



Number of Valid CNA Certifications by Year and Specialty/Area, 2007-2011

SPECIALTY AREA	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Cardiovascular	722	774	793	854	854
Community Health	216	338	460	565	694
Critical Care	1,166	1,190	1,191	1,185	1,234
Critical Care Pediatrics	104	100	113	123	119
Emergency	1,323	1,345	1,333	1,344	1,331
Enterostomal Therapy	N/A	N/A	66	75	95
Gastroenterology	205	235	231	235	250
Gerontological	1,988	2,104	2,073	2,118	2,238
Hospice Palliative Care	1,103	1,247	1,232	1,279	1,345
Medical-Surgical	N/A	N/A	N/A	200*	294
Nephrology	1,052	1,080	1,103	1,130	1,170
Neuroscience	237	258	269	291	304
Occupational Health	908	888	879	828	808
Oncology	1,323	1,360	1,431	1,591	1,700
Orthopaedics	125	153	169	194	191
Perinatal	642	665	719	744	763
Perioperative	1,552	1,566	1,560	1,540	1,539
Psychiatric and Mental Health	1,734	1,750	1,765	1,692	1,658
Rehabilitation	121	172	216	272	291
TOTAL	14,526	15,225	15,603	16,260	16,878

*First time that certification became available.

Source: Canadian Nurses Association, Professional Practice & Regulation division