

2024 CONNECTICUT NURSING EDUCATION

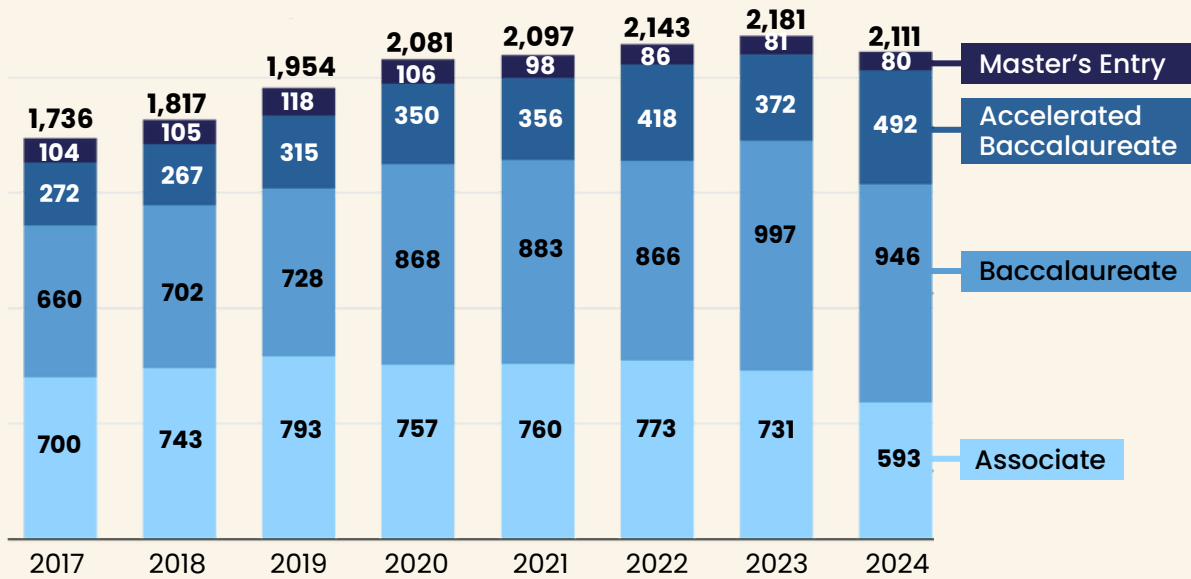
RN

DECEMBER 2025



RN pre-licensure program graduates decreased by 3% from 2023 to 2024, but were still **22%** higher than in 2017.

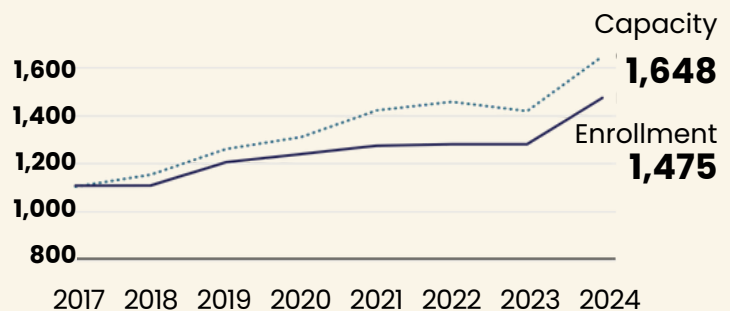
RN Program Graduates by Year and Degree Type



BSN Degree New Student Capacity & Enrollments

Both new student capacity and enrollments in RN baccalaureate (BSN) degree programs increased substantially from 2023 to 2024.

In 2024, **11%** of the available BSN seats were left unfilled.

