

Report of NCLEX-PN® Examination Pass Rates for 2013

Summary:

The period between January 1 and ending December 31 is used for the purpose of determining programs' NCLEX-PN® examination pass rates. This report provides final 2013 NCLEX examination pass rates of first time test-takers from the vocational nursing (VN) education programs in Texas. Programs designated with an asterisk (*) are commended for pass rates of 90% or higher. New programs that have not had graduates or first time candidates during the examination year are not included in the report.

Rule 214.4(c) states that "Approval status is determined biennially by the Board on the basis of the program's compliance audit, NCLEX-PN examination pass rate, and other pertinent data." All programs received BON Certificates of Approval in 2012 for a two-year period. The next two-year certificates of approval will be provided in 2014.

Programs with a pass rate below 80% for one year are required to submit a Self-Study Report to Board Staff following Board guidelines. Seven (7) VN programs will be required to write a Self-Study Report in 2014 based upon the 2013 NCLEX-PN examination pass rate. Five (5) programs had a pass rate below 80% for two consecutive years and one (1) program had a pass rate below 80% for four (4) years.

Trends:

A review of the 2013 NCLEX report (Attachment #1) indicates that:

- The overall NCLEX-PN examination pass rate for Texas programs (86.43%) is higher than the Texas pass rate for 2012 and is higher than the national average for vocational programs (84.63%).
- Of the ninety-eight (98) VN programs with reported 2013 examination pass rates, fifty-six (56) received commendations for a pass rate over 90%.
- Twenty-two (22) of the VN programs had a pass rate of 100%.
- The following table provides Texas and National NCLEX-PN examination pass rates for the past five (5) years:

Year	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Average for Texas PN Programs	86.43% 4668/5401	85.52% 5155/6028	86.72% 5098/5879	88.68% 4990/5627	88.19% 4840/5488
National Average for PN Programs	84.63%	84.23%	84.84%	87.06%	85.73%

This report is for information only. No Board action is required.

**TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING (BON) NCLEX EXAMINATION REPORT
FIRST TIME PN CANDIDATES EDUCATED IN TEXAS
REGARDLESS OF STATE OF INITIAL LICENSURE
Draft Report for 2013 (January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013)**

Program	Location	Candidates	Passed	Pass Rate
Alvin Community College	Alvin	22	22	100%*
Amarillo College	Amarillo	68	52	76.47%
American Medical Institute	Houston	70	27	38.57%
Anamarc College	El Paso	67	65	97.01%*
Angelina College at Lufkin Traditional	Lufkin, (Crockett, Jasper)	68	61	89.71%
Angelina College at Lufkin MEEP	Lufkin	21	21	100%*
Army Practical Nurse Course	Ft. Sam Houston	307	286	93.16%*
Austin Community College	Austin, (Fredericksburg)	55	52	94.55%*
Baptist Health System	San Antonio	39	39	100%*
Bell Tech Career Institute	Houston	29	11	37.93%
Blinn College	Brenham	19	19	100%*
Blinn College	Bryan	26	26	100%*
Brazosport Community College	Lake Jackson	8	8	100%*
Career Point College	San Antonio	150	142	94.67%*
Central Texas College	Killeen	40	38	95.00%*
Cisco College	Abilene	47	46	97.87%*
Clarendon College	Pampa	49	42	85.71%
Coastal Bend College	Beeville, (Alice, Kingsville, Pleasanton)	69	65	94.20%*
College of the Mainland	Texas City	17	17	100%*
Concorde Career Institute	Arlington	213	178	83.57%
Dallas Nursing Institute	Dallas	287	254	88.50%
Del Mar College - MEEP	Corpus Christi	4	4	100%*
El Centro College	Dallas	20	18	90.00%*
El Paso Community College at Mission Del Paso	El Paso	23	18	78.26%

