



BCBA Examination Pass Rates for University Training Programs

2025

Summary

The BACB publishes examination pass-rate data for university training programs to help prospective students understand one of the important outcomes associated with university training and professional preparation. Pass rates are historical outcomes; they are not rankings, endorsements, or guarantees of future or individual performance. Use pass rates together with core program features and outcomes, the number of graduates, [prior-year results](#), current [accreditation/recognition](#) status, program cost and format, faculty and student supports, fieldwork opportunities, and other outcomes that matter to you.

This report summarizes 2025 first-time BCBA examination results and provides program-level results for comparison. An individual applicant's data are included in the pass-rate data if they took the examination for the first time in 2025 and obtained a degree from an Association for Behavior Analysis International (ABAI)-accredited program, obtained a degree from an ABAI Tier 2a- or 2b-recognized program, or completed all of the Pathway 2 coursework from a single behavior analysis training program. A university program is only included in this report if it had more than six first-time candidates in 2025. As a result, this report represents 204 qualifying university programs.¹

This report does not include a complete list of universities with behavior-analytic programs. Please visit the [Association for Behavior Analysis International's](#) website for a list of accredited and Tier 2a- or 2b-recognized programs. For information about qualifying Pathway 2 coursework, please contact individual universities directly.

Key Findings

- ★ **The 2025 overall first-time pass rate was 51% for all candidates.** 2025 was the first year the BCBA examination was based on the [BCBA Test Content Outline \(6th ed.\)](#).
- ★ **Accredited degree programs had higher pass rates.** The mean program pass rate was 79.3% for ABAI-accredited programs compared with 53.2% for all other reported programs, a difference of 26.1 percentage points.
- ★ **Candidate volume is highly concentrated.**
 - The 10 largest training programs included 5,446 first-time candidates, 54.7% of the 9,955 first-time candidates in 2025.
 - The 10 largest training programs had a mean program pass rate of 42.9%.
 - These programs represented a substantial portion of the candidates included in the overall 2025 first-time pass rate and therefore had a considerable influence on the overall first-time pass rate (51%).

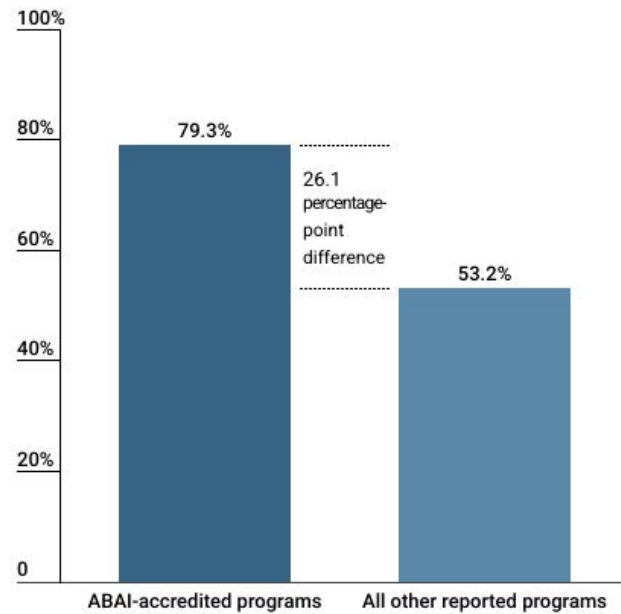
¹ This report includes 8,558 first-time candidates, or 86.0% of the 9,955 first-time candidates tested in 2025. The remaining 1,397 candidates are not represented in the report because they did not meet one or more of the program-qualifying criteria or their program did not meet the qualifying threshold. A small number of the first-time candidates represented in this report took the examination in 2024 due to the university's small program size. Those programs are identified with an asterisk in the tables.

2025 Pass Rate Analyses

Pass Rates for Accredited Degrees

ABAI accreditation requires behavior-analysis degree programs to meet comprehensive standards addressing mission, curriculum, outcomes assessment, administration, resources, faculty, student services, public disclosure, and degree-specific requirements. Twenty-five ABAI-accredited programs met the qualifying criteria in 2025. Their mean first-time pass rate was 79.3%, compared with 53.2% for the 179 other reported programs. The difference in mean performance between accredited and non-accredited programs was 26.1 percentage points.

