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## REGISTERED NURSE

**HIGH-DEMAND**  
Job in Kansas 



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**Typical Education Required For This Job:** ASSOCIATE DEGREE OR BACHELOR'S DEGREE

### Episode Takeaways

Please respond to these questions using complete sentences.

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TRUE



FALSE

2. What's one way Marissa says you can prepare for this job?

  

3. On a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 meaning "no way" and 10 meaning "this seems like a great job for me someday," how interested are you in this career path? *Circle a number.*

1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9      10

*Definitely not*

*Maybe*

*I'm super interested*

4. Why did you circle the number you did on question 3?

  
  

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**ANSWER KEY**

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Three empty text boxes for the answer to question 4.

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\$62,550