



# BCBA Examination Pass Rates for Verified Course Sequences

## 2013-2018

These data represent the annual number of first-time candidates from each Verified Course Sequence, along with the percentage of those who passed. Candidates are included in a course sequence's pass-rate data if they used coursework entirely from that sequence to meet the eligibility requirements for certification. Data are not reported for (a) course sequences within their first 4 years of operation or (b) course sequences with fewer than 6 first-time candidates during the year. Combined data are reported for course sequences that had too few candidates in each year, but 6 or more across a 2-year period.

| Summary Statistics |                                 |                    |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Year               | Number of First-Time Candidates | Percentage Passing |
| 2018               | 6,096                           | 65%                |
| 2017               | 4,772                           | 65%                |
| 2016               | 4,096                           | 66%                |
| 2015               | 3,323                           | 65%                |
| 2014               | 4,590                           | 60%                |

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|---|-------|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   |       | 2018                                      | 2017      | 2016      | 2015      | 2014      |
| ABA Spain Madrid                        | 4316  | 18% (72)                                  | 25% (44)  | 27% (29)  | 33% (9)   | 11% (9)   |
| Antioch University                      | 4022  | 92% (12)                                  | 92% (12)  | 70% (10)  | *         | 83% (6)   |
| Arcadia University                      | 4088  | 29% (14)                                  | 32% (19)  | 38% (13)  | 18% (11)  | 39% (18)  |
| Arizona State University (distance)     | 4064  | 59% (501)                                 | 65% (329) | 61% (221) | 62% (120) | 54% (154) |
| Auburn University                       | 4001  | 100% (7)                                  | *         | 90% (10)  | 100% (10) | 92% (12)  |
| Aurora University                       | 4112  | 89% (19)                                  | 58% (12)  | 75% (12)  | N/A       |           |
| Ball State University                   | 4199  | 64% (627)                                 | 62% (456) | 61% (310) | 59% (201) | 55% (186) |
| Bangor University                       | 4335  | 83% (18)                                  | 78% (18)  | 71% (7)   | 67% (12)  | 67% (27)  |
| Bay Path University                     | 4191  | 86% (56)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Baylor University                       | 4084  | 93% (14)                                  | 85% (7)   | N/A       |           |           |
| Brandman University (distance)          | 4146  | 50% (22)                                  | 40% (10)  | 69% (13)  | N/A       |           |
| Briar Cliff University                  | 4116  | 83% (6)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Brock University                        | 4234  | 92% (73)                                  | 89% (57)  | 79% (38)  | 91% (23)  | 76% (71)  |
| Caldwell University                     | 4169  | 63% (16)                                  | 64% (11)  | 78% (27)  | 72% (18)  | 76% (21)  |
| California State University Fresno      | 4246  | 100% (8)                                  | *         |           |           | 54% (24)  |
| California State University Los Angeles | 4110  | 67% (21)                                  | 67% (18)  | 70% (17)  | 63% (24)  | 55% (42)  |
| California State University Northridge  | 4145  | 100% (16)                                 | 92% (13)  | 94% (36)  | 97% (32)  | 68% (37)  |
| California State University Sacramento  | 4172  | 90% (10)                                  |           | *         | 100% (8)  | 100% (7)  |