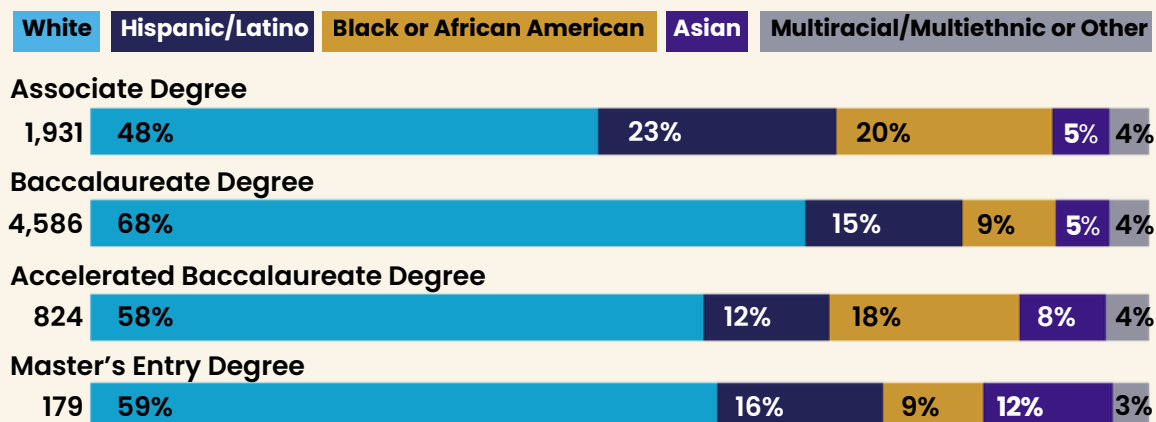


Average NCLEX Pass Rates Were Above 90% for most RN Program Types

Note: NCLEX is the acronym for the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination.

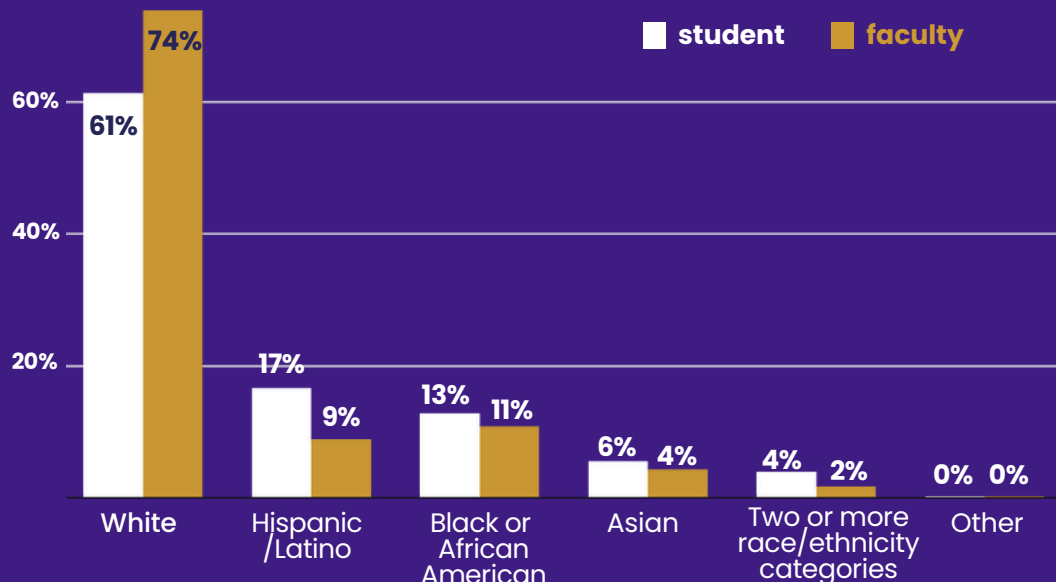


Students' Race and Ethnicity



Race/Ethnicity of RN Program Students and Faculty in 2024

Hispanic/Latino individuals are under-represented in the faculty vs. student population of Connecticut's RN nursing programs.



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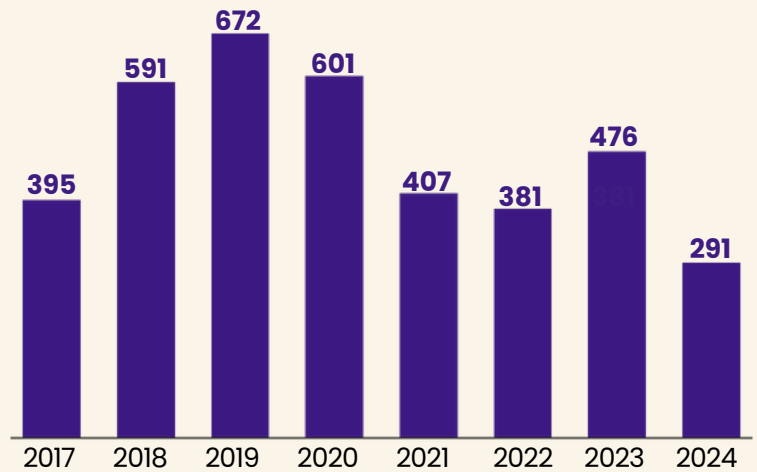
LPN

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LPN pre-licensure program graduates decreased by **39%** from 2023-2024.

