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I'm a nurse in a hospital in Chicago. I work in the operating rooms. A lot of nurses don't work regular hours, but the operating room times are pretty regular. And I work 35 hours basic, but you know what it's like - I often have to work overtime. Last week I worked 52 hours. I usually work from 9 to 4. Once a year, I have to work a month of nights - we all do. Then I work from 11pm to 6am. I work five days a week, but I don't have the same days off every week. I always take Sunday off and one other day. I have three weeks' vacation a year. I don't think it's enough. I wear a uniform at work - that's good - you don't have to think about choosing clothes every day. Everyone in the hospital eats in the same cafeteria and it's subsidized by the hospital. You can buy lunch for about \$4.