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## Introduction

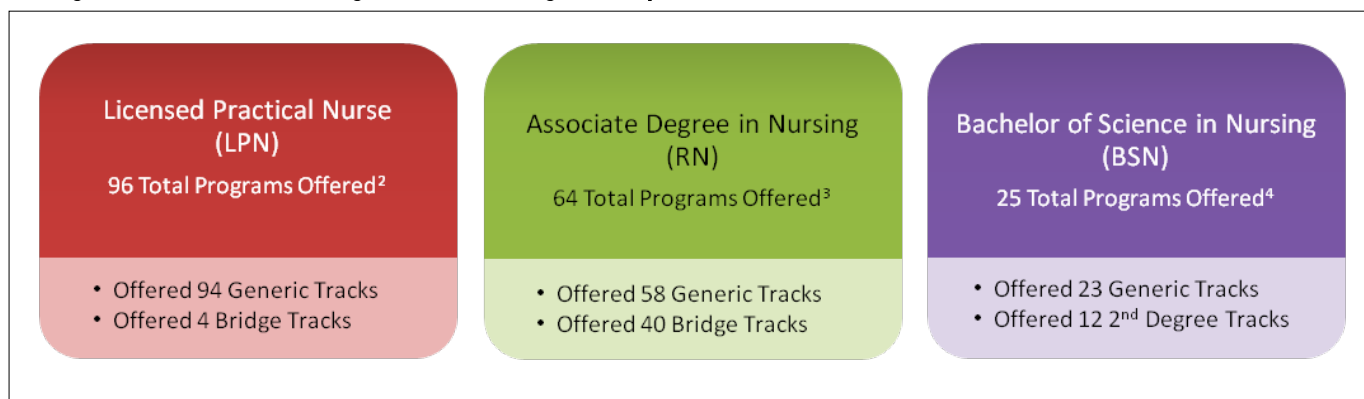
This report is a companion to OPPAGA Report No. 11-06, *Board of Nursing Addressed Statutory Changes; Nursing Program Capacity Expanded in 2009-10*. This report provides program-specific data for all nursing education programs in Florida for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 academic years. This data includes each program's capacity (seats, students admitted, etc.), student enrollment, number of graduates, program retention, and 2009 and 2010 examination passage rates for the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination (NCLEX).

During the 2009-10 academic year, 185 nursing education programs in Florida had students enrolled. As shown in Exhibit 1, these included 96 programs that offered a licensed practical nursing certificate, 64 programs that offered an associate degree in nursing, and 25 programs that offered a bachelor's degree in nursing. Many of these programs offered both a generic curriculum (also called a track) for students with no medical experience and a bridge curriculum, which is an expedited program for students with nursing licenses or previous medical experience.

Public school districts, Florida colleges, state universities, private institutions licensed by the Commission for Independent Education, and private institutions that are members of the Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida offer nursing programs. In addition, state law authorizes Pensacola Christian College to offer a bachelor of science in nursing degree.

### Exhibit 1

#### During 2009-10, 185 Nursing Education Programs Operated in Florida<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> The total includes all curriculum tracks for programs, including 46 programs with multiple tracks.

<sup>2</sup> Two Licensed Practical Nurse programs have both a generic curriculum track and a bridge curriculum track.

<sup>3</sup> Thirty-four associate degree programs have both a generic and a bridge curriculum track.

<sup>4</sup> Ten bachelor's degree programs have both a generic and a second degree curriculum track.

Source: OPPAGA survey and analysis.

## Summary Statistics

Capacity and enrollment in nursing education programs has increased. Nursing programs increased their capacity for new students, received more applications and qualified applicants, and admitted (approved applications for) more students in 2009-10 than in 2008-09, as shown in Exhibit 2. In addition, a higher number of new students with approved applications enrolled during the 2009-10 academic year. These capacity increases are the result of adding new programs and expanding existing programs.

### Exhibit 2

#### Capacity of Nursing Programs Has Expanded Under the New Law

Program Type	New Seats			Applications Received			Qualified Applicants		
	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Change	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Change	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Change
Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN)	6,270	7,573	20.8%	1,5013	24,831	65.4%	9,892	13,621	37.7%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Generic	6,254	7,636	22.1%	1,9113	29,980	56.9%	12,761	18,433	44.4%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Bridge	1,401	2,013	43.7%	2,942	4,166	41.6%	2,041	2,939	44.0%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Generic	1,935	1,973	2.0%	7,643	8,144	6.6%	4,751	4,823	1.5%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – 2nd Degree	570	703	23.3%	2,286	3,343	46.2%	1,240	1,468	18.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,430</b>	<b>19,898</b>	<b>21.1%</b>	<b>46,997</b>	<b>70,464</b>	<b>49.9%</b>	<b>30,685</b>	<b>41,284</b>	<b>34.5%</b>

Program Type	Students Approved for Admission			Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled		
	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Change	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Change
Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN)	6,359	7,426	16.8%	5,785	6,850	18.4%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Generic	6,256	7,465	19.3%	6,101	7,139	17.0%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Bridge	1,413	1,691	19.7%	1,347	1,594	18.3%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Generic	2,436	2,259	-7.3%	1,843	2,052	11.3%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – 2nd Degree	800	867	8.4%	540	681	26.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,264</b>	<b>19,708</b>	<b>14.2%</b>	<b>15,616</b>	<b>18,316</b>	<b>17.3%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

Overall, student enrollment in nursing programs grew by 12% from 2008-09 to 2009-10. As shown in Exhibit 3, the greatest increase was in Licensed Practical Nursing (generic curriculum) programs, including 14 new and 41 existing programs that expanded enrollment. Associate degree programs have also experienced a large increase in enrollment due to the addition of 11 new programs and the expansion of 28 existing programs.

**Exhibit 3****Student Enrollment Increased by 12% Statewide Across All Types of Nursing Programs**

Curriculum Type	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Increase/Decrease
Practical Nursing (LPN) – Generic	6,454	7,730	19.8%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Generic	9,825	10,676	8.7%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Bridge	1,935	2,212	14.3%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Generic	4,081	4,342	6.4%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – 2nd Degree	1,142	1,228	7.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,437</b>	<b>26,188</b>	<b>11.7%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

The number of students graduating from nursing programs was relatively stable for student populations affected by prior statutes. The total number of students graduating from nursing education programs increased slightly (less than 1%) from 2008-09 to 2009-10, but there were some differences in graduation rates among the types of programs. For example, as shown in Exhibit 4, practical nursing generic programs and associate degree generic programs both experienced a slight decrease in students graduating due to changes such as admission dates, enrollment, and faculty.

**Exhibit 4****The Number of Students Graduating from Nursing Programs Remained About the Same from 2008-09 to 2009-10**

Curriculum Type	2008-09	2009-10	Percentage Increase/Decrease
Practical Nursing (LPN) – Generic	3,910	3,805	-2.7%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Generic	4,774	4,685	-1.9%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Bridge	873	1,016	16.4%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Generic	1,623	1,757	8.3%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – 2nd Degree	408	432	5.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,588</b>	<b>11,695</b>	<b>0.9%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

The percentage of students retained in nursing programs in 2009-10 is similar to prior years. Retention rates varied slightly by program type.<sup>1, 2</sup> For example, as shown in Exhibit 5, bachelor's degree programs typically had one-year retention rates above 90%, while LPN programs retained between 74% and 78% of their students in the first year. These differences are due to varying admissions criteria and program lengths. Overall, there was little change in retention rates between students who entered in 2008 and those who entered in 2009.

<sup>1</sup> Nursing programs admit students throughout the year, with several programs admitting students multiple times per year. We requested each nursing program to select a cohort of students for 2008 and 2009 and report to us the outcomes of these students over one year and over two years.

<sup>2</sup> We assessed retention in each type of nursing program using two student cohorts—one group entered the programs in 2008 and the other entered in 2009. To calculate retention, we added the number of graduates and the number of students still enrolled and divided by the number of newly enrolled students.