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| California State University San Marcos                                      | 4107  | 69% (16)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| California State University Stanislaus                                      | 4243  | 83% (6)                                   | 88% (8)   | *         | 100% (6)  | 86% (7)   |
| California University of Pennsylvania                                       | 4241  | 33% (6)                                   | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Cambridge College   | 4302  | 86% (29)                                  | 88% (17)  | 87% (32)  | 88% (16)  | 65% (17)  |
| Capella University  | 4140  | 43% (275)                                 | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Chapman University  | 4184  | 50% (10)                                  |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Chicago School of Professional Psychology                                   | 4142  | 65% (142)                                 | 71% (128) | 66% (96)  | 69% (72)  | 52% (148) |
| Clemson University  | 4087  | 31% (26)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Columbia University Teachers College  | 4301  | 80% (20)                                  | 71% (25)  | 74% (27)  | 69% (13)  | 57% (23)  |
| Eastern University  | 4434  | 43% (7)                                   |           | 82% (11)  | N/A       |           |
| Elms College  | 4008  | 43% (7)                                   | 54% (13)  | 50% (10)  | 72% (18)  | 50% (10)  |
| Endicott College  | 4159  | 63% (89)                                  | 73% (71)  | 76% (37)  | 76% (33)  | 67% (46)  |
| Fitchburg State University  | 4232  | 45% (11)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Florida Atlantic University   | 4374  | 86% (7)                                   |           | 75% (8)   | N/A       |           |
| Florida Institute of Technology<br>(distance - Certificate Program)         | 4038  | 78% (581)                                 | 74% (554) | 71% (631) | 76% (590) | 68% (932) |
| Florida Institute of Technology<br>(campus - Melbourne)                     | 4333  | 82% (22)                                  | 72% (18)  | 92% (26)  | 100% (15) | 74% (19)  |
| Florida Institute of Technology<br>(campus - Orlando)                       | 4334  | 88% (8)                                   | 100% (11) | N/A       |           |           |
| Florida Institute of Technology<br>(distance - Degree Program)              | 4413  | 89% (55)                                  | 79% (47)  | N/A       |           |           |
| Florida State University  | 4046  | 100% (21)                                 | 88% (17)  | 88% (17)  | 95% (20)  | 100% (16) |
| Fresno Pacific University   | 4251  | 50% (6)                                   | N/A       |           |           |           |
| George Mason University   | 4136  | 76% (62)                                  | 64% (47)  | 75% (56)  | 42% (19)  | 54% (41)  |
| Georgia State University  | 4127  | 78% (9)                                   | *         | N/A       |           |           |
| Georgian Court University   | 4073  | 53% (15)                                  | *         | 33% (12)  | N/A       |           |
| Gonzaga University  | 4236  | 75% (8)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Hofstra University  | 4218  | 50% (6)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Hunter College  | 4253  | 73% (22)                                  | 57% (23)  | 55% (31)  | 35% (26)  | 41% (39)  |
| Istituto Europeo per lo Studio del<br>Comportamento Umano (IESCUM)          | 4152  | 33% (9)                                   | 57% (7)   | 30% (10)  | 29% (17)  | 58% (26)  |
| Istituto per la Ricerca, la Formazione<br>e l'Informazione sulle Disabilità | 4149  | 40% (10)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Jacksonville State University   | 4015  | 83% (6)                                   | 80% (10)  |           | 56% (9)   | 67% (9)   |
| James Madison University  | 4122  | 89% (9)                                   | 100% (6)  | 100% (7)  | N/A       |           |
| Johns Hopkins University  | 4083  | 69% (13)                                  | 89% (9)   | N/A       |           |           |
| Kent State University   | 4242  | 75% (8)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |

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|  |       | 2018                                      | 2017      | 2016      | 2015      | 2014      |
| Kongju National University   | 4041  | 30% (10)                                  | 30% (10)  | N/A       |           |           |
| La Sierra University   | 4192  | 33% (6)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Lindenwood University  | 4175  | 47% (17)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Lipscomb University  | 4103  | 72% (18)                                  | 71% (21)  | N/A       |           |           |
| Long Island University   | 4203  | 30% (10)                                  | 63% (8)   | *         | 33% (6)   | 11% (9)   |
| Manhattanville College   | 4156  | *   |           | 33% (6)   | 47% (15)  | 40% (20)  |
| McNeese State University   | 4069  | 75% (16)                                  | 73% (11)  | *         | 50% (8)   | 73% (11)  |
| Mercyhurst University  | 4100  | 83% (6)                                   |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Michigan State University  | 4062  | 69% (13)                                  |           | N/A       |           |           |
| Montana State University Billings  | 4124  | 75% (8)                                   | 64% (11)  | 50% (6)   | 60% (10)  | *         |
| National University  | 4147  | 46% (207)                                 | 48% (126) | 38% (107) | 34% (131) | 32% (222) |
| National University of Ireland Galway  | 4297  | 100% (7)                                  | 100% (6)  | 100% (8)  | 86% (7)   | 94% (16)  |
| Nicholls State University  | 4217  | 60% (15)                                  | 67% (12)  | 70% (10)  | 67% (6)   | 45% (11)  |
| Northeastern University  | 4313  | 67% (6)                                   | *         |           |           | 50% (8)   |
| Northeastern University (distance)   | 4284  | 72% (18)                                  | 78% (33)  | 75% (8)   | N/A       |           |
| Northern Arizona University  | 4091  | 33% (12)                                  | *         |           | 80% (10)  | 56% (16)  |
| Northern Illinois University   | 4230  | 33% (6)                                   | 80% (10)  | N/A       |           |           |
| Nova Southeastern University<br>(distance, MS in Counseling)                 | 4166  | 39% (38)                                  | 51% (43)  | 48% (54)  | 43% (49)  | 50% (66)  |
| Nova Southeastern University<br>(distance, MS in Developmental Disabilities) | 4438  | 39% (18)                                  | 71% (7)   | N/A       |           |           |
| Oakland University   | 4096  | 67% (9)                                   | 85% (13)  | *         | N/A       |           |
| Ohio State University  | 4119  | 83% (6)                                   | *         | N/A       |           |           |
| Old Dominion University  | 4097  | 80% (10)                                  | *         | N/A       |           |           |
| Oregon Institute of Technology   | 4247  | 100% (9)                                  | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Our Sunny World  | 4079  | 50% (8)                                   | *         |           | N/A       |           |
| Pennsylvania State University  | 4027  | 54% (50)                                  | 79% (34)  | 62% (37)  | 53% (36)  | 47% (96)  |
| Pennsylvania State University Harrisburg                                     | 4011  | 75% (8)                                   | 80% (15)  | 56% (9)   | 100% (12) | *         |
| Philadelphia College of<br>Osteopathic Medicine                              | 4161  | 83% (6)                                   | *         |           | N/A       |           |
| Purdue Global University (Kaplan)  | 4139  | 40% (148)                                 | 35% (138) | 47% (104) | 38% (79)  | N/A       |
| Queens College (Education)   | 4225  | 67% (9)                                   | N/A       |           |           |           |
| Queens College (Psychology)  | 4285  | 100% (11)                                 | 85% (13)  | 50% (8)   | 71% (17)  | 54% (26)  |
| Queen's University Belfast   | 4042  | 92% (12)                                  | 90% (10)  | N/A       |           |           |
| Regis College  | 4047  | 78% (9)                                   | 100% (7)  | 89% (9)   | N/A       |           |
| Rider University   | 4115  | 67% (24)                                  | 53% (36)  | 53% (15)  | N/A       |           |
| Rowan University   | 4018  | 86% (7)                                   | 88% (17)  | 60% (15)  | 83% (12)  | 80% (20)  |
| Rutgers University   | 4033  | 93% (14)                                  | 82% (11)  | 81% (16)  | 83% (18)  | 59% (29)  |