Mean first-time pass rate by accreditation status



For students planning to apply for BCBA certification in 2032 or later

Beginning January 1, 2032, all applicants for BCBA certification must have already completed a master's degree or higher from ABAI- or APBA-accredited programs to qualify. Prospective students who expect to apply for BCBA certification in 2032 or later should verify degree accreditation status before enrolling.

Pass Rates for ABAI-Accredited Programs: Sorted Alphabetically by Institution

Institution	Department Name	Program Name	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Auburn University	Psychological Sciences	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	8*	100%
Caldwell University	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	8*	75%
California State University, Los Angeles	Special Education and Counseling	M.S. in Counseling, Option in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	9	78%
Florida Institute of Technology	School of Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis, Orlando Campus	On Campus	8	75%
Florida Institute of Technology	School of Behavior Analysis	M.S. Programs in ABA, OBM, and ABA+OBM - Melbourne Campus	On Campus	6	67%
Florida State University, Panama City	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology with a Specialty in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	12	83%
Regis College	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Online	11	82%
Regis College	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	11	55%
Salem State University	Psychology	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Hybrid	9	67%
Salve Regina University	Psychology	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	15	93%
Simmons University	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	12	75%

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Pass Rates for ABAI-Accredited Programs: Sorted Alphabetically by Institution (continued)

Institution	Department Name	Program Name	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Southern Illinois University Carbondale	School of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences	M.S. in Behavior Analysis and Therapy	On Campus	7	71%
St. Cloud State University	Community Psychology, Counseling, and Family Therapy	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus and Online	22	100%
Teachers College, Columbia University	Health Sciences and Applied Educational Psychology	M.A. in Teaching Students with Disabilities: Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	12	67%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Online	43	60%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis, Chicago Campus	On Campus	17	53%
The Ohio State University	Educational Studies	M.A. in Educational Studies, Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	Online	9*	44%
University of Houston, Clear Lake	Psychological and Behavioral Health Sciences	M.A. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	13	100%
University of Kansas	Applied Behavioral Science	M.A. in Applied Behavioral Science	On Campus	6*	100%
University of Maryland, Baltimore County	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Behavior Science	On Campus	11	91%
University of North Carolina Wilmington	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology with a Concentration in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	6	100%
University of North Texas	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	12	100%
University of South Florida	Child and Family Studies	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	On Campus	7	86%
University of Texas at San Antonio	Educational Studies	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	13	85%
Western Michigan University	Psychology	M.A. in Behavior Analysis	On Campus	8	75%

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Pass Rates for High-Volume Programs (100+ Students)

There were 10 university programs with more than 100 first-time candidates in 2025. These 10 programs accounted for 5,446 candidates (54.7% of all 2025 first-time BCBA candidates). The mean pass rate across these programs was 42.9%. These programs represented a substantial portion of the candidates included in the overall 2025 first-time pass rate and therefore had a considerable influence on the overall first-time pass rate (51%).

Pass Rates for High-Volume Programs: Sorted by First-Time Candidates

Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Arizona State University	Special Education	Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	1,197	44%
Ball State University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	1,026	50%
Capella University	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	928	41%
Florida Institute of Technology	Behavior Analysis	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate	--	Online	807	69%
National University	ABA, School Psychology, and Educational Counseling	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	424	35%
University of West Florida	Center for Behavior Analysis	Center for Behavior Analysis	--	Online	293	43%
Purdue University Global	Psychology	M.S. Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	285	46%
ABA España/ Universidad de Cádiz	Cátedra Externa ABA España	Máster y especialista en intervención ABA en autismo y otros trastornos del desarrollo	--	Online	172	20%
Purdue University Global	Psychology	Graduate Certificate in ABA	--	Online	168	43%
University of Cincinnati	Education	Masters in Foundations in Behavior Analysis/ Graduate Certificate in Behavior Analysis	--	Online	146	38%

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Full List of Qualifying Programs: Sorted Alphabetically by Institution

Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
ABA España/ Universidad de Cádiz	Cátedra Externa ABA España	Máster y especialista en intervención ABA en autismo y otros trastornos del desarrollo	--	Online	172	20%
ABA España/ Universidad de Cádiz	Behavior Analysis	Programa de intervención ABA en autismo y otros trastornos del desarrollo	--	Online	10	0%
Arcadia University	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	8	38%
Arizona State University	Special Education	Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	1,197	44%
Arizona State University	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On campus	25	72%
Auburn University	Psychological Sciences	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	8*	100%
Augustana University	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	24	50%
Ball State University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	1,026	50%
Bangor University	Education	M.Sc. in Applied Behaviour Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	18	61%
Bay Path University	School of Education, Psychology and Humanities	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	47	79%
Baylor University	Educational Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	7	71%
Beijing Normal University	Special Education	Beijing Normal University BCBA Verified Course Sequence	--	Online	7*	29%
Bowling Green State University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	12	67%
Brigham Young University	Special Education	M.S. in Special Education	--	On Campus	6	83%
Brock University	Applied Disability Studies	M.A., MADS, Diploma (ABA Specialization)	--	Hybrid	62	79%
Caldwell University	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	8*	75%
California State University Northridge	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	10	90%
California State University San Marcos	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate of Advanced Study	--	Online	7	57%
California State University, Los Angeles	Special Education and Counseling	M.S. in Counseling, Option in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	9	78%
California State University, Stanislaus	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	6*	50%
Cambridge College at Bay Path University (formerly Cambridge College)	Education	Behavior Analyst	--	Hybrid	22	50%
Capella University	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	928	41%
Clemson University	Learning Institute	Center for Behavior Analysis	--	Online	25	44%

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Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Cleveland State University	Education	Certificate in Behavior Analysis	--	Online	7	0%
Daemen University (formerly Daemen College)	Behavioral Science	Behavioral Science and Human Services	--	On Campus and Online	11	55%
Daemen University (formerly Daemen College)	Behavioral Science	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	8	63%
Dordt University	Education	Master of Special Education	--	Online	6*	50%
Drexel University	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	23	43%
East Stroudsburg University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	7	57%
Eastern Kentucky University	Psychology	Eastern Kentucky University M.S. General Psychology - ABA Concentration	--	Online	19	42%
Eastern Michigan University	Psychology	Clinical Behavioral Master of Science in Psychology	--	On Campus	8	75%
Eastern University	Counseling Psychology	M.A. in Clinical Counseling - ABA concentration	--	Online	6	83%
Endicott College	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis Coursework	--	On Campus and Online	78	59%
Felician University	Education	Special Education: ABA and Autism Studies	--	On Campus and Online	9	22%
Fitchburg State University	Education	Guided Studies - Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	21	43%
Florida Atlantic University	Special Education	Special Education	--	Online	6	17%
Florida Institute of Technology	Behavior Analysis	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate	--	Online	807	69%
Florida Institute of Technology	School of Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis, Orlando Campus	Accredited	On Campus	8	75%
Florida Institute of Technology	School of Behavior Analysis	M.S. Programs in ABA, OBM, and ABA+OBM - Melbourne Campus	Accredited	On Campus	6	67%
Florida International University	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology: Major in Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	37	49%
Florida State University, Panama City	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology with a Specialty in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	12	83%
George Mason University	Special Education	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis/ Master's in Special Education with a Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	60	45%
Georgia State University	Learning Sciences	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	13	46%

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Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Griffith University	School of Health Sciences & Social Work	Master of Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	7*	57%
Griffith University	School of Health Sciences & Social Work	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behaviour Analysis	--	Online	6	33%
Hofstra University	Special Education	Advanced Certificate in Autism	--	Online	11	27%
Hunter College	Special Education	M.S. in ABA, Advanced Certificate in ABA	--	Hybrid	15	73%
James Madison University	Graduate Psychology and Exceptional Education	JMU ABA	--	On Campus	6	83%
Johns Hopkins University	Special Education	Post Master's Certificate and M.S. in Special Education: Severe Disabilities with an Emphasis in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	9	67%
Kean University	Special Education	M.A. in Special Education: Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) & Autism Spectrum Disorders; Post-Master's Certification Option: Applied Behavior Analysis: Autism and Developmental Disabilities	--	On Campus and Online	14	7%
Lehigh University	Special Education	M.Ed. Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	6	33%
Lindenwood University	Education and Human Services	Master's Degree in Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	7	57%
Lipscomb University	Education	Studies in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	7	57%
Long Island University	Behavioral Health Professions	M.A. in Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	9	22%
Manhattanville College	Special Education	Master of Professional Studies (M.P.S.) in ABA; Advanced Graduate Certificate in ABA	--	Online	50	30%
Marquette University	Psychology	M.S. and Ph.D. in Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	8	88%
Martinsburg College	Behavior Analysis	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	30	30%
Mary Baldwin University	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in ABA, ABA Coursework	--	Online	37	57%
Mercyhurst University	Special Education	M.S. in Special Education Applied Behavior Analysis concentration; Graduate certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	6*	33%
Michigan State University	Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Special Education	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis and Autism Spectrum Disorder	--	Online	8*	50%

