

E. Student Outcomes

1. Graduation rates by race/ethnicity and income

- a. **Four-, five- and six-year graduation rate** (senior public institutions)
Not applicable
- b. **Two- and three-year graduation rate** (community colleges)

Two- and Three-Year Graduation Rate Fall 2005 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity

	Fall 2005 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
	N	N	%	N	%
White	1,014	34	3.4%	132	13.0%
Black	143	2	1.4%	12	8.4%
Hispanic	610	5	0.8%	34	5.6%
Asian	197	4	2.0%	19	9.6%
Alien	102	4	3.9%	12	11.8%
Other *	99	6	6.1%	11	11.1%
Total	2,165	55	2.5%	220	10.2%

* Other includes American Indian and Race Unknown

Note: Does not include transfers to some out of state and NJ private institutions.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.1.c

Two- and Three-Year Graduation Rate Fall 2005 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Income

	Fall 2005 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
		N	%	N	%
Low Income *	537	10	1.9%	55	10.2%
Non-Low Income	719	27	3.8%	94	13.1%
Unknown	909	18	2.0%	71	7.8%
Total	2,165	55	2.5%	220	10.2%

* Low Income is defined as student with a NJ Eligibility Index between 1 and 24,999.

Note: Does not include transfers to some out of state and NJ private institutions.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.1.d



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c. Two- and three-year combined graduation and transfer rate (community colleges)

**Two- and Three-Year Combined Graduation and Transfer Rate
Fall 2005 First-time Full-time Freshmen
by Race/Ethnicity**

	Fall 2005 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
	N	N	%	N	%
White	1,014	76	7.5%	292	28.8%
Black	143	14	9.8%	51	35.7%
Hispanic	610	27	4.4%	130	21.3%
Asian	197	18	9.1%	62	31.5%
Alien	102	6	5.9%	17	16.7%
Other *	99	6	6.1%	25	25.3%
Total	2,165	147	6.8%	577	26.7%

* Other includes American Indian and Race Unknown

Note: Does not include transfers to some out of state and NJ private institutions.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.1.c

**Two- and Three-Year Combined Graduation and Transfer Rate
Fall 2005 First-time Full-time Freshmen
by Income**

	Fall 2005 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
		N	%	N	%
Low Income *	537	37	6.9%	146	27.2%
Non-Low Income	719	65	9.0%	235	32.7%
Unknown	909	45	5.0%	196	21.6%
Total	2,165	147	6.8%	577	26.7%

* Low Income is defined as student with a NJ Eligibility Index between 1 and 2,499.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.1.d

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2. Third-semester retention rates

a. By race/ethnicity

**Third Semester Retention of Full-time First-time Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity
Fall 2007 to Fall 2008**

	Retained		Not Retained		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
White	668	66.3%	339	33.7%	1,007	100.0%
Black	82	44.1%	104	55.9%	186	100.0%
Hispanic	467	61.9%	287	38.1%	754	100.0%
Asian	131	72.8%	49	27.2%	180	100.0%
American Ind.	1	14.3%	6	85.7%	7	100.0%
Alien	109	74.1%	38	25.9%	147	100.0%
Race Unknown	113	68.5%	52	31.5%	165	100.0%
Total	1,571	64.2%	875	35.8%	2,446	100.0%

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.2.a

b. For low-income students

**Third Semester Retention of First-time Full-time Freshmen by Income
Fall 2007 to Fall 2008**

	Retained		Not Retained		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Low Income *	353	62.0%	216	38.0%	569	100.0%
Non-Low Income	605	66.7%	302	33.3%	907	100.0%
Unknown	613	63.2%	357	36.8%	970	100.0%
Total	1,571	64.2%	875	35.8%	2,466	100.0%

* Low Income is defined as student with a NJ Eligibility Index between 1 and 24,999.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.2.b

3. Transfer

a. Percentage of entering students who are transfers (senior public institutions)

Not applicable

b. Three-year transfer rate to New Jersey senior public institutions (community colleges)

Of the 2,165 first-time full-time freshman entering Bergen Community College in Fall 2005, 208 (9.6%) had transferred to New Jersey Senior Public Institutions through Spring 2008.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.3.b



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c. Overall three-year transfer rate (community colleges)

Of the 2,165 first-time full-time freshman entering Bergen Community College in Fall 2005, 356 (16.4%) transferred, before graduating from BCC, to another institution, including out-of-state institutions, through Spring 2008.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.3.c