

2016

Number of Candidates Taking NCLEX Examination and Percent Passing, by Type of Candidate

RN	Jan-Mar 2016 ³		Apr-Jun 2016		Jul-Sep 2016		Oct-Dec 2016		Year to Date Total	
	# ¹	% ²	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
First Time, US Educated										
<i>Diploma</i>	792	82.45%	471	87.90%	1,277	86.61%	205	83.42%	2,745	85.39%
<i>Baccalaureate Degree</i>	19,045	86.93%	24,547	90.32%	23,123	86.72%	5,922	84.41%	72,637	87.80%
<i>Associate Degree</i>	22,696	80.86%	26,777	84.83%	24,719	82.10%	7,461	71.53%	81,653	81.68%
<i>Invalid or Special Program Codes</i>	0	0.00%	12	41.67%	12	75.00%	10	50.00%	34	55.88%
Total First Time, US Educated	42,537	83.60%	51,807	87.45%	49,131	84.39%	13,598	77.31%	157,073	84.57%
Repeat, US Educated	10,760	42.94%	11,618	42.00%	13,486	52.34%	11,626	46.06%	47,490	46.14%
First Time, Internationally Educated	2,411	36.91%	2,811	37.96%	3,062	37.52%	3,285	42.28%	11,569	38.85%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	3,940	24.24%	4,051	21.06%	3,913	21.60%	4,349	27.25%	16,253	23.61%
All Candidates	59,648	70.45%	70,287	74.13%	69,592	72.58%	32,858	56.12%	232,385	70.18%

PN	Jan-Mar 2016 ⁴		Apr-Jun 2016		Jul-Sep 2016		Oct-Dec 2016		Year to Date Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
First Time, US Educated	10,789	82.62%	10,115	83.26%	17,035	86.62%	9,345	80.24%	47,284	83.73%
Repeat, US Educated	3,634	33.93%	4,097	32.76%	3,391	36.98%	3,744	36.06%	14,866	34.84%
First Time, Internationally Educated	293	43.00%	317	47.32%	271	45.39%	198	46.47%	1,079	45.51%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	350	20.00%	325	20.62%	293	25.60%	312	19.87%	1,280	21.41%
All Candidates	15,066	68.65%	14,854	67.19%	20,990	77.22%	13,599	66.20%	64,509	70.59%

¹ The # symbol denotes the number of candidates who took the exam.

² The % symbol denotes the percentage of candidates that passed the exam.

³ The RN Passing Standard is 0.00 logits.

⁴ The PN Passing Standard was -0.21 logits.