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Help people with their day-to-day skills and activities (this is the role of an Occupational Therapist)	Work with other healthcare professionals

How long do you think it takes to train to be a nurse?

Write your answer here: 3 years! To become a Registered Nurse, you must complete a degree. Degrees are a minimum of 3 years long. Some universities offer a 4-year programme. You can choose to be a children's nurse, adult nurse, mental health nurse, or a learning disability nurse. Some degrees offer combined programmes. This means that you can become more than one type of nurse at the end of your training.