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El Paso Community College MEEP	El Paso	35	28	80.00%
Fortis College	Houston	80	47	58.75%
Fortis Institute	Grand Prairie	9	8	88.89%
Frank Phillips College	Borger	31	28	90.32%*
Galen College of Nursing	San Antonio	379	289	76.25%
Galveston College	Galveston	21	17	80.95%
Grayson County College	Van Alstyne	52	51	98.08%*
Hill College	Hillsboro, (Cleburne, Clifton, Glen Rose)	47	46	97.87%*
Houston Community College	Houston	64	59	92.19%*
Howard College	Big Spring	15	14	93.33%*
Howard College	San Angelo	41	41	100%*
Joe G. Davis	Huntsville	38	33	86.84%
Kaplan College	San Antonio	44	32	72.73%
Kaplan School of Nursing	Corpus Christi	71	58	81.69%
Kilgore College	Longview	56	52	92.86%*
Lamar State College	Orange	129	117	90.70%*
Lamar State College	Port Arthur	58	55	94.83%*
Laredo Community College	Laredo	45	44	97.78%*
Lee College	Baytown	21	21	100%*
Lone Star College - Cyfair	Cypress	17	16	94.12%*
Lone Star College - Kingwood	Kingwood	26	25	96.15%*
Lone Star College - Montgomery	Conroe	24	23	95.83%*
Lone Star College North Harris MEEP	Houston	9	8	88.89%
Lone Star College - Tomball	Tomball	20	18	90.00%*
McLennan Community College MEEP	Waco	19	19	100%*
McLennan Community College - Traditional	Waco	41	31	75.61%
Midland College	Fort Stockton	8	7	87.50%
Midland College	Midland	46	41	89.13%
Navarro College	Corsicana	24	24	100%*

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Navarro College	Mexia	20	20	100%*
Navarro College	Waxahachie	42	39	92.86%*
North Central Texas College	Gainesville	124	117	94.35%*
Northeast Texas Central Community College	Mount Pleasant	19	18	94.74%*
Odessa College	Andrews	20	16	80.00%
Odessa College	Monahans	25	18	72.00%
Panola College	Carthage (Center)	55	51	92.73%*
Paris Junior College	Paris (Greenville)	60	59	98.33%*
Platt College	Dallas	38	23	60.53%
Quest College	San Antonio	74	33	44.59%
Ranger College	Comanche (Early)	74	65	87.84%
RGV Careers	Pharr	48	41	85.42%
San Jacinto College North	Houston	85	76	89.41%
San Jacinto College South	Houston	68	59	86.76%
Schreiner University	Kerrville	31	27	87.10%
South Plains College	Levelland	17	17	100%*
South Plains College	Plainview	15	15	100%*
South Plains College at Reese Center	Lubbock	51	45	88.24%
South Texas College	McAllen, (Rio Grande City, Weslaco)	118	99	83.90%
Southwest Texas Junior College	Uvalde (Del Rio, Eagle Pass)	66	64	96.97%*
St. Michael's School of Nursing and Technology	Weslaco	4	0	0%
St. Philip's College	New Braunfels	9	9	100%*
St. Philip's College	San Antonio	138	119	86.23%
Sul Ross University	Alpine	10	10	100%*
Teamwork Services	Grand Prairie	16	3	18.75%
Temple College	Temple	44	40	90.91%*
Temple College	Taylor	28	28	100%*
Texarkana College	Texarkana	35	35	100%*
Texas Southmost College	Brownsville	28	24	85.71%

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Texas State Technical College Harlingen	Harlingen	17	16	94.12%*
Texas State Technical College West Texas	Sweetwater	32	28	87.50%
The College of Health Care Professions	Houston	13	7	53.85%
Trinity Valley Community College - Kaufman	Kaufman	17	17	100%*
Trinity Valley Community College - Palestine	Palestine	20	20	100%*
Tyler County Hospital	Woodville	59	56	94.92%*
Tyler Junior College	Tyler (Jacksonville)	149	137	91.95%*
Universal Health Services School	Fort Worth	14	9	64.29%
Valley Baptist Medical Center	Harlingen	36	34	94.44%*
Valley Grande Institute for Academic Studies	Weslaco	54	51	94.44%*
Vernon College	Wichita Falls (Vernon)	97	84	86.60%
Victoria College	Victoria (Cuero, Gonzales, Hallettsville)	142	118	83.10%
Vista College	El Paso	113	76	67.26%
Weatherford College	Weatherford	51	51	100%*
Western Texas College	Snyder	15	11	73.33%
Wharton County Jr. College	Wharton	22	20	90.91%*
GRAND TOTALS FOR TEXAS		5401	4668	86.43%

*Denotes programs with above 90% pass rate and receiving commendations.