## HOMESTEAD VN STUDENTS SCORE 100% PASS RATE

The Board of Vocational Nursing released NCLEX/PN pass rates for first-time graduates of the vocational nursing programs for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2018. Homestead Schools' VN students had a 100% pass rate for the quarter while for the year the rate was 96.43% which shows consistency over several quarters. These results may very well be the best of any private school in the state.

We're pleased to report that the VN students at Homestead are not only graduating at record levels but are also landing high-paying jobs as LVNs in the healthcare field. These young people chose a career in nursing about a year ago and now they're on their way to enjoying a lifetime of financial security and the satisfaction that comes from helping people. Many of these LVNs will gain experience for a few years in the long-term care facilities while working toward their RN and BSN degrees which will establish them firmly in their chosen field.

To help its students become proficient in nursing, the school continues to implement new didactic and clinical programs. Recently, the school opened a new simulation lab equipped with fidelity mannequins and various assessment and monitoring equipment that gives students verisimilitude experience in maternity and pediatric nursing. In this simulation lab students gain actual hands-on interactive experience in delivery and birthing while following various hypothetical scenarios. This kind of experience is simply not available in a maternity hospital for LVNs. We're proud of our investment in students' learning that allows them to gain valuable experience in the school. Watch for more detailed description of the maternity and pediatric simulation lab in this space in the coming weeks.

If you've been considering a career in nursing and were looking for a program to help you launch a successful career, we invite you to visit Homestead Schools located at 23800 Hawthorne Blvd., Ste 200, Torrance, Calif. and talk with one of our admissions representatives. Call (310) 791-9975 for more information.