**Exhibit 5****The Number of Students Retained in Nursing Programs Was Similar in 2009 and 2010**

Curriculum Type	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Practical Nursing (LPN) – Generic	1,725	2,342	74%	1,911	2,437	78%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Generic	2,535	3,125	81%	2,670	3,265	82%
Associate Degree in Nursing – Bridge	615	744	83%	682	839	81%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Generic	1,249	1,377	91%	1,381	1,519	91%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing – 2nd Degree	354	372	95%	408	448	91%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,478</b>	<b>7,960</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>7,052</b>	<b>8,508</b>	<b>83%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

# Licensed Practical Nurse Program Statistics<sup>3</sup>

## Licensed Practical Nurse Generic Program Capacity

Exhibit 6 shows Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) program capacity by institution for the 2009-10 school year. The capacity of LPN programs has increased under the new law, with the number of new seats in programs, applications received, qualified applicants, students approved for admission, and admitted students who enrolled all increasing from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 6

#### LPN Program Capacity Increased in 2009-10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Academy for Practical Nursing	264	281	460	502	321	368	321	368	247	281
Bradford-Union Area Vocational Technical Center	24	18	27	30	27	22	27	18	27	18
Brevard Community College	40	40	81	134	50	50	44	39	40	37
Brewster Technical Center	24	24	40	40	35	40	24	24	24	24
Broward Atlantic Technical Center	192	192	253	350	180	250	180	212	180	192
Broward Blanche Ely High School	24	24	22	26	19	17	19	17	19	0
Broward McFatter Technical Center	168	192	300	500	200	250	168	192	168	192
Broward Sheridan Technical Center	152	184	450	1000	200	300	152	147	152	108
Cambridge Institute of Allied Health	16	24	33	40	18	30	16	26	16	24
Caregiver Education	0	32	0	200	0	74	0	32	0	32
Carleen Home Health School, Inc.	0	30	0	50	0	35	0	35	0	26
Casel Healthcare Training Center	27	35	141	379	50	120		24	0	22
Centura Institute	60	140	301	4,165	83	1,315	64	128	64	98
Charlotte Technical Center	84	84	91	144	88	91	84	86	84	84

<sup>3</sup> Statistics on LPN bridge programs were not included in order to protect student confidentiality (due to the small number of programs).



Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Choice Technical Center	48	48	305	350	109	80	48	48	48	48
College of Central Florida	48	48	74	89	49	61	48	52	40	44
Concorde Career Institute	90	90	201	294	129	185	88	81	88	81
Coral Ridge Training School	24	48	30	78	19	60	19	57	18	19
Dade County Homestead Senior High	25	25	42	28	25	25	25	25	25	25
Dade County Lindsey Hopkins	150	154	150	154	124	154	124	144	124	97
Dade County Miami Lakes Technical Center	144	144	226	220	226	220	226	220	125	148
Dade County Robert Morgan Technical Center	120	150	180	315	180	180	134	180	101	153
Dade Medical College – Hialeah	24	100	170	1,117	28	782	24	125	23	98
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	100	0	966	0	676	00	46	0	31
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	100	0	171	0	120	0	13	0	4
Dade Medical College – Homestead	0	100	0	342	0	239	0	34	0	19
Daytona State College	120	100	180	258	180	234	102	102	96	102
DeSoto County School	12	12	35	35	32	31	12	14	12	12
Erwin Vocational Technical Center	260	260	338	880	338	252	338	296	255	252
Faith Medical Institute	0	65	0	50	0	40	0	40	0	40
First Coast Technical College	96	48	180	122	180	102	96	48	96	48
Florida Gateway College	60	60	198	219	124	157	85	70	72	62
Florida National College – Hialeah	30	45	278	67	92	38	30	27	30	27
Florida National College – Miami	30	45	207	85	57	61	30	43	30	38

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Florida State College at Jacksonville	120	120	692	818	669	658	120	120	109	120
Fortis College	36	42	95	105	52	60	36	46	36	46
Gadsden Technical Institute	24	24	32	35	24	24	24	24	24	18
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	232	306	850	673	510	505	453	303	276	290
Green Cross School of Nursing	0	48	0	130	0	47	0	47	0	47
Gulf Coast Community College – Gulf Franklin Center	36	36	60	103	54	72	36	36	36	36
Health Opportunity Technical Center	89	60	371	268	371	131	94	60	89	51
Hope Health Careers	0	72	0	87	0	86	0	69	0	69
Immokalee Technical Center	48	24	200	209	36	24	36	24	36	20
Indian River State College	84	72	170	142	105	71	84	71	82	71
Inlet Grove Community High School	80	100	105	120	56	86	56	86	56	86
International Academy Training Center	0	20	0	30	0	19	0	19	0	19
Keiser Career College – New Port Richey	96	120	120	327	57	131	57	107	57	103
Keiser Career College – St. Petersburg	72	72	150	200	72	80	72	72	72	69
Keiser Career College – Greenacres	48	48	100	219	48	72	48	43	48	43
Keiser Career College – Jacksonville	144	72	0	198	0	65	0	60	0	60
Keiser College – Miami Lakes	72	72	150	323	72	97	72	78	72	72
Lake Technical Center	108	96	390	275	181	193	110	96	110	109

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Lee County High Technical Center-North	48	48	162	363	122	130	49	61	49	49
Lee County High Technical Center-Central	84	84	84	162	84	84	84	83	79	83
Lincoln Technical Institute	84	180	540	220	120	180	84	180	76	170
Lively Technical Center	120	112	130	120	120	110	110	110	110	110
Lorenzo Walker Institute of Technology	96	96	225	307	195	222	98	96	96	96
Manatee Technical Institute	132	144	200	158	175	146	120	110	119	131
MedVance Institute – Palm Springs	18	48	100	205	25	82	18	44	18	44
MedVance Institute – Stuart	48	82	136	76	57	72	46	74	46	74
Mercy Hospital School of Practical Nursing	90	90	397	362	397	362	90	90	90	90
Miami Dade College	50	50	288	280	51	97	51	50	51	47
North Florida Community College	27	24	59	60	39	43	27	32	27	26
Orlando Tech	150	150	250	300	175	98	130	98	130	98
Palm Beach County Schools	32	36	110	83	32	36	32	36	32	36
Palm Beach State College	60	80	134	162	77	102	60	81	60	69
Palm Beach Vocational Institute	0	40	0	75	0	40	0	40	0	40
Pasco-Hernando Community College	108	120	454	580	454	580	108	118	101	118
Pensacola State College	30	36	600	400	50	39	30	39	30	36
Pinellas Technical Education Center – Clearwater	91	140	125	150	110	148	91	140	91	134
Pinellas Technical Education Center – St. Petersburg	143	153	160	170	160	168	143	150	143	144

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Rasmussen College – Pasco County	96	96	66	59	66	59	66	59	54	59
Ridge Career Center	36	48	106	101	67	75	36	58	36	58
Rose Training Institute	30	45	40	52	30	37	30	37	30	20
SABER, Inc.	56	196	300	610	300	196	55	196	55	280
Santa Fe College	61	34	246	100	246	100	61	36	61	35
Sarasota County Technical Institute	99	120	130	160	107	126	107	120	107	114
Seminole State College	50	36	95	101	87	94	50	36	50	32
Sigma Institute of Health Careers	96	110	123	225	110	153	98	117	88	117
South Florida Community College	24	24	54	54	45	45	24	24	24	24
South Technical Academy	16	24	80	75	12	29	12	24	12	24
Tampa Bay Technical High School	24	0	46	0	42	0	24	0	24	0
Taylor College	100	76	143	76	135	76	81	76	81	68
Technical Education Center Osceola	60	90	70	100	60	100	56	90	56	88
Techni-Pro Institute	0	27	0	47	0	34	0	27	0	27
The Center for Allied Health and Nursing Education	92	144	114	288	114	148	92	148	92	144
Tom P. Haney Technical Center	67	52	145	128	134	102	56	55	54	55
Traviss Career Center	124	124	160	162	145	150	124	124	119	111
Virginia College at Pensacola	60	60	228	317	98	99	61	96	61	89
Walton Career Development Center	39	24	62	23	58	23	44	20	41	18

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Washington-Holmes Technical Center	60	60	88	84	88	84	60	53	60	53
Withlacoochee Technical Institute	24	24	85	174	35	72	25	24	25	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,270</b>	<b>7,573</b>	<b>15,013</b>	<b>24,831</b>	<b>9,892</b>	<b>13,621</b>	<b>6,359</b>	<b>7,426</b>	<b>5,785</b>	<b>6,850</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Licensed Practical Nurse Program Enrollments and Graduates

Exhibit 7 shows Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) program enrollments and graduates by institution for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. Overall, enrollment increased while the number of graduates slightly decreased.