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Michigan State University	Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Special Education	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	7	86%
Mississippi State University	Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Foundations	Educational Psychology (ABA M.S.)	--	On Campus and Online	20	65%
Missouri State University	Psychology	Behavior Analysis and Therapy	--	On Campus	10	70%
Monash University	Education	The Master of Applied Behaviour Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	20	70%
Mount St. Mary's University	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis Programs	--	On Campus and Online	12	42%
National Louis University	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	12	50%
National University	ABA, School Psychology, and Educational Counseling	M.S. in ABA	--	On Campus and Online	424	35%
National University (formerly Northcentral University)	Education	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	15	40%
Niagara University	Education	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Advanced Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	33	27%
Nicholls State University	Education	Masters of Curriculum and Instruction - High Incidence Disabilities with ABA option	--	On Campus and Online	10	40%
Northeastern University	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	22	68%
Northeastern University	Psychology	Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	6	100%
Northern Arizona University	Educational Specialties	M.Ed. in Special Education, PBS Emphasis; PBS Graduate Certificate	--	Online	14	50%
Northern Illinois University	Special Education	Special Education	--	Online	8	63%
Nova Southeastern University	Abraham S. Fischler College of Education and School of Criminal Justice - Department of Human Services	M.S. with Concentration in ABA	--	Online	14	36%
Nova Southeastern University	Abraham S. Fischler College of Education and School of Criminal Justice - Department of Human Services	M.S. with Concentration in ABA	--	Online	13	31%
Oakland University	Human Development and Child Studies	Special Education with Concentration in ABA	--	On Campus and Online	14	64%
Ouachita Baptist University	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	15	53%

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Pennsylvania State University	Special Education	Special Education	--	On Campus and Online	29	52%
Pennsylvania Western University	Special Education	Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	17	18%
Pennsylvania Western University	Special Education	ABA/CLM	--	Online	6*	17%
Pepperdine University	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	70	47%
Pittsburg State University	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology with an Emphasis in Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	6*	33%
Portland State University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Program	--	Online	13	46%
Purdue University	Education	M.S. in Education in Applied Behavior Analysis, Accelerated Master's, and Certificate In ABA	--	On Campus and Online	17	71%
Purdue University Global	Psychology	M.S. Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	285	46%
Purdue University Global	Psychology	Graduate Certificate in ABA	--	Online	168	43%
Queen's University Belfast	Education	Master's in Applied Behaviour Analysis (M.Sc.ABA) & Diploma in Applied Behaviour Analysis (DipABA)	--	Online	25	56%
Queens College	Psychology	ABA M.A. and Certificate Programs	--	On Campus and Online	16	50%
Regis College	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	Online	11	82%
Regis College	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	11	55%
Regis College	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	11	45%
Rider University	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Psychology: ABA	--	Hybrid	19	42%
Rowan University	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis/Certificate of Advanced Graduate Studies in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	12	58%
Russell Sage College	Education	Center for Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	48	42%
Rutgers University	Psychology	Master's in Applied Behavior Analysis; Master of Applied Psychology; Certificate in ABA; Master's in Special Education	--	On Campus	30	67%
Saint Joseph's University	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis Concentration	--	Online	31	35%
Saint Louis University	School of Social Work	Applied Behavior Analysis Programs	--	On Campus and Online	7	86%
Salem State University	Psychology	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	Hybrid	9	67%

