

# ANNUAL CAMPUS OUTCOME RATES

## Astrodome Career Centers

### NATIONAL ACCREDITATION OUTCOMES – COUNCIL ON OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

Enrollment: Annual Enrollment is the total number of students enrolled in the program at any time during the year reported.

Reporting Year: July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 (Rates Effective December 1, 2018)

Graduation Rate: Graduation Rate is the number of students who graduated during the reporting year, as a percentage of the sum of the total number of students who were enrolled in the program during the year, minus those who were still enrolled at the end of the reporting year.

Total Completion Rate: Total Completion Rate is sum of the number of students who graduated during the reporting year, plus non-graduate completers (those who left the program before graduation but have acquired sufficient competencies for employment in the field or related field as evidenced by employment), as a percentage of the total number of students who were enrolled in the program during the year, minus those who were still enrolled at the end of the reporting year.

Graduate Placement Rate: The Graduate Placement rate is a calculation of the number of graduating students who were employed in the field or related field for which they were trained by the program, as a percentage of all students who graduated from the program, not counting the sum of those unavailable for placement due to one of the following reasons, pregnancy, caring for ill family members, serious health-related issues (including death), plus those who are waiting for results or to take a credentialing exam which is required for employment in the field, plus those who have refused employment.

Total Placement Rate: The Total Placement rate is a calculation of the sum of the number of graduate and non-graduate completer students who were employed in the field or related field for which they were trained by the program, as a percentage of the sum of all students who graduated from the program, plus non-graduate completers, not counting the sum of those unavailable for placement due to one of the following reasons, pregnancy, caring for ill family members, serious health-related issues (including death), plus those who are waiting for results or to take a credentialing exam which is required for employment in the field, plus those who have refused employment.

Program	Award	Enrollment	Graduation Rate	Total Completion Rate	Graduate Placement Rate	Total Placement Rate
Dental Assisting-300	Certificate	119	99%	99%	72%	72%
Medical Assistant	Certificate	48	95%	95%	72%	72%

### STATE REGULATORY OUTCOMES - TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION, CAREER SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Enrollment: Annual Enrollment is the total number of students enrolled in the program at any time during the year reported.

Reporting Year: September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018 (Rates Effective April 10, 2019)

Completion Rate: Completion Rate is the number of students who graduated as a percentage of all students who left school, not counting those who left because they entered other post-secondary education program, the military, or incarceration; or died.

Placement Rate: The placement rate is a calculation of the number of graduating students who were employed in an field that they were trained in by the program, and actually placed in those jobs by the school, as a percentage of all students who graduated from the program, not counting those who entered another post-secondary education program or the military, or were incarcerated, or died.

Employment Rate: The employment rate is a calculation of the number of graduating students who were employed in the field that they were trained for by the program, as a percentage of all students who graduated from the program, not counting those who entered another post-secondary education program or the military, or were incarcerated, or died.

Program	Award	Annual Enrollment	Graduates	Completion Rate	Placement Rate	Employment Rate
Dental Assisting-300	Certificate	126	97	100%	67.01%	69.07%
Medical Assistant	Certificate	67	22	100%	59.09%	63.42%

### STUDENT RIGHT-TO-KNOW RATES (RATES EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018)

#### **OVERALL GRADUATION RATE FOR STUDENTS WHO BEGAN THEIR STUDIES IN 2014-15 IS 98%**

The overall graduation rate is also known as the "Student Right to Know" or IPEDS graduation rate. It tracks the progress of students who began their studies as **full-time, first-time degree- or certificate-seeking students** to see if they complete a degree or other award such as a certificate within 150% of "normal time" for completing the program in which they are enrolled.

Note that not all students at the institution are tracked for these rates. Students who have already attended another postsecondary institution, or who began their studies on a part-time basis, are not tracked for this rate.

## GRADUATION RATES BY TIME OF COMPLETION

Graduation rates can be measured over different lengths of time. "Normal time" is the typical amount of time it takes full-time students to complete their program. For example, the "normal" amount of time for many associate's degree programs is 2 years. Not all students complete within the normal time, so graduation rates are measured by other lengths of time as well, including "150% of normal time" (e.g., 3 years for a 2-year program) and "200% of normal time," or twice as long as the normal time (e.g., 4 years for a 2-year program).

BEGAN PROGRAM IN:	GRADUATED WITHIN "NORMAL TIME" FOR THE PROGRAM	GRADUATED WITHIN 150% OF "NORMAL TIME" TO COMPLETE PROGRAM	GRADUATED WITHIN TWICE AS LONG AS "NORMAL TIME" FOR THE PROGRAM
2013-2014	67%	98%	98%
2014-2015	45%	97%	N/A

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional detail regarding ACC's graduation and retention rates, including the retention rate for certificate- or degree-seeking first-time, full-time undergraduate students as reported to the U.S. Department of Education via the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), please see the College Navigator (and particularly the "Retention and Graduation Rates" link)

at: <http://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=Astrodome+Career+Centers&s=all&id=379746>