### Exhibit 7

#### LPN Program Enrollments Increased in 2009-10, but Graduates Decreased

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Academy for Practical Nursing	247	281	165	121
Bradford-Union Area Vocational Technical Center	27	18	19	14
Brevard Community College	42	43	39	26
Brewster Technical Center	24	24	0	15
Broward Atlantic Technical Center	192	192	168	154
Broward Blanche Ely High School	19	17	17	14
Broward McFatter Technical Center	160	175	131	170
Broward Sheridan Technical Center	154	147	139	123
Cambridge Institute of Allied Health	14	24	0	14
Caregiver Education	0	32	0	0
Carleen Home Health School, Inc.	0	26	0	0
Casel Healthcare Training Center	0	20	0	0
Centura Institute	62	83	0	19
Charlotte Technical Center	72	84	52	48
Choice Technical Center	48	48	43	41
College of Central Florida	71	71	27	29
Concorde Career Institute	90	75	52	64
Coral Ridge Training School	31	57	11	21
Dade County Homestead Senior High	35	35	13	10
Dade County Lindsey Hopkins	124	144	59	78
Dade County Miami Lakes Technical Center	171	197	89	114
Dade County Robert Morgan Technical Center	74	192	100	87
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	4	0	0
Dade Medical College – Hialeah	0	82	0	0
Dade Medical College – Homestead	0	15	0	0
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	21	0	0
Daytona State College	85	73	80	61
DeSoto County School	12	12	12	11
Erwin Vocational Technical Center	270	296	149	181
Faith Medical Institute	0	40	0	0
First Coast Technical College	72	96	90	45
Florida Gateway College	121	110	49	50
Florida National College – Hialeah	30	27	27	15

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Florida National College – Miami	30	38	30	29
Florida State College at Jacksonville	120	110	106	101
Fortis College	36	46	16	33
Gadsden Technical Institute	15	22	15	
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	308	290	168	153
Green Cross School of Nursing	0	47	0	0
Gulf Coast Community College – Gulf Franklin Center	36	36	24	23
Health Opportunity Technical Center	89	75	111	56
Hope Health Careers	0	59	0	0
Immokalee Technical Center	17	35	0	15
Indian River State College	93	96	51	25
Inlet Grove Community High School	23	100	39	14
International Academy Training Center	0	19	0	0
Keiser Career College – Greenacres	40	40	40	26
Keiser Career College – Jacksonville	0	53	0	0
Keiser Career College – New Port Richey	102	99	23	50
Keiser Career College – St. Petersburg	84	69	49	55
Keiser College – Miami Lakes	84	78	25	52
Lake Technical Center	132	96	52	97
Lee County High Technical Center-North	48	49	28	29
Lee County High Technical Center-Central	95	83	59	48
Lincoln Technical Institute	96	180	68	37
Lively Technical Center	46	110	64	20
Lorenzo Walker Institute of Technology	156	152	48	64
Manatee Technical Institute	136	131	81	95
MedVance Institute – Palm Springs	74	44	25	2
MedVance Institute – Stuart	92	128	31	54
Mercy Hospital School of Practical Nursing	83	90	76	78
Miami Dade College	50	47	37	42
North Florida Community College	26	26	17	21
Orlando Tech	105	110	77	80
Palm Beach County Schools	26	34	0	12
Palm Beach State College	85	106	20	47
Palm Beach Vocational Institute	0	40	0	0
Pasco-Hernando Community College	105	118	91	94
Pensacola State College	39	39	26	27
Pinellas Technical Education Center – Clearwater	195	209	78	81
Pinellas Technical Education Center – St. Petersburg	235	247	113	99
Rasmussen College – Pasco County	44	89	13	24
Ridge Career Center	49	58	29	41

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Rose Training Institute	21	38	27	4
SABER, Inc.	134	280	47	56
Santa Fe College	61	35	11	23
Sarasota County Technical Institute	107	114	69	71
Seminole State College	98	71	39	38
Sigma Institute of Health Careers	153	186	125	24
South Florida Community College	24	24	22	23
South Technical Academy	28	36	16	9
Tampa Bay Technical High School	57	21	14	7
Taylor College	36	76	21	46
Technical Education Center Osceola	52	88	39	24
Techni-Pro Institute	0	27	0	0
The Center for Allied Health and Nursing Education	82	144	0	34
Tom P. Haney Technical Center	54	55	51	36
Traviss Career Center	119	124	67	56
Virginia College at Pensacola	61	55	33	34
Walton Career Development Center	47	20	9	0
Washington-Holmes Technical Center	55	53	38	53
Withlacoochee Technical Institute	24	24	21	18
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,454</b>	<b>7,730</b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>3,805</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.



## Licensed Practical Nurse Program Retention

Exhibit 8 shows the number of Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) students retained by institution. The percentage of students retained in 2009-10 was slightly higher than 2008-09 (78% to 74%).

### Exhibit 8

#### LPN Student Retention Was Slightly Higher in 2009-10

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Academy for Practical Nursing	30	68	44%	63	79	80%
Bradford-Union Area Vocational Technical Center	19	27	70%	28	18	156%
Brevard Community College	40	40	100%	30	34	88%
Brewster Technical Center	15	24	63%	17	24	71%
Broward Atlantic Technical Center	43	49	88%	34	49	69%
Broward Blanche Ely High School	17	19	89%	14	17	82%
Broward McFatter Technical Center	43	49	88%	13	24	54%
Broward Sheridan Technical Center	18	24	75%	18	24	75%
Cambridge Institute of Allied Health	0	0	N/A	14	14	100%
Centura Institute	15	27	56%	25	35	71%
Charlotte Technical Center	18	24	75%	21	23	91%
Choice Technical Center	22	25	88%	19	24	79%
College of Central Florida	27	33	82%	29	44	66%
Concorde Career Institute	23	27	85%	15	19	79%
Dade County Homestead Senior High	22	24	92%	22	25	88%
Dade County Lindsey Hopkins	13	24	54%	22	31	71%
Dade County Miami Lakes Technical Center	30	41	73%	31	39	79%
Daytona State College	35	56	63%	18	36	50%
DeSoto County School	12	12	100%	11	12	92%
Erwin Vocational Technical Center	47	70	67%	45	68	66%
First Coast Technical College	15	26	58%	19	28	68%
Florida Gateway College	33	45	73%	28	37	76%
Florida National College – Hialeah	12	15	80%	15	15	100%
Florida National College – Miami	15	15	100%	12	15	80%
Fortis College	13	13	100%	13	18	72%
Gadsden Technical Institute	18	28	64%	0	0	N/A
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	41	79	52%	18	48	38%
Green Cross School of Nursing	0	0	N/A	24	25	96%
Gulf Coast Community College – Gulf Franklin Center	22	36	61%	23	36	64%
Health Opportunity Technical Center	24	26	92%	49	51	96%

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Immokalee Technical Center	15	17	88%	16	19	84%
Indian River State College	22	24	92%	20	22	91%
Inlet Grove Community High School	18	23	78%	80	91	88%
Keiser Career College – Greenacres	16	20	80%	14	23	61%
Keiser Career College – Jacksonville	0	0	N/A	8	13	62%
Keiser Career College – New Port Richey	33	43	77%	20	24	83%
Keiser Career College – St. Petersburg	19	25	76%	21	24	88%
Keiser College – Miami Lakes	22	31	71%	20	24	83%
Lake Technical Center	29	45	64%	28	36	78%
Lee County High Technical Center-North	14	23	61%	18	24	75%
Lee County High Technical Center-Central	15	23	65%	24	24	100%
Lincoln Technical Institute	44	84	52%	71	104	68%
Lively Technical Center	32	56	57%	42	52	81%
Manatee Technical Institute	30	45	67%	26	46	57%
MedVance Institute – Palm Springs	5	7	71%	22	31	71%
MedVance Institute – Stuart	19	22	86%	23	24	96%
Mercy Hospital School of Practical Nursing	22	24	92%	25	30	83%
Miami Dade College	30	48	63%	44	47	94%
North Florida Community College	17	27	63%	21	26	81%
Orlando Tech	20	23	87%	21	24	88%
Palm Beach County Schools	26	32	81%	34	36	94%
Palm Beach State College	24	30	80%	17	21	81%
Pasco-Hernando Community College	53	69	77%	63	70	90%
Pensacola State College	25	25	100%	27	36	75%
Pinellas Technical Education Center – St. Petersburg	90	102	88%	50	59	85%
Pinellas Technical Education Center – Clearwater	30	44	68%	53	70	76%
Rasmussen College – Pasco County	16	24	67%	16	21	76%
Ridge Career Center	29	36	81%	41	50	82%
Rose Training Institute	6	15	40%	10	13	77%
SABER, Inc.	0	0	N/A	24	27	89%
Santa Fe College	12	25	48%	24	33	73%
Sarasota County Technical Institute	49	71	69%	32	41	78%
Seminole State College	41	49	84%	38	50	76%
Sigma Institute of Health Careers	23	25	92%	35	40	88%
South Florida Community College	22	24	92%	23	24	96%
South Technical Academy	11	12	92%	20	24	83%
Tampa Bay Technical High School	24	24	100%	0	0	N/A