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| Sage Colleges                          | 4021  | 72% (71)                                  | 68% (87)  | 67% (72)  | 59% (51)  | 62% (71) |
| Saint Cloud State University           | 4029  | 100% (21)                                 | 96% (24)  | 96% (29)  | 92% (24)  | 79% (43) |
| Saint Joseph's University (campus)     | 4034  | 42% (62)                                  | 43% (44)  | 45% (29)  | 27% (15)  | 44% (45) |
| Saint Joseph's University (distance)   | 4035  | 57% (7)                                   |           | 36% (11)  | 32% (22)  | 50% (6)  |
| Saint Louis University                 | 4055  | 86% (7)                                   | 100% (11) | 80% (10)  | 50% (6)   | N/A      |
| Salem State University                 | 4065  | 86% (7)                                   |           | *         | N/A       |          |
| Salve Regina University                | 4020  | 57% (21)                                  | 88% (16)  | 47% (17)  | N/A       |          |
| Sam Houston State University           | 4179  | 47% (15)                                  |           | N/A       |           |          |
| San Diego State University             | 4222  | 55% (11)                                  | 50% (12)  | *         | 82% (11)  | 42% (12) |
| Shenandoah University                  | 4118  | 18% (11)                                  |           | N/A       |           |          |
| Simmons University                     | 4237  | 85% (68)                                  | 83% (70)  | 81% (52)  | 80% (60)  | 79% (82) |
| Southern Connecticut State University  | 4258  | 83% (6)                                   | *         | 71% (7)   | 50% (6)   | 57% (7)  |
| Southern Illinois University           | 4249  | 49% (51)                                  | 78% (37)  | 77% (61)  | 71% (41)  | 56% (66) |
| St. Joseph's College                   | 4070  | 50% (14)                                  | 38% (8)   | N/A       |           |          |
| Tel Aviv University                    | 4372  | 60% (10)                                  |           | *         | 38% (8)   | *        |
| Temple University                      | 4004  | 86% (7)                                   | 43% (7)   |           | 87% (8)   | 70% (10) |
| Texas A&M University                   | 4061  | 63% (24)                                  | 57% (14)  | 46% (13)  | 71% (7)   | 54% (13) |
| Texas State University                 | 4126  | 56% (9)                                   | 89% (9)   | 83% (12)  | 100% (8)  | 54% (24) |
| Texas Tech University                  | 4111  | 47% (34)                                  | 50% (20)  | 43% (14)  | 25% (8)   | 35% (26) |
| Trinity Christian College              | 4085  | 83% (12)                                  | 50% (10)  | N/A       |           |          |
| University of Arizona                  | 4177  | 44% (9)                                   | N/A       |           |           |          |
| University of Arkansas                 | 4086  | 25% (8)                                   |           | N/A       |           |          |
| University of Auckland                 | 4063  | 100% (12)                                 |           | *         |           |          |
| University of British Columbia         | 4094  | 88% (16)                                  | 92% (12)  | 78% (9)   | 100% (10) | 81% (27) |
| University of California Los Angeles   | 4224  | 71% (7)                                   | N/A       |           |           |          |
| University of Central Oklahoma         | 4098  | 60% (10)                                  |           | *         | 43% (7)   |          |
| University of Cincinnati               | 4013  | 55% (183)                                 | 47% (158) | 55% (121) | 60% (63)  | 33% (43) |
| University of Colorado Denver          | 4181  | 73% (15)                                  | 58% (19)  | 64% (11)  | 67% (12)  | 70% (23) |
| University of Dublin Trinity College   | 4281  | 86% (7)                                   |           | *         | 71% (7)   |          |
| University of Georgia                  | 4123  | 79% (14)                                  | N/A       |           |           |          |
| University of Hawaii Manoa             | 4195  | 100% (9)                                  | N/A       |           |           |          |
| University of Houston Clear Lake       | 4133  | 91% (11)                                  | 100% (8)  | 86% (14)  | *         | 90% (10) |
| University of Houston Victoria         | 4054  | 71% (7)                                   |           | N/A       |           |          |
| University of Kansas                   | 4248  | 83% (6)                                   | *         |           |           |          |
| University of Kent                     | 4010  | 100% (8)                                  | 57% (7)   | 83% (6)   | N/A       |          |
| University of Kentucky                 | 4231  | 100% (6)                                  | *         |           | N/A       |          |