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Salve Regina University	Psychology	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	15	93%
Sam Houston State University	Education	Low Incidence Disabilities and Autism	--	Hybrid	6	33%
Seton Hall University	Psychology	Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	9	33%
Shenandoah University	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; ABA Certificate	--	Online	9	22%
Simmons University	Behavior Analysis	Behavior Analysis	--	Online	53	79%
Simmons University	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	12	75%
Slippery Rock University	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education: Applied Behavior Analysis Concentration	--	Online	8	25%
Southeast Missouri State University	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	11	64%
Southern Connecticut State University	Special Education	6th Year, Graduate Certificate, and Master's	--	On Campus	9	67%
Southern Illinois University Carbondale	School of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences	M.S. in Behavior Analysis and Therapy	Accredited	On Campus	7	71%
St. Cloud State University	Community Psychology, Counseling, and Family Therapy	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus and Online	22	100%
St. Edwards University	Education	M.Ed. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	10	40%
St. Edwards University	Education	Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	9	67%
St. Joseph's University (formerly St. Joseph's College)	Education	Advanced Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	22	27%
SUNY Empire State University (formerly SUNY Empire State College)	Behavior Analysis	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	26	58%
Teachers College, Columbia University	Health Sciences and Applied Educational Psychology	M.A. in Teaching Students with Disabilities: Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	12	67%
Teachers College, Columbia University	Special Education	Programs in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	8*	25%
Temple University	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	11	64%
Tennessee Technological University	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	9	56%
Texas A&M University	Educational Psychology	M.Ed./M.S. in Special Education; Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	11	82%
Texas A&M University-San Antonio	Counseling, Health, and Kinesiology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	7	29%

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Texas State University	Education	Autism and Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	14	57%
Texas Tech University	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education, concentration in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	24	67%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	Post-master's Certificate; M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	53	32%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	Online	43	60%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis, Chicago Campus	Accredited	On Campus	17	53%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	Applied Behavior Analysis (Texas)	--	On Campus and Online	17	47%
The Chicago School	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; M.A. Applied Behavior Analysis; Graduate Certificate; Ph.D. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	10*	70%
The Chicago School	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis; Ph.D. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Ph.D. in Behavior Analysis (California)	--	Hybrid	7	57%
The Chicago School	Applied Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Post-Masters Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis; Ph.D. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	6	67%
The Ohio State University	Educational Studies	M.A. in Educational Studies, Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	Online	9*	44%
Touro University (formerly Touro College)	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Advanced Certificate Program in Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	19	21%
Troy University	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	7*	29%
Universidad Complutense De Madrid	Facultad de Educacion - Abascool	UCM Abascool ABA Program	--	Online	58	21%
University of Arizona	Special Education	Master's in Special Education: Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	9	67%
University of Arkansas	Education	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	6	33%
University of British Columbia	Education	M.Ed. or M.A. in Autism/ Developmental Disabilities; M.Ed. or M.A. in Behaviour Disorders	--	Hybrid	16	88%
University of California, Santa Barbara	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis - UCSB Professional and Continuing Education	--	Online	23	39%
University of Central Florida	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate	--	On Campus and Online	8*	50%

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University of Central Oklahoma	Psychology	Preparation for Behavior Analyst Certification	--	On Campus and Online	9	78%
University of Cincinnati	Education	Masters in Foundations in Behavior Analysis/Graduate Certificate in Behavior Analysis	--	Online	146	38%
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	Education	Special Education - Inclusive Behavior Intervention Certificate	--	Hybrid	8*	25%
University of Colorado Denver	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis Online Program	--	Online	19	63%
University of Dayton	Psychology	Master of Applied Behavior Analysis (MABA)	--	Online	9	22%
University of Dayton	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate Program	--	Online	6	50%
University of Georgia	Communication Sciences and Special Education	Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	17	88%
University of Hawai'i at Mānoa	Special Education	Special Education Applied Behavior Analysis Program (BCBA-Track)	--	Online	8	38%
University of Houston Victoria	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	7	43%
University of Houston, Clear Lake	Psychological and Behavioral Health Sciences	M.A. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	13	100%
University of Iowa	Special Education	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)	--	Hybrid	7*	43%
University of Kansas	Behavior Analysis	Applied Behavioral Science MA	--	Online	14	86%
University of Kansas	Applied Behavioral Science	M.A. in Applied Behavioral Science	Accredited	On Campus	6*	100%
University of Kent	School of Social Policy, Sociology, and Social Research	M.Sc./Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Behaviour Analysis; M.Sc. in Positive Behaviour Support	--	On Campus	12	83%
University of Kentucky	Special Education	M.S. or Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	8*	63%
University of Louisville	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education with a Concentration in Autism Spectrum Disorder and ABA; Certificate in ABA	--	On Campus and Online	6	33%
University of Maryland, Baltimore County	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Behavior Science	Accredited	On Campus	11	91%
University of Massachusetts Boston	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis for Special Populations Graduate Certificate Program	--	On Campus	6*	33%
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	7*	71%

