

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 2004 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity

	Fall 2004 Cohort N	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
		N	%	N	%
White	1,014	22	2.2%	125	12.3%
Black	128	0	0.0%	3	2.3%
Hispanic	559	7	1.3%	49	8.8%
Asian	155	2	1.3%	11	7.1%
Alien	121	8	6.6%	24	19.8%
Other *	95	0	0.0%	9	9.5%
Total	2,072	39	1.9%	221	10.7%

* Other includes American Indian and Race Unknown

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.1.c

Two and Three Year Graduation Rate Fall 2004 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Income

	Fall 2004 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
		N	%	N	%
Low Income *	469	6	1.3%	38	8.1%
Non-Low Income	707	12	1.7%	88	12.4%
Unknown	896	21	2.3%	95	10.6%
Total	2,072	39	1.9%	221	10.7%

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

Two and Three Year Combined Graduation and Transfer Rate Fall 2004 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity

	Fall 2004 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
	N	N	%	N	%
White	1,014	76	7.5%	279	27.5%
Black	128	11	8.6%	26	20.3%
Hispanic	559	50	8.9%	153	27.4%
Asian	155	10	6.5%	43	27.7%
Alien	121	8	6.6%	33	27.3%
Other *	95	7	7.4%	29	30.5%
Total	2,072	162	7.8%	563	27.2%

* 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.a

Two and Three Year Combined Graduation and Transfer Rate Fall 2004 First-time Full-time Freshmen by Income

	Fall 2004 Cohort	Success after 2 Years		Success after 3 Years	
		N	%	N	%
Low Income *	469	40	8.5%	116	24.7%
Non-Low Income	707	72	10.2%	226	32.0%
Unknown	896	50	5.6%	221	24.7%
Total	2,072	162	7.8%	563	27.2%

* 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.b

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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 2006 to Fall 2007

	Retained		Not Retained		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
White	668	66.3%	339	33.7%	1,007	100.0%
Black	78	49.7%	79	50.3%	157	100.0%
Hispanic	425	59.1%	294	40.9%	719	100.0%
Asian	154	71.0%	63	29.0%	217	100.0%
American Ind.	5	71.4%	2	28.6%	7	100.0%
Alien	100	66.2%	51	33.8%	151	100.0%
Race Unknown	105	68.6%	48	31.4%	153	100.0%
Total	1,535	63.7%	876	36.3%	2,411	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 2006 to Fall 2007

	Retained		Not Retained		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Low Income *	359	64.0%	202	36.0%	561	100.0%
Non-Low Income	545	64.3%	303	35.7%	848	100.0%
Unknown	631	63.0%	371	37.0%	1,002	100.0%
Total	1,535	63.7%	876	36.3%	2,411	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 2,072 first-time full-time freshman entering Bergen Community College in Fall 2004, 207 (10%) had transferred to New Jersey Senior Public Institutions through Spring 2007.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.3.b

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

Of the 2,072 first-time full-time freshman entering Bergen Community College in Fall 2004, 342 (16.5%) transferred, before graduating from BCC, to another institution, including out-of-state institutions, through Spring 2007.

Source: NJCHE Table II.E.3.c