

**North Carolina Board of Nursing  
NCLEX RN 1<sup>st</sup> Time Testing Pass Rate  
3-YEAR AVERAGE 2017-2019**

Registered Nurse (RN)	Type	2017	2018	2019	3-Year Average 2017-2019
<b>National Pass Rate Current Year</b>	<b>RN-All</b>	87	88	88	88
<b>NC Pass Rate (95% of National Standard)</b>	<b>RN-All</b>	83	84	84	84
<b>Registered Nurse (RN)</b>					
Registered Nurse (RN)	Type	2017	2018	2019	3-Year Average 2017-2019
<i>National BSN Pass Rate</i>		90	92	91	91
<i>NC BSN Pass Rate Averages</i>		93	95	93	94
Appalachian University	BSN	91	100	100	97
Barton College	BSN	95	89	92	92
Campbell University	BSN	**	100	93	**
Catawba College	BSN	**	**	88	**
Chamberlain University	BSN	**	100	90	**
Duke University	BSN	98	99	98	99
East Carolina University	BSN	96	99	98	98
Fayetteville State University	BSN	93	98	98	96
Gardner-Webb University	BSN	100	96	100	99
Lees-McRae College	BSN	60	61	64	62
Lenoir-Rhyne College	BSN	97	93	92	94
Mars Hill University	BSN	**	81	65	**
Methodist University	BSN	75	97	71	81
NC A&T State University	BSN	90	88	97	92
NC Central University	BSN	82	79	88	83
Northeastern University	BSN	**	87	86	87
Pfeiffer University	BSN	88	67	100	85
Queens University of Charlotte	BSN	96	99	96	97
South College	BSN	**	**	71	**
South University	BSN	50	96	95	80
UNC-Chapel Hill	BSN	97	96	94	96
UNC-Charlotte	BSN	92	95	92	93
UNC-Greensboro	BSN	97	95	93	95
UNC-Pembroke	BSN	81	98	98	92
UNC-Wilmington	BSN	97	93	95	95
Western Carolina University	BSN	96	99	99	98
Wingate University	BSN	100	100	95	98
Winston-Salem State University	BSN	89	91	91	90
<b>Registered Nurse (RN)</b>					
<i>National Diploma Pass Rate</i>		90	89	88	89
<i>NC Diploma Pass Rate Averages</i>		97	86	91	91
Watts School of Nursing	DIP-RN	97	86	91	91

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<i>National Associate Degree Pass Rate</i>		84	85	85	85
<i>NC Associate Degree Pass Rate Averages</i>		91	91	91	91
Alamance CC	AD	79	97	95	90
Asheville-Buncombe Tech CC	AD	96	93	90	93
Beaufort County CC	AD	70	73	95	79
Bladen CC	AD	84	97	84	88
Blue Ridge CC	AD	90	75	93	86
Brunswick CC	AD	95	96	90	94
Cabarrus College of Health Science	AD	94	99	95	96
Caldwell CC	AD	100	100	100	100
Cape Fear CC	AD	97	100	100	99
Carolinas College of Health Science	AD	98	96	99	98
Carteret CC	AD	94	94	90	93
Catawba Valley CC	AD	97	97	88	94
Central Carolina CC	AD	44	83	91	73
Central Piedmont CC	AD	94	97	100	97
Coastal Carolina CC	AD	96	94	86	92
College of the Albemarle	AD	100	96	100	99
Craven CC	AD	92	85	80	86
Davidson County CC	AD	98	95	78	90
Durham Tech CC	AD	76	78	86	80
ECPI University-Charlotte	AD	89	97	98	95
ECPI University-Raleigh	AD	**	**	**	**
Edgecombe CC	AD	78	87	89	85
Fayetteville Tech CC	AD	100	93	92	95
Foothills Nursing Consortium	AD	89	95	93	92
Forsyth Tech CC	AD	95	98	98	97
Gardner-Webb University	AD	93	81	97	90
Gaston College	AD	98	93	94	95
Guilford Tech CC	AD	85	71	86	81
Halifax CC	AD	100	86	90	92
James Sprunt CC	AD	94	100	93	96
Johnston CC	AD	98	98	100	99
Lenoir CC	AD	95	75	88	86
Mayland CC	AD	94	80	94	89
Mitchell CC	AD	100	95	97	97
Montgomery CC	AD	**	**	**	**

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Nash CC	AD	88	85	87	87
Piedmont CC	AD	65	91	85	80
Pitt CC	AD	92	87	91	90
Randolph CC	AD	93	91	100	95
Region A Nsg Consortium	AD	88	77	66	77
Richmond CC	AD	100	94	97	97
Roanoke-Chowan CC	AD	78	100	100	93
Robeson CC	AD	100	100	81	94
Rockingham CC	AD	88	90	92	90
Rowan-Cabarrus CC	AD	88	93	93	91
Sampson CC	AD	83	89	93	88
Sandhills CC	AD	92	88	93	91
South Piedmont CC	AD	89	93	88	90
Southeastern CC	AD	83	83	81	82
Southwestern CC	AD	82	76	68	75
Stanly CC	AD	88	97	97	94
Surry CC	AD	95	100	97	97
Vance-Granville CC	AD	88	89	78	85
Wake Tech CC	AD	98	98	97	98
Wayne CC	AD	93	92	100	95
Western Piedmont CC	AD	100	97	100	99
Wilkes CC	AD	63	100	85	83
Wilson CC	AD	97	91	80	89

CC = Community College

\*\* = New Program