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Technical Education Center Osceola	20	26	77%	24	30	80%
The Center for Allied Health and Nursing Education	10	10	100%	26	36	72%
Tom P. Haney Technical Center	20	24	83%	17	30	57%
Traviss Career Center	39	55	71%	38	45	84%
Walton Career Development Center	13	17	76%	12	22	55%
Washington-Holmes Technical Center	27	35	77%	24	27	89%
Withlacoochee Technical Institute	11	12	92%	9	12	75%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,725</b>	<b>2,342</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>1,911</b>	<b>2,437</b>	<b>78%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Licensed Practical Nurse (Generic and Bridge) Exam Scores

Exhibit 9 shows the average National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination (NCLEX) exam score for Licensed Practical Nurse program graduates by institution taken during the 2010 calendar year. The percentage of exam takers who passed increased slightly in 2010 (82% to 87%). This includes both LPN-Generic program students as well as LPN-Bridge program students.

### Exhibit 9

#### Average Exam Scores for LPN Students

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70–201	Academy for Practical Nursing	155	119	77%	116	97	84%
70–107	Bradford-Union Area Vocational Technical Center	19	17	89%	13	12	92%
70–172	Brevard Community College	37	30	81%	26	20	77%
70–133	Brewster Technical Center	12	11	92%	3	2	67%
70–186	Broward Atlantic Technical Center	171	147	86%	141	126	89%
70–210	Broward Blanche Ely High School	18	13	72%	14	14	100%
70–202	Broward McFatter Technical Center	116	104	90%	130	119	92%
70–205	Broward Sheridan Technical Center	129	115	89%	119	109	92%
70–127	Cambridge Institute of Allied Health	0	0	N/A	13	11	85%
70–277	Caregiver Education	0	0	N/A	6	5	83%
70–155	Center for Allied Health Nursing	0	0	N/A	41	41	100%
70–131	Centura Institute	1	1	100%	21	17	81%
70–166	Charlotte County Technical Center	48	40	83%	64	56	88%
70–100	Chipola College	12	12	100%	10	8	80%
70–105	Choice Technical Center	42	41	98%	42	38	90%
70–102	College of Central Florida	28	28	100%	29	28	97%
70–282	Community Educational School – Indian River County <sup>1</sup>	13	13	100%	8	8	100%
70–125	Concorde Career Institute	45	39	87%	48	39	81%
70–221	Coral Ridge Training School	12	4	33%	24	13	54%
70–268	Dade County – Homestead Senior High	15	15	100%	10	10	100%
70–153	Dade County – Lindsey Hopkins Technical Center	46	39	85%	57	56	98%
70–254	Dade County – Miami Lakes Technical Center	97	89	92%	111	91	82%
70–248	Dade County – Robert Morgan Technical Center	90	69	77%	78	60	77%
70–185	Daytona State College	71	61	86%	63	61	97%
70–163	DeSoto County School	12	12	100%	11	10	91%
70–154	Erwin Vocational Technical Center	147	118	80%	156	143	92%
70–182	First Coast Technical College	51	45	88%	62	54	87%
70–106	Florida Gateway College	48	44	92%	51	47	92%
70–216	Florida National College – Hialeah	26	17	65%	25	25	100%
70–231	Florida National College – Miami	29	17	59%	29	26	90%

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70–179	Florida State College at Jacksonville	106	84	79%	94	73	78%
70–115	Fortis College	35	31	89%	32	30	94%
70–230	Gadsden Technical Institute	7	3	43%	9	2	22%
70–104	Galen School of Nursing	145	140	97%	135	134	99%
70–123	Gulf Coast College (Fortis Institute) <sup>2</sup>	63	46	73%	51	40	78%
70–197	Gulf Coast Community College	23	18	78%	23	22	96%
70–118	Health Opportunity Technical Center	86	24	28%	78	31	40%
70–145	Immokalee Technical Center	4	3	75%	30	26	87%
70–177	Indian River State College	65	59	91%	50	39	78%
70–116	Inlet Grove Community High School	38	13	34%	23	11	48%
70–137	Institute of Allied Health	1	0	0%	3	2	67%
70–144	Keiser Career College – Jacksonville	0	0	N/A	4	4	100%
70–269	Keiser Career College – Miami Lakes	36	34	94%	62	60	97%
70–207	Keiser Career College – New Port Richey	26	25	96%	72	68	94%
70–190	Keiser Career College – St. Petersburg	37	37	100%	63	61	97%
70–134	Keiser Career College – West Palm Beach	39	24	62%	37	32	86%
70–178	Lake County Technical Center	56	54	96%	93	86	92%
70–181	Lee County High Technical Center Central	51	44	86%	74	68	92%
70–142	Lee County High Technical Center North	28	26	93%	35	34	97%
70–130	Lincoln Technical Institute	37	35	95%	44	38	86%
70–199	Lively Technical Center	64	58	91%	43	35	81%
70–170	Lorenzo Walker Institute of Technology <sup>3</sup>	49	40	82%	35	27	77%
70–183	Manatee Technical Institute	76	67	88%	95	81	85%
70–111	MedVance Institute – Palm Springs	20	16	80%	25	19	76%
70–109	MedVance Institute – Stuart	37	31	84%	44	34	77%
70–160	Mercy Hospital School of Practical Nursing	59	50	85%	74	66	89%
70–140	Miami Dade College	33	33	100%	80	68	85%
70–189	North Florida Community College	17	15	88%	18	18	100%
70–187	Orlando Tech	62	56	90%	64	57	89%
70–180	Palm Beach County Schools	3	1	33%	2	1	50%
70–150	Palm Beach State College	19	18	95%	51	50	98%
70–164	Pasco-Hernando Community College	80	76	95%	94	89	95%
70–157	Pensacola State College	29	26	90%	36	33	92%
70–194	Pinellas Technical Education Center – Clearwater	60	52	87%	73	59	81%
70–151	Pinellas Technical Education Center – St. Petersburg	99	67	68%	126	116	92%
70–119	Rasmussen College	15	15	100%	29	27	93%
70–108	Ridge Career Center	29	29	100%	41	39	95%
70–290	Rose Training Institute	17	7	41%	9	4	44%

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70–249	SABER, Inc.	62	48	77%	46	34	74%
70–196	Santa Fe College	11	11	100%	23	23	100%
70–193	Sarasota County Technical Institute	60	54	90%	76	73	96%
70–175	Seminole State College	40	38	95%	43	41	95%
70–112	Sigma Institute of Health Careers	116	41	35%	34	16	47%
70–168	South Florida Community College	21	21	100%	23	23	100%
70–122	South Florida Community College – Hardee Campus <sup>4</sup>	9	5	56%	10	10	100%
70–159	South Technical Academy	5	2	40%	1	1	100%
70–173	Suwannee-Hamilton Technical Center	14	13	93%	18	18	100%
70–128	Tampa Bay Technical High School	9	2	22%	3	2	67%
70–114	Taylor College	29	27	93%	45	42	93%
70–136	Technical Education Center Osceola	50	47	94%	36	35	97%
70–191	Tom P. Haney Technical Center	42	37	88%	35	32	91%
70–195	Traviss Career Center	77	72	94%	91	79	87%
70–215	Virginia College at Pensacola	27	22	81%	37	31	84%
70–120	Walton Career Development Center	21	18	86%	24	24	100%
70–171	Washington-Holmes Technical Center	38	35	92%	51	44	86%
70–167	Withlacoochee Technical Institute	22	22	100%	15	15	100%
<b>Total Statewide</b>		<b>3,825</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>4,086</b>	<b>3,573</b>	<b>87%</b>

<sup>1</sup> This program is an LPN bridge program.

<sup>2</sup> The program did not respond to the 2010 OPPAGA Nursing Education Survey.

