

Staffing

A Modified team nursing model is used as the method of delivering care. Minimum requirements for staffing:

13 patients or more or increased acuity	7-12 patients	6 or less patients
(7-3) Add 1 RN or LPN Add 1 C.N.A.	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 ward clerk 2 C.N.A.'s	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 ward clerk/C.N.A.
(3-11) Add 1 RN, LPN Add 1 C.N.A. as needed	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 ward clerk 2 C.N.A.'s	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 ward clerk/C.N.A.
(11-7) Add 1 RN, LPN and C.N.A. as needed	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 C.N.A. 1 C.N.A./ ward clerk	2 RN's (1 RN 1 LPN) 1 ward clerk/ C.N.A.

The above minimum staffing guidelines may be altered based on acuity.