coordinator	Boulder City	Nevada	\$22,500
Clark County School District	Health Ed Teacher	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$33,000
Good Samaritan Hospital	Nurse	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$40,000
Henderson Health Care Center	Licensed Practical Nurse	Henderson	Nevada	\$36,000
John Muir Medical Center	RN	Palo Alto	California	\$70,000
Med Smart	Ultrasound Tech.	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$44,000
Naphcare, Inc - CC Detention Center	Registered Nurse	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$49,780
Nevada Health Centers	Reg Operations Director	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$45,000
North Vista Hospital	Nurse Medical Technician	N Las Vegas	Nevada	\$42,000

Company Name	Job Title	City	State	Salary
Pahrump Medical	Manager	Pahrump	Nevada	\$72,000
Portneuf Medical Center	RN	Pocateilo	Idaho	\$44,000
Sports	Physical Therapy	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$55,500
Spring Valley Hospital	RN	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$51,100
State of Nevada at UNLV	Admin. Assistant III	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$43,138
Summerlin Hospital	RN-I	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$44,540
Summerlin Hospital	Registered Nurse I	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$46,960
Sunrise Hospital	RN	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$44,000
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Sunrise Hospital & Medical Cntr	RN	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$52,000
sunrise hospital	registered nurse	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$45,320
Teachers Health Trust	DIRECTOR OF COMM	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$50,000
Treasure Island Hotel	Kitchen Worker	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$25,480
Troon Golf	Tennis Pro	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$30,000
UMC	RN	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$54,000
University Medical Center	Registered Nurse	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$48,000
University of Colorado Hospital	Nurse	Denver	Colorado	\$42,000
UNLV	Administrative Assistant IV	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$39,000
UNLV Parking Services	Parking Enforcer	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$19,500
UNLV/CSUN Preschool	Student assistant	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$20,000
Valley Hospital	RN	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$50,000
Veterinary Neurological ctr.	Licensed Veterinary technician	Las Vegas	Nevada	\$35,000
Wells Fargo Bank	Personal Banker	KV	Nevada	\$28,000