<sup>3</sup> The program did not respond to the 2010 OPPAGA Nursing Education Survey.

<sup>4</sup> Program is closed.

Source: Florida Board of Nursing.

# Associate Degree in Nursing Program Statistics

## Associate Degree in Nursing Generic Program Capacity

Exhibit 10 shows Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) generic program capacity by institution for the 2009-10 school year. The capacity of ADN generic programs has increased under the new law, with new seats, applications received, qualified applicants, students approved for admission, and admitted student who enrolled all increasing from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 10

#### ADN Generic Program Capacity Increased in 2009-10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Brevard Community College – Cocoa Campus	60	60	144	194	76	118	60	60	59	58
Brevard Community College – Palm Bay Campus	60	60	149	243	68	83	60	60	60	56
Broward College	603	635	603	2195	603	1340	603	821	603	635
Cambridge Medical Institute – Jacksonville	0	216	0	21	0	21	0	21	0	18
Chipola College	80	80	150	193	130	126	80	79	80	90
City College	64	86	400	300	140	151	66	111	66	111
College of Central Florida – Lecanto Campus	12	0	12	0	12	0	12	0	12	0
College of Central Florida – Ocala Campus	126	108	152	158	125	122	125	116	124	114
Concorde Career Institute – Jacksonville Campus	45	50	251	297	80	167	45	42	45	50
Concorde Career Institute – Miramar	25	50	20	221	0	85	0	59	0	58
Concorde Career Institute – Tampa	0	25	0	78	0	38	0	27	0	27
Dade Medical College – Hialeah	0	100	0	1599	0	1119	0	90	0	51
Dade Medical College – Homestead	0	100	0	830	0	581	0	50	0	25
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	100	0	775	0	542	0	124	0	99
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	100	0	329	0	230	0	58	0	36
Daytona State College	300	214	473	635	473	454	240	220	240	220

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Edison State College	240	328	385	826	370	820	240	328	238	326
Everest University	33	90	214	165	59	48	33	46	33	58
Florida Gateway College	60	60	132	119	132	86	61	72	61	71
Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences	255	255	1040	2534	321	268	215	231	207	229
Florida Keys Community College	70	72	74	178	65	87	65	87	63	87
Florida State College at Jacksonville	408	426	962	1436	905	1410	408	426	408	426
Fortis Institute – Pensacola	0	24	0	27	0	24	0	24	0	24
Gulf Coast Community College	100	100	136	202	136	202	100	110	94	99
Herzing College	48	90	401	150	221	80	141	80	111	80
Hillsborough Community College	260	336	800	825	720	745	295	318	263	333
Indian River State College	140	171	465	481	331	300	140	171	140	171
ITT Technical Institute	0	90	0	150	0	105	0	84	0	84
Keiser University – Ft. Lauderdale	48	48	120	418	52	60	48	48	48	48
Keiser University – Jacksonville	48	48	138	155	65	48	48	48	48	38
Keiser University – Kendall	48	48	125	199	58	56	48	48	48	42
Keiser University – Lakeland	48	72	138	167	65	110	48	86	48	81
Keiser University – Melbourne	72	72	159	202	84	154	72	93	70	72
Keiser University – Orlando	48	48	376	232	62	40	62	40	45	35
Keiser University – Sarasota	48	48	800	312	180	85	60	63	48	60
Keiser University – Tallahassee	48	48	80	321	49	35	48	34	40	31
Keiser University – Tampa	24	48	12	205	0	57	0	36	0	36
Keiser University – West Palm Beach	48	72	98	225	80	67	48	74	47	69



Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Lake-Sumter Community College	72	60	156	134	137	115	73	72	72	72
Miami Dade College	370	600	3211	4593	2316	3323	485	584	485	584
North Florida Community College	26	24	32	81	26	61	26	40	26	36
Northwest Florida State College	54	54	296	340	227	277	54	55	54	55
Palm Beach State College – Belle Glade	19	24	23	23	19	21	19	21	19	20
Palm Beach State College – Lake Worth	198	240	433	352	373	305	189	221	189	212
Pasco-Hernando Community College	96	108	351	376	351	376	96	108	90	107
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	240	260	1600	2201	360	360	240	258	238	253
Polk State College	170	150	507	353	483	327	170	129	170	129
Rasmussen College – Ocala Campus	48	96	55	93	55	93	55	93	49	93
Sanford Brown Institute	48	48	106	74	54	74	48	50	48	49
Santa Fe College	144	140	378	450	378	450	144	140	144	140
Seminole State College	180	180	587	683	565	657	194	180	180	180
South Florida Community College	24	24	67	77	49	59	24	24	24	24
St. Johns River State College	108	108	331	400	331	400	112	108	108	106
St. Petersburg College	314	324	971	937	525	659	292	324	292	316
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	264	180	188	297	188	284	154	174	154	174
Tallahassee Community College	100	80	448	462	352	186	100	80	100	80
Valencia Community College	310	310	364	310	310	310	310	310	310	352
Virginia College	0	48	0	147	0	32	0	9	0	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,254</b>	<b>7,636</b>	<b>19,113</b>	<b>29,980</b>	<b>12,761</b>	<b>18,433</b>	<b>6,256</b>	<b>7,465</b>	<b>6,101</b>	<b>7,139</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing Generic Program Enrollments and Graduates

Exhibit 11 shows Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) generic program enrollments and graduates by institution for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. Overall, enrollment slightly increased while the number of graduates slightly decreased.

### Exhibit 11

#### ADN Generic Program Enrollments Increased in 2009-10; Graduates Declined

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Brevard Community College-Cocoa Campus	106	110	59	52
Brevard Community College-Palm Bay Campus	109	112	45	41
Broward College	636	763	267	237
Cambridge Medical Institute – Jacksonville	0	18	0	0
Chipola College	86	79	49	60
City College	111	111	18	22
College of Central Florida-Lecanto Campus	22	0	0	10
College of Central Florida-Ocala Campus	232	243	66	95
Concorde Career Institute-Jacksonville Campus	46	63	0	24
Concorde Career Institute-Miramar	0	58	0	0
Concorde Career Institute – Tampa	0	27	0	0
Dade Medical College – Hialeah	0	49	0	0
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	35	0	0
Dade Medical College – Homestead	0	25	0	0
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	84	0	0
Daytona State College	377	382	189	170
Edison State College	645	548	254	344
Everest University	56	67	15	0
Florida Gateway College	94	111	38	39
Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences	211	229	155	123
Florida Keys Community College	96	116	22	24
Florida State College at Jacksonville	408	426	397	380
Fortis Institute – Pensacola	0	24	0	0
Gulf Coast Community College	193	202	66	52
Herzing College	60	90	35	30
Hillsborough Community College	648	724	237	252
Indian River State College	340	323	134	116
ITT Technical Institute	0	105	0	0
Keiser University – Ft. Lauderdale	48	36	43	27
Keiser University – Jacksonville	72	62	41	38
Keiser University – Kendall	72	100	46	52
Keiser University – Lakeland	72	151	55	59

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Keiser University – Melbourne	80	72	62	76
Keiser University – Orlando	45	80	0	36
Keiser University – Sarasota	91	108	37	36
Keiser University – Tallahassee	47	46	27	18
Keiser University – Tampa	0	31	0	0
Keiser University – West Palm Beach	74	69	37	29
Lake-Sumter Community College	156	146	74	67
Miami Dade College	615	584	689	460
North Florida Community College	46	36	15	18
Northwest Florida State College	172	200	32	30
Palm Beach State College-Belle Glade Campus	30	33	6	0
Palm Beach State College-Lake Worth	436	398	175	190
Pasco-Hernando Community College	245	251	94	92
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	243	258	163	136
Polk State College	338	306	162	119
Rasmussen College – Ocala Campus	63	139	14	18
Sanford Brown Institute	46	72	0	22
Santa Fe College	279	285	112	127
Seminole State College	380	385	117	161
South Florida Community College	33	24	22	24
St. Johns River State College	108	106	77	104
St. Petersburg College	642	684	250	247
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	171	174	106	124
Tallahassee Community College	229	204	55	59
Valencia Community College	516	503	217	245
Virginia College	0	9	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,825</b>	<b>10,676</b>	<b>4,774</b>	<b>4,685</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing Generic Program Retention

Exhibit 12 shows the number of Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) generic students retained by institution. The percentage of students retained in 2009-10 was similar to the number retained in 2008-09 (82% and 81%).