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| University of Louisville                | 4178  | 71% (7)                                   | *        |           | N/A       |           |
| University of Maryland Baltimore County | 4233  | 100% (7)                                  | 92% (12) | 100% (12) | 78% (9)   | 92% (13)  |
| University of Massachusetts Boston      | 4189  | 75% (12)                                  | 70% (10) | 55% (9)   | 39% (23)  | 45% (33)  |
| University of Massachusetts Dartmouth   | 4209  | 50% (10)                                  | *        | 57% (7)   | 86% (7)   | 82% (11)  |
| University of Massachusetts Lowell      | 4162  | 58% (45)                                  | 62% (52) | 73% (64)  | 67% (73)  | 51% (125) |
| University of Memphis                   | 4208  | 41% (17)                                  | 62% (13) | 70% (10)  | 13% (8)   | 47% (15)  |
| University of Missouri St. Louis        | 4244  | 82% (11)                                  | 75% (8)  | *         | N/A       |           |
| University of Nebraska                  | 4057  | 100% (6)                                  | 67% (6)  | 100% (7)  | 100% (7)  | N/A       |
| University of Nevada Reno (campus)      | 4322  | *   |          | 100% (8)  | 80% (10)  | *         |
| University of Nevada Reno (distance)    | 4292  | 44% (9)                                   | 28% (7)  | 100% (7)  | *         |           |
| University of New Mexico                | 4121  | 82% (11)                                  |          | N/A       |           |           |
| University of North Carolina Wilmington | 4289  | 100% (10)                                 | 100% (9) |           | 88% (8)   | *         |
| University of North Dakota              | 4090  | 70% (20)                                  | 67% (15) | N/A       |           |           |
| University of North Florida             | 4157  | 63% (8)                                   | *        | 71% (7)   | 38% (8)   | 64% (11)  |
| University of North Texas (campus)      | 4193  | 82% (11)                                  | 87% (15) | 68% (25)  | 82% (17)  | 89% (9)   |
| University of North Texas (distance)    | 4117  | 54% (115)                                 | 60% (83) | 64% (70)  | 55% (65)  | 54% (184) |
| University of Oklahoma                  | 4040  | 67% (6)                                   |          | N/A       |           |           |
| University of Pittsburgh                | 4194  | 67% (18)                                  | 71% (17) | 67% (9)   | 73% (11)  | 53% (15)  |
| University of Rochester                 | 4003  | 67% (9)                                   | 56% (9)  | *         | N/A       |           |
| University of Saint Joseph              | 4275  | 64% (28)                                  | 70% (27) | 75% (12)  | 65% (20)  | 64% (36)  |
| University of South Carolina            | 4049  | 50% (6)                                   | *        | N/A       |           |           |
| University of South Florida             | 4286  | 92% (52)                                  | 70% (10) | 72% (25)  | 78% (18)  | 93% (45)  |
| University of South Wales               | 4135  | 89% (9)                                   | 80% (10) | *         | 100% (10) | N/A       |
| University of Southern Maine            | 4074  | 75% (12)                                  | 54% (11) | N/A       |           |           |
| University of Texas Austin              | 4026  | 96% (23)                                  | 83% (24) | 82% (17)  | 76% (12)  | 67% (12)  |
| University of Texas Rio Grande Valley   | 4250  | *   |          | 71% (7)   |           | *         |
| University of Texas San Antonio         | 4176  | 65% (20)                                  | N/A      |           |           |           |
| University of the Pacific               | 4215  | *   |          | 100% (6)  |           | *         |
| University of Utah                      | 4260  | 79% (19)                                  | 58% (12) | *         | N/A       |           |
| University of Waikato                   | 4143  | 71% (7)                                   |          | N/A       |           |           |
| University of Washington                | 4106  | 81% (54)                                  | 85% (41) | 79% (39)  | 85% (46)  | 60% (50)  |
| University of West Florida              | 4043  | 56% (124)                                 | 63% (71) | 47% (81)  | 56% (86)  | 48% (112) |
| University of Wisconsin Milwaukee       | 4028  | 100% (9)                                  | 100% (6) | *         | N/A       |           |
| Utah State University                   | 4263  | 100% (11)                                 |          | *         | 88% (8)   | *         |
| Vanderbilt University                   | 4187  | 96% (26)                                  | 96% (27) | 94% (16)  | 76% (17)  | 86% (29)  |
| Virginia Commonwealth University        | 4093  | 43% (7)                                   |          | N/A       |           |           |

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| Wayne State University                 | 4060  | 67% (21)                                  | 45% (11) | N/A      |          |          |
| West Virginia University               | 4214  | 67% (6)                                   | N/A      |          |          |          |
| Western Connecticut State University   | 4077  | 66% (29)                                  | 50% (8)  | 63% (11) | N/A      |          |
| Western Michigan University            | 4197  | 97% (34)                                  | 87% (47) | 90% (31) | 80% (20) | 74% (23) |
| Western New England University         | 4012  | 87% (23)                                  | 96% (27) | 94% (36) | 86% (21) | 89% (27) |
| Western University                     | 4190  | 86% (35)                                  | N/A      |          |          |          |
| Westfield State University             | 4180  | *   | 92% (12) | 90% (10) | 92% (13) | 54% (13) |
| Yonsei University                      | 4165  | 38% (8)                                   | N/A      |          |          |          |

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