



YOUR HEALTHCARE TEAM – THE HOSPITAL HIERARCHY

THE MEDICAL HIERARCHY – DOCTORS

- ↓ Medical Director
- ↓ Head of department
- ↓ Attending physician
- ↓ Fellow
- ↓ Chief resident
- ↓ Senior resident (usually third year resident)
- ↓ Junior resident (usually second year resident)
- ↓ Intern (first year resident)
- ↓ Medical student

THE NURSING HIERARCHY

- ↓ Chief nursing executive
- ↓ Director of nursing
- ↓ Nurse manager or nurse supervisor
- ↓ Charge nurse
- ↓ Staff or bedside nurse (RN)
- ↓ Licensed vocational nurse (LVN)
- ↓ Unlicensed assistive personnel