### Exhibit 12

#### ADN Generic Student Retention Was Similar in 2009 and 2010

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Brevard Community College-Cocoa Campus	49	54	91%	53	59	90%
Brevard Community College-Palm Bay Campus	45	56	80%	54	58	93%
Broward College	99	234	42%	164	298	55%
Chipola College	20	28	71%	26	41	63%
City College	5	12	42%	12	20	60%
College of Central Florida-Lecanto Campus	10	12	83%	0	0	N/A
College of Central Florida-Ocala Campus	32	46	70%	36	46	78%
Concorde Career Institute	17	21	81%	20	24	83%
Edison State College	320	320	100%	318	324	98%
Everest University	25	33	76%	23	32	72%
Florida Gateway College	49	61	80%	49	60	82%
Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences	56	65	86%	62	73	85%
Florida Keys Community College	24	40	60%	33	43	77%
Florida State College at Jacksonville	165	168	98%	177	186	95%
Gulf Coast Community College	34	41	83%	30	55	55%
Hillsborough Community College	126	137	92%	114	131	87%
Indian River State College	57	70	81%	65	70	93%
Keiser University – Ft. Lauderdale	20	24	83%	16	24	67%
Keiser University – Jacksonville	23	24	96%	23	24	96%
Keiser University – Kendall	21	24	88%	19	24	79%
Keiser University – Lakeland	46	24	192%	18	24	75%
Keiser University – Melbourne	18	24	75%	20	23	87%
Keiser University – Orlando	0	0	N/A	22	24	92%
Keiser University – Sarasota	21	24	88%	23	26	88%
Keiser University – Tallahassee	7	17	41%	17	17	100%
Lake-Sumter Community College	63	70	90%	58	72	81%
Miami Dade College	219	295	74%	226	284	80%
North Florida Community College	16	26	62%	22	28	79%
Northwest Florida State College	36	53	68%	42	55	76%
Palm Beach State College-Belle Glade Campus	11	13	85%	14	18	78%

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Palm Beach State College-Lake Worth	123	129	95%	82	110	75%
Pasco-Hernando Community College	44	48	92%	56	59	95%
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	51	106	48%	65	102	64%
Polk State College	85	90	94%	54	63	86%
Rasmussen College – Ocala Campus	16	24	67%	16	21	76%
Sanford Brown Institute	0	0	N/A	22	24	92%
Santa Fe College	123	142	87%	119	140	85%
Seminole State College	98	105	93%	93	96	97%
South Florida Community College	33	36	92%	33	36	92%
St. Johns River State College	27	36	75%	29	36	81%
St. Petersburg College	143	164	87%	150	164	91%
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	28	64	44%	54	79	68%
Tallahassee Community College	37	50	74%	32	40	80%
Valencia Community College	93	115	81%	109	132	83%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,535</b>	<b>3,125</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>2,670</b>	<b>3,265</b>	<b>82%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing Bridge Program Capacity

Exhibit 13 shows Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) bridge program capacity by institution for the 2009-10 school year. The capacity of ADN Bridge programs has increased under the new law, with new seats, applications received, qualified applicants, students approved for admission, and admitted students who enrolled all increasing from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 13

#### ADN Bridge Program Capacity Increased in 2009-10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Brevard Community College-Cocoa Campus	36	24	48	62	27	32	27	24	27	23
Broward College	154	141	154	252	154	160	154	180	154	141
Cambridge Medical Institute – Jacksonville	0	216	0	19	0	19	0	19	0	17
Center for Allied Health and Nursing Education	0	90	0	125	0	110	0	95	0	90
Chipola College	12	16	8	34	6	16	6	16	6	16
College of Central Florida – Ocala Campus	24	24	26	17	20	12	20	12	19	12
Concorde Career Institute – Jacksonville	15	10	60	22	25	14	15	14	15	14
Concorde Career Institute – Miramar	5	10	3	12	0	8	0	2	0	2
Concorde Career Institute – Tampa	0	5	0	3	0	2	0	2	0	2
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	100	0	512	0	358	0	114	0	98
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	100	0	320	0	224	0	28	0	23
Daytona State College	60	40	88	76	88	59	24	40	24	40
Edison State College	60	84	62	80	60	72	60	72	60	70
Florida Gateway College	30	30	46	47	46	28	28	28	28	27
Florida State College at Jacksonville	24	24	30	75	30	75	24	24	24	24
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	192	216	564	389	345	319	252	188	200	179
Gulf Coast Community College	15	12	15	10	15	10	15	10	15	10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Herzing College	0	24	0	30	0	10	0	10	0	10
Hillsborough Community College	36	36	80	90	72	86	34	36	33	34
Indian River State College	30	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	20	0
Keiser Career College – Miami Lakes	0	24	0	138	0	41	0	21	0	21
Lake-Sumter Community College	24	24	22	24	19	19	19	19	19	19
Mercy Hospital College of Nursing – Miami	48	48	197	150	197	112	24	47	24	45
Miami Dade College	180	160	753	679	326	474	221	160	213	152
North Florida Community College	0	2	6	5	3	2	3	2	0	2
Northwest Florida State College	24	24	51	49	28	30	24	24	23	24
Palm Beach State College	25	48	89	48	89	48	42	48	42	48
Pasco-Hernando Community College	72	73	83	90	83	90	72	73	72	73
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	30	30	50	239	35	25	30	25	30	25
Polk State College	40	60	65	121	54	116	40	57	40	57
Santa Fe College	24	20	33	45	33	45	24	20	24	19
Seminole State College	37	40	84	52	66	46	37	40	37	39
South Florida Community College	12	12	20	40	14	25	12	12	12	12
St. Johns River State College	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Petersburg College	108	108	153	132	92	108	92	108	92	106
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	24	40	37	40	34	37	34	37	34	37
Taylor College	0	24	0	27	0	27	0	24	0	24
Valencia Community College	60	60	95	112	60	80	60	60	60	59
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,401</b>	<b>2,013</b>	<b>2,942</b>	<b>4,166</b>	<b>2,041</b>	<b>2,939</b>	<b>1,413</b>	<b>1,691</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,594</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing Bridge Program Enrollments and Graduates

Exhibit 14 shows Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) bridge program enrollments and graduates by institution for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. Both enrollment and the number of graduates increased from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 14

#### ADN Bridge Program Enrollments and Graduates Increased in 2009-10

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Brevard Community College-Cocoa Campus	48	50	21	27
Broward College	87	156	84	49
Cambridge Medical Institute – Jacksonville	0	17	0	0
Center for Allied Health and Nursing Education	0	90	0	0
Chipola College	12	16	0	0
College of Central Florida-Lecanto Campus	0	0	0	2
College of Central Florida-Ocala Campus	29	28	10	15
Concorde Career Institute-Jacksonville Campus	14	12	0	12
Concorde Career Institute-Miramar	0	2	0	0
Concorde Career Institute –Tampa	0	2	0	0
Dade Medical College – Hollywood	0	98	0	0
Dade Medical College – Miami	0	23	0	0
Daytona State College	22	59	25	24
Edison State College	68	70	54	46
Florida Gateway College	48	33	26	26
Florida State College at Jacksonville	24	24	21	22
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	223	179	113	90
Gulf Coast Community College	0	10	14	10
Herzing College	0	10	0	0
Hillsborough Community College	59	59	19	25
Indian River State College	0	0	17	0
Keiser Career College – Miami Lakes	0	21	0	0
Lake-Sumter Community College	0	19	2	16
Mercy Hospital College of Nursing – Miami	23	47	0	19
Miami Dade College	197	152	123	126
North Florida Community College	50	4	3	2
Northwest Florida State College	54	56	11	13
Palm Beach State College-Belle Glade Campus	30	33	5	0
Palm Beach State College-Lake Worth	436	398	5	190
Pasco-Hernando Community College	72	73	72	71
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	29	25	22	16
Polk State College	41	59	20	27
Santa Fe College	24	19	17	16



Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Seminole State College	40	39	30	30
South Florida Community College	11	12	12	12
St. Johns River State College	6	0	0	6
St. Petersburg College	194	197	75	75
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	34	37	31	11
Taylor College	0	24	0	0
Valencia Community College	60	59	41	38
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,935</b>	<b>2,212</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>1,016</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing Bridge Program Retention

Exhibit 15 shows the number of Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) bridge students retained by institution. The percentage of students retained in 2009-10 declined slightly from 2008-09 (83% to 81%).

