

# Student Success Report 2020-2021

## Criteria 1: Fall to Fall Retention Rate

Goals (Benchmarks): Fall to Fall Retention (first-time, full-time) – 62%

Performance Results: The retention rate of first-time, full-time students was 60% for those beginning in Fall 2020 and returning in Fall 2021.

Data: Nationally, the retention rate for the pe, o [(t),on ratn (al)-9 0.8 (, o /TT1 1 Tf 0.08 (, o 8 (l)-1c 0.001 6l)-8.91 (n (t)4and r)-6

Table 3: Overall Graduation Rate

| First Time, Full Time Students | 2016 Cohort |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Overall Graduation Rate        | 31%         |

Table 4: Graduation Rates by Race, Gender and Pell

| Graduation Rates by Race, Gender and Pell ( 2016 Cohort) |  |
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Data: Course completion and student outcomes are systematically collected and analyzed to determine student achievement. This information is also used to provide insight into opportunities to improve student achievement. The course



students and higher persistence rates than three of the seven overall general education areas. However, the success rates did not meet the benchmark for successful completion.

Course persistence rates and success rates are currently being tracked by instructor in order to assist in identifying supports to be put in place or changes needed. Tutoring in-person and online are offered in all general education courses. The Teaching and Learning Center also provides assistance to students in using the online materials and reviews the online courses to make sure the courses have links to assistance and robust educational content.

The following table depicts the data relative to the performance of Gadsden State students in courses delivered utilizing online instruction:

Table 7: Distance Education Student Performance \*



Table 8: Perkins Report Data

| Core Indicator   | 2020-2021 |          |
|--|-----------|----------|
|  | Actual    | Targeted |
| % of CTE concentrators receiving an award, industry or professional organization recognized credential   | 57%       | 61.5%    |
| % of CTE concentrators employed in field, military, or apprenticeship programs in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter following the term in which they left post-secondary | 81%       | 72.2%    |
| % of CTE concentrators who receive a recognized postsecondary credential during participation in or within 1 year of program completion.                           | 57%       | 61.5%    |
| Percentage of CTE concentrators in career and technical education programs and programs of study that lead to non-traditional fields.                              | 8.43%**   | 24.3%    |

\*\* Based on the comparison of actual and targeted levels of performance, the following actions will be taken:

**Improvement Plan:**

Gadsden State Community College will host an event that will offer tape measure training to female high school students in the colleges service area. Each student that attends training will receive a “stackable credential”. This event will coincide with Women in Construction Week. March 6-12, 2022. Gadsden State will offer video promotional material as well as social media promotion.

Gadsden State Community College will host an event that will offer precision measurement training to female high school students in the colleges service area. Each student that attends training will receive a “stackable credential”. This event will coincide with Women in Manufacturing Week October 4-6, 2021.

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Table 12: Emergency Medical Technician Licensure Performance

Table 13: Therapeutic Massage Licensure Performance

| Massage Therapy | Number of Students Taking Exam | Number of Students Passing Exam | Passing Percentage |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2018-2019       | 9                              | 8                               | 88%                |
|                 | 6                              | 4                               | 67%                |
|                 | 7                              | 4                               | 57%                |

Laboratory Technician Certification Performance

| Number of Students Taking Exam | Number of Students Passing Exam | Passing Percentage |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| 12                             | 10                              | 83%                |
| 10                             | 8                               | 80%                |
| 9                              | 6                               | 67%                |
| 31                             | 24                              | 77.4%              |

Technology Licensure Performance

|           | Number of Students Taking Exam | Number of Students Passing Exam | Passing Percentage |
|-----------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2018-2019 | 15                             | 12                              | 80%                |
| 2019-2020 | 14                             | 14                              | 100%               |
| 2020-2021 | 22                             | 18                              | 82%                |

Table 16: Diagnostic Medical Sonography Licensure Performance

| Diagnostic Medical Sonography | Number of Students Taking Exam | Number of Students Passing Exam | Passing Percentage |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
|                               |                                |                                 | 80%                |
|                               |                                |                                 | 81%                |
|                               |                                |                                 | 78%                |



## Criteria 7: National Educational Examinations

Goal (Benchmark): GSCC student performance will be within 1% of meeting the national average for proficiency of 2-year college students on the ETS Proficiency Profile.

Performance Results: There is insufficient data available for 2020-2021 to evaluate GSCC student performance. Due to the transition to online testing and the continued effects of COVID, student participation was below the threshold for comparative data analysis.

Data: Unavailable for 2020-2021.