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University of Massachusetts Global (UMass Global)	Extended Education	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Graduate Certificate	--	Online	32	41%
University of Massachusetts Lowell	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis and Autism Studies	--	Hybrid	16	44%
University of Massachusetts Lowell	Psychology	Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	8	63%
University of Memphis	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	14	50%
University of Miami	Psychology	Master's in Psychology with Specialization in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	8	88%
University of Michigan - Dearborn	Education	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	12	83%
University of Minnesota	Educational Psychology	M.A. in Special Education with an Emphasis in ABA	--	On Campus	6	67%
University of Missouri Columbia	Special Education	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis and Graduate Certificate in ABA	--	Hybrid	6*	33%
University of Missouri St. Louis	Educator Preparation & Leadership	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	6	17%
University of Nebraska	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; ABA Certificate	--	On Campus and Online	11	82%
University of Nevada Las Vegas	Education	M.Ed. in Special Education Subplan Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	8	38%
University of North Carolina Charlotte	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	17	59%
University of North Carolina Wilmington	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology with a Concentration in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	6	100%
University of North Dakota	Special Education	M.S. in Special Education with Emphasis in ABA	--	Online	12	75%
University of North Florida	Special Education	M.Ed. in Special Education with a Concentration in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	6	50%
University of North Texas	Behavior Analysis	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	72	71%
University of North Texas	Behavior Analysis	Graduate Academic Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	13	69%
University of North Texas	Behavior Analysis	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	12	100%
University of Northern Colorado	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	7	71%
University of Oklahoma	Special Education	Applied Behavior Analysis Certificate	--	Online	18	39%
University of Pittsburgh	Education	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	13	62%

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Full List of Qualifying Programs: Sorted Alphabetically by Institution (continued)

Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
University of Saint Joseph	Counseling and Applied Behavioral Studies	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis; Applied Behavior Analysis Graduate Certificate	--	On Campus	15	73%
University of Scranton	Counseling and Human Services	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	6*	50%
University of South Florida	Child and Family Studies	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	44	86%
University of South Florida	Child and Family Studies	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	7	86%
University of South Wales	Psychology	M.Sc. Behaviour Analysis & Therapy	--	On Campus	9	67%
University of Southern California	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	9	89%
University of Southern Maine	Psychology	Educational Psychology	--	Online	35	60%
University of Texas at San Antonio	Educational Studies	M.S. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	13	85%
University of Texas Austin	Special Education	Autism and Developmental Disabilities; Early Childhood Special Education	--	On Campus and Online	29	62%
University of Virginia	Education	Special Education	--	Online	8	88%
University of Washington	Education	M.Ed. in Special Education - Applied Behavior Analysis	Tier 2a-Recognized	On Campus and Online	19	89%
University of Washington	Education	M.Ed. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	15	93%
University of West Florida	Center for Behavior Analysis	Center for Behavior Analysis	--	Online	293	43%
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater	Education	ABA Graduate Certificate	--	Online	8	63%
Utah Valley University	Education	M.Ed. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Hybrid	18	89%
Vanderbilt University	Special Education	Special Education	--	On Campus	27	59%
Walden University	Psychology	M.S. in Psychology, Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) specialization	--	Online	27	15%
Wayne State University	Education	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	13	54%
Webster University	Education	Special Education Applied Behavior Analysis	--	Online	6*	50%
Western Connecticut State University	Educational Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis Program	--	Online	50	72%
Western Michigan University	Psychology	M.A. in Behavior Analysis	Accredited	On Campus	8	75%
Western New England University	Psychology	M.S. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus	26	88%
Western University	Education	Master of Professional Education in the Field of Applied Behaviour Analysis	--	Online	46	72%

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Institution	Department Name	Program Name	2025 ABAI Accreditation/ Recognition Status	Modality	# of First-Time Candidates	Pass Rate (%)
Westfield State University	Psychology	M.A. in Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	6*	50%
William James College	Psychology	Applied Behavior Analysis	--	On Campus and Online	10	40%
York College of Pennsylvania	Education	M.Ed. in Applied Behavior Analysis; ABA Certificate	--	Online	15	53%

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