### Exhibit 15

#### ADN Bridge Student Retention Declined Slightly in 2009 and 2010

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Brevard Community College-Cocoa Campus	22	22	100%	27	27	100%
Broward College	52	78	67%	112	154	73%
College of Central Florida-Ocala Campus	10	12	83%	17	19	89%
Concorde Career Institute-Jacksonville	9	9	100%	5	6	83%
Florida Gateway College	26	26	100%	25	28	89%
Florida State College at Jacksonville	23	24	96%	23	24	96%
Galen Health Institute of Tampa Bay	41	48	85%	31	53	58%
Gulf Coast Community College	10	10	100%	0	0	N/A
Hillsborough Community College	19	34	56%	27	35	77%
Indian River State College	17	20	85%	0	0	N/A
Lake-Sumter Community College	0	0	N/A	16	19	84%
Mercy Hospital College of Nursing – Miami	0	0	N/A	20	24	83%
Miami Dade College	78	88	89%	67	67	100%
North Florida Community College	4	4	100%	2	2	100%
Northwest Florida State College	15	23	65%	12	24	50%
Palm Beach State College-Belle Glade Campus	0	0	N/A	1	4	25%
Palm Beach State College-Lake Worth	10	13	77%	12	15	80%
Pasco-Hernando Community College	69	72	96%	72	73	99%
Pensacola State College – Warrington Campus	23	26	88%	18	29	62%
Polk State College	27	40	68%	46	59	78%
Santa Fe College	19	24	79%	16	19	84%
Seminole State College	32	37	86%	34	40	85%
South Florida Community College	11	12	92%	12	12	100%
St. Johns River State College	6	14	43%	0	0	N/A
St. Petersburg College	28	33	85%	28	33	85%

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	14	18	78%	13	14	93%
Valencia Community College	50	57	88%	46	59	78%
<b>Total</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>81%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Associate Degree in Nursing (Generic and Bridge) Exam Scores

Exhibit 16 shows the percentage of Associate Degree in Nursing exam takers who passed the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination (NCLEX) in 2009 and 2010. This includes both Associate Degree in Nursing-Generic program students as well as Associate Degree in Nursing-Bridge program students.

### Exhibit 16

#### Average Exam Scores for ADN Students

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70–470	Brevard Community College – Cocoa Campus	81	74	91%	79	71	90%
70–438	Brevard Community College – Palm Bay Campus	43	35	81%	39	36	92%
70–475	Broward College	333	299	90%	295	267	91%
70–401	Chipola College	41	37	90%	67	59	88%
70–437	City College	17	16	94%	21	18	86%
70–482	College of Central Florida-Ocala Campus	76	69	91%	82	81	99%
70–451	College of Central Florida-Lecanto Campus	0	0	N/A	11	10	91%
70–433	Concorde Career Institute-Jacksonville	0	0	N/A	36	30	83%
70–408	Dade Medical College-Miami	1	0	0%	4	2	50%
70–483	Daytona State College	214	184	86%	195	175	90%
70–472	Edison State College	223	195	87%	267	244	91%
70–430	Everest University – Brandon	18	13	72%	24	21	88%
70–478	Florida Gateway College	65	60	92%	60	55	92%
70–410	Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences	153	125	82%	115	100	87%
70–474	Florida Keys Community College	25	20	80%	26	26	100%
70–473	Florida State College at Jacksonville	377	320	85%	378	304	80%
70–447	Fortis Institute-Pensacola	0	0	N/A	15	10	67%
70–411	Galen Health Institute	128	118	92%	81	74	91%
70–481	Gulf Coast Community College	65	60	92%	63	53	84%
70–444	Herzing College	24	20	83%	39	34	87%
70–469	Hillsborough Community College	234	201	86%	263	227	86%
70–477	Indian River State College	127	115	91%	132	125	95%
70–441	Kaplan University <sup>1</sup>	0	0	N/A	22	7	32%
70–423	Keiser University – Ft. Lauderdale	44	34	77%	30	26	87%
70–490	Keiser University – Jacksonville	41	25	61%	38	31	82%
70–407	Keiser University – Kendall	43	37	86%	48	45	94%
70–403	Keiser University – Lakeland	39	26	67%	39	23	59%
70–415	Keiser University – Melbourne	57	48	84%	76	59	78%
70–455	Keiser University – Orlando	0	0	N/A	36	34	94%
70–420	Keiser University – Sarasota	36	29	81%	37	34	92%
70–426	Keiser University – Tallahassee	16	12	75%	18	17	94%

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70–406	Keiser University – West Palm Beach	37	23	62%	31	25	81%
70–405	Lake-Sumter Community College	76	72	95%	82	70	85%
70–409	Mercy Hospital College of Nursing-Miami	0	0	N/A	17	13	76%
70–484	Miami Dade College	559	487	87%	597	511	86%
70–416	North Florida Community College	18	12	67%	18	16	89%
70–450	Northwest Florida State College	44	44	100%	43	42	98%
70–492	Palm Beach State College – Belle Glade	12	10	83%	16	13	81%
70–486	Palm Beach State College-Lake Worth	178	154	87%	171	153	89%
70–464	Pasco Hernando Community College	150	122	81%	159	139	87%
70–487	Pensacola State College-Warrington Campus	192	168	88%	137	123	90%
70–476	Polk State College	182	170	93%	151	145	96%
70–495	Rasmussen College-Ocala Campus	14	12	86%	19	14	74%
70–428	Sanford Brown Institute	0	0	N/A	9	6	67%
70–471	Santa Fe College	127	118	93%	144	129	90%
70–462	Seminole State College	151	141	93%	183	166	91%
70–400	South Florida Community College	34	31	91%	33	31	94%
70–425	St. Johns River State College	79	70	89%	103	92	89%
70–489	St. Petersburg College	323	267	83%	331	284	86%
70–480	State College of Florida – Manatee-Sarasota	134	118	88%	125	121	97%
70–468	Tallahassee Community College	51	39	76%	61	59	97%
70–467	Valencia Community College	261	243	93%	284	268	94%
<b>Total Statewide</b>		<b>5,143</b>	<b>4,473</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>5,350</b>	<b>4,718</b>	<b>88%</b>

<sup>1</sup> The program did not respond to the 2010 OPPAGA Nursing Education Survey.

Source: Florida Board of Nursing.

# Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program Statistics

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Generic Program Capacity

Exhibit 17 shows Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) generic program capacity by institution for the 2009-10 school year. While the capacity of BSN generic programs has increased under the new law, with new seats, applications received, qualified applicants, and admitted students who enrolled all increasing from 2008-09 to 2009-10, the number of qualified applicants approved for admission decreased 10% during this periods.

### Exhibit 17

#### BSN Generic Program Capacity Increased in 2009-10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Barry University	120	150	1,142	715	492	365	375	150	120	150
Bethune-Cookman University	120	120	175	154	102	72	102	57	101	57
Chamberlain College	40	0	37	314	35	184	35	184	20	136
Florida A&M University	100	100	156	225	115	139	99	100	94	100
Florida Atlantic University	34	36	291	680	192	230	34	36	34	32
Florida Gulf Coast University	99	99	109	136	89	113	89	88	65	79
Florida International University	100	50	150	184	125	122	100	52	95	52
Florida Southern College	23	24	30	32	30	31	23	31	23	28
Florida State University	100	100	314	314	214	214	116	116	100	98
Jacksonville University	60	60	224	289	195	219	76	95	62	64
Nova Southeastern University	140	280	872	1,120	547	826	247	304	145	295
Palm Beach Atlantic University	40	60	55	125	43	63	43	63	41	57
Pensacola Christian College	120	120	264	264	159	142	125	125	125	125
South University – Tampa	84	84	175	170	170	150	86	86	86	84
South University – West Palm Beach	64	73	109	149	109	144	64	73	64	73
University of Central Florida	200	120	756	578	430	323	230	137	196	137

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
University of Florida	125	125	586	586	303	303	129	129	125	125
University of Miami	80	60	550	357	148	80	148	80	56	58
University of North Florida	96	96	824	750	786	550	120	121	96	96
University of South Florida	110	132	598	795	345	382	110	148	110	124
University of Tampa	40	44	100	77	45	64	45	44	45	44
University of West Florida	40	40	126	130	77	107	40	40	40	38
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,935</b>	<b>1,973</b>	<b>7,643</b>	<b>8,144</b>	<b>4,751</b>	<b>4,823</b>	<b>2,436</b>	<b>2,259</b>	<b>1,843</b>	<b>2,052</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Generic Program Enrollments and Graduates

