

2018

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

RN	Jan-Mar 2018 ³		Apr-Jun 2018		Jul-Sep 2018		Oct-Dec 2018		Year to Date Total	
	# ¹	% ²	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
First Time, US Educated										
<i>Diploma</i>	405	90.12%	452	87.61%	803	89.29%			1,660	89.04%
<i>Baccalaureate Degree</i>	20,127	91.73%	26,016	92.89%	25,845	91.81%			71,988	92.18%
<i>Associate Degree</i>	22,159	86.99%	26,727	86.76%	25,188	86.46%			74,074	86.73%
<i>Invalid or Special Program Codes</i>	11	63.64%	7	57.14%	7	85.71%			25	68.00%
Total First Time, US Educated	42,702	89.25%	53,202	89.76%	51,843	89.17%			147,747	89.41%
Repeat, US Educated	7,817	39.88%	9,338	39.70%	10,955	53.19%			28,110	45.01%
First Time, Internationally Educated	3,421	41.16%	3,984	45.21%	4,256	45.11%			11,661	43.98%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	3,966	22.52%	4,547	23.51%	4,417	26.92%			12,930	24.37%
All Candidates	57,906	75.17%	71,071	76.45%	71,471	77.19%			200,448	76.34%

PN	Jan-Mar 2018 ⁴		Apr-Jun 2018		Jul-Sep 2018		Oct-Dec 2018		Year to Date Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
First Time, US Educated	10,732	86.76%	10,414	86.51%	16,284	86.09%			37,430	86.40%
Repeat, US Educated	3,290	37.90%	3,846	35.75%	3,417	32.28%			10,553	35.30%
First Time, Internationally Educated	162	48.77%	171	54.39%	143	49.65%			476	51.05%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	262	22.14%	259	19.69%	240	22.08%			761	21.29%
All Candidates	14,446	74.03%	14,690	71.67%	20,084	75.91%			49,220	74.09%

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 is -0.21 logits.