The drop since 2020 is due, in part, to the closure of multiple LPN programs, including several programs at Porter & Chester Institute in 2022 and all Stone Academy programs in early 2023.

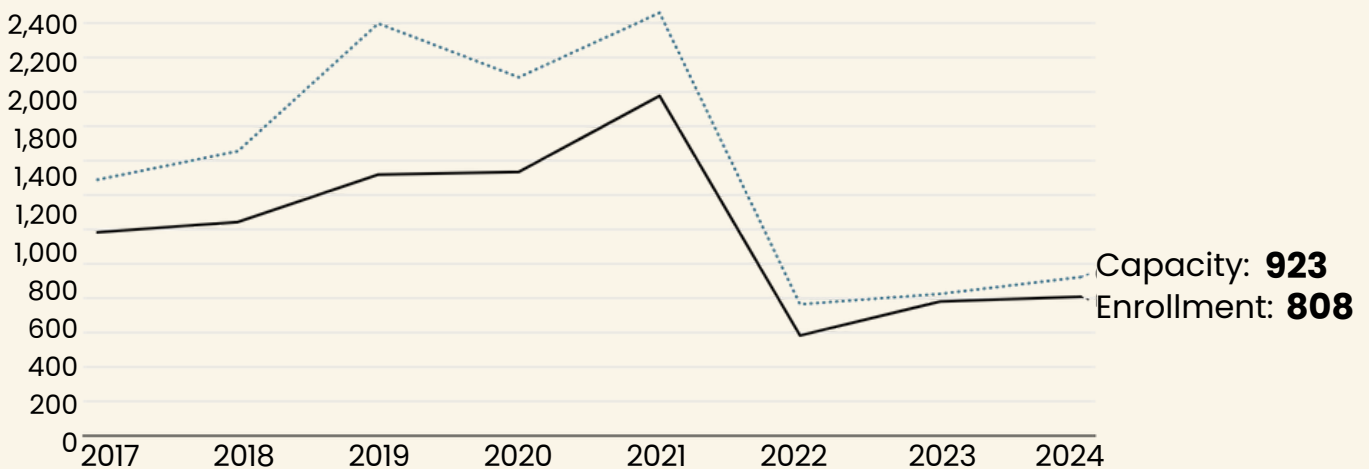
LPN Program Graduates by Year



LPN New Student Capacity & Enrollments

In 2024, LPN new student seat capacity was **62%** lower than 2021 and new student enrollments were **59%** lower than in 2021.

Note: This sharp decrease is due to the closing of several programs operated by Porter & Chester Institute and all programs operated by Stone Academy.



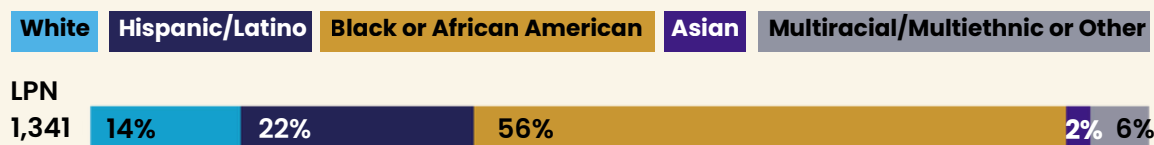
Licensure Examination (NCLEX) Results

Note: *NCLEX* is the acronym for the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination.

Among the eight (8) LPN programs that were in operation during the 2024 calendar year, the average NCLEX pass rate in 2024-25 was

85%

Students' Race and Ethnicity



Race/Ethnicity of LPN Program Students and Faculty

Black/African American and Hispanic/Latino individuals are under-represented in the faculty vs. student population of Connecticut's LPN nursing programs.