Exhibit 18 shows Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) generic program enrollments and graduates by institution for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. Both enrollment and the number of graduates increased from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 18

#### BSN Generic Program Enrollments and Graduates Increased in 2009-10

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Barry University	374	396	96	178
Bethune-Cookman University	219	238	28	89
Chamberlain College	21	157	0	0
Florida A&M University	94	100	74	70
Florida Atlantic University	74	62	66	34
Florida Gulf Coast University	158	135	63	71
Florida International University	313	282	92	118
Florida Southern College	51	51	0	21
Florida State University	218	255	125	167
Jacksonville University	156	148	49	37
Nova Southeastern University	249	495	90	83
Palm Beach Atlantic University	61	57	40	21
Pensacola Christian College	319	328	89	97
South University – Tampa	162	165	69	75
South University – West Palm Beach	152	156	55	60
University of Central Florida	361	381	215	163
University of Florida	256	254	131	129
University of Miami	194	58	71	56
University of North Florida	194	220	87	98
University of South Florida	308	283	93	124
University of Tampa	75	81	57	35
University of West Florida	72	40	33	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,081</b>	<b>4,342</b>	<b>1,623</b>	<b>1,757</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.



## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Generic Program Retention

Exhibit 19 shows the number of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) generic students retained by institution. The percentage of students retained in 2009-10 was the same as in the prior year.

### Exhibit 19

#### BSN Generic Student Retention the Same in 2009 and 2010

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Barry University	106	120	88%	131	150	87%
Bethune-Cookman University	56	57	98%	25	31	81%
Florida A&M University	41	50	82%	47	50	94%
Florida Atlantic University	31	36	86%	32	34	94%
Florida Gulf Coast University	59	67	88%	55	60	92%
Florida International University	48	58	83%	47	52	90%
Florida Southern College	23	24	96%	28	28	100%
Florida State University	83	88	94%	99	101	98%
Jacksonville University	50	63	79%	53	63	84%
Nova Southeastern University	93	102	91%	176	193	91%
Palm Beach Atlantic University	25	28	89%	36	40	90%
Pensacola Christian College	109	119	92%	101	124	81%
South University – Tampa	41	42	98%	41	41	100%
South University – West Palm Beach	27	32	84%	32	35	91%
University of Central Florida	117	127	92%	123	137	90%
University of Florida	134	135	99%	125	125	100%
University of Miami	55	66	83%	43	53	81%
University of North Florida	47	48	98%	47	48	98%
University of South Florida	39	41	95%	71	72	99%
University of Tampa	32	34	94%	38	42	90%
University of West Florida	33	40	83%	31	40	78%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,249</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>1,381</b>	<b>1,519</b>	<b>91%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Second Degree Program Capacity

Exhibit 20 shows Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) second degree program capacity by institution for the 2009-10 school year. The capacity of BSN Bridge programs has increased under the new law, with new seats, applications received, qualified applicants, students approved for admission, and admitted students who enrolled all increasing from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 20

#### BSN Second Degree Program Capacity Increased in 2009-10

Institution	New Seats		Applications Received		Qualified Applicants		Students Approved for Admission		Students Approved for Admission Who Enrolled	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Barry University	50	50	502	285	175	121	150	69	44	69
Florida Atlantic University	42	48	262	420	121	168	42	48	42	45
Florida International University	96	96	100	218	85	75	85	75	83	75
Florida Southern College	1	24	1	43	1	22	1	22	1	17
Indiana State University	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Jacksonville University	41	41	131	193	119	128	67	53	39	40
Remington College of Nursing	70	90	86	166	61	102	60	102	50	74
University of Central Florida	60	60	171	219	153	167	83	74	63	62
University of Florida	55	55	230	230	80	80	67	67	55	55
University of Miami	80	140	293	548	160	226	160	226	88	143
University of North Florida	24	24	176	200	150	120	34	36	24	24
University of South Florida	48	72	331	818	132	256	48	92	48	74
<b>Total</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>2,286</b>	<b>3,343</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,468</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>681</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Second Degree Program Enrollments and Graduates

Exhibit 21 shows Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) second degree program enrollments and graduates by institution for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. Both enrollment and the number of graduates slightly increased from 2008-09 to 2009-10.

### Exhibit 21

#### BSN Second Degree Program Enrollments and Graduates Increased in 2009-10

Institution	Enrollment		Graduates	
	2008-09	2009-10	2008-09	2009-10
Barry University	374	453	24	21
Florida Atlantic University	45	45	27	35
Florida International University	170	136	75	61
Florida State University	0	17	0	0
Indiana State University	0	3	1	0
Jacksonville University	62	73	21	21
Remington College of Nursing	19	74	0	23
University of Central Florida	120	122	51	56
University of Florida	58	55	57	51
University of Miami	153	143	67	97
University of North Florida	24	24	20	24
University of South Florida	117	83	65	43
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,142</b>	<b>1,228</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>432</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing Second Degree Program Retention

Exhibit 22 shows the number of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) second degree students retained by institution. The percentage of students retained in 2009-10 declined slightly from 2008-09 (95% to 91%).

### Exhibit 22

#### BSN Second Degree Student Retention Declined Slightly from 2008-09 to 2009-10

Institution	Students Entering in 2008 (Status as of 2009)			Students Entering in 2009 (Status as of 2010)		
	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained	Students Retained (Includes graduates and students enrolled)	Total New Students Enrolled	Percentage Retained
Barry University	32	36	89%	43	44	98%
Florida Atlantic University	30	31	97%	35	42	83%
Florida International University	41	45	91%	35	38	92%
Florida Southern College	1	1	100%	0	0	N/A
Indiana State University	1	1	100%	6	3	200%
Jacksonville University	23	24	96%	29	38	76%
Remington College of Nursing	0	0	N/A	23	31	74%
University of Central Florida	58	60	97%	55	62	89%
University of Florida	59	59	100%	52	55	95%
University of Miami	56	60	93%	71	76	93%
University of North Florida	20	22	91%	24	24	100%
University of South Florida	33	33	100%	35	35	100%
<b>Total</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>95%</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>91%</b>

Source: OPPAGA survey of nursing education programs.

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Generic and Second Degree) Exam Scores

Exhibit 23 shows the percentage of exam takers who passed the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination (NCLEX) for Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program graduates in 2009 and 2010. This includes both Bachelor of Science in Nursing-Generic program students and Bachelor of Science in Nursing-Second degree students. The percentage of exam takers who passed declined slightly from 92% to 89%.

### Exhibit 23

#### Average Exam Scores for BSN Students

NCLEX Code	School	2009 Calendar Year			2010 Calendar Year		
		Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed	Exam Takers	Number of Exam Takers Who Passed	Percentage of Exam Takers Who Passed
70-592	Barry University	114	98	86%	149	114	77%
70-569	Bethune-Cookman University	29	21	72%	76	48	63%
70-598	Florida A&M University	70	63	90%	72	61	85%
70-566	Florida Atlantic University	71	68	96%	98	83	85%
70-503	Florida Gulf Coast University	63	56	89%	60	49	82%
70-589	Florida International University	165	155	94%	192	173	90%
70-520	Florida Southern College	0	0	N/A	20	13	65%
70-590	Florida State University	131	122	93%	154	142	92%
70-560	Jacksonville University	70	59	84%	66	61	92%
70-578	Nova Southeastern University	91	83	91%	135	125	93%
70-530	Palm Beach Atlantic University	39	37	95%	21	21	100%
70-568	Pensacola Christian College	89	81	91%	96	85	89%
70-515	Remington College of Nursing	0	0	N/A	34	33	97%
70-504	South University – Tampa	69	49	71%	75	62	83%
70-570	South University – West Palm Beach	57	48	84%	59	51	86%
70-567	University of Central Florida	220	216	98%	209	198	95%
70-585	University of Florida	194	190	98%	182	177	97%
70-591	University of Miami	137	129	94%	158	147	93%
70-594	University of North Florida	108	97	90%	119	100	84%
70-565	University of South Florida	151	145	96%	169	162	96%
70-510	University of Tampa	56	56	100%	35	35	100%
70-505	University of West Florida	33	31	94%	32	30	94%
<b>Total Statewide</b>		<b>1,957</b>	<b>1,804</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>2,211</b>	<b>1,970</b>	<b>89%</b>

Source: Florida Board of Nursing.