



2022-23
**GRADUATES
AT WORK REPORT**

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Executive Summary

Mid-Plains Community College had 366 graduates receive 398 awards during the 2021-22 academic year; 294 associate degrees, 69 diplomas, and 35 certificates. 63.1% of graduates resided in the 18-county service area and, overall, 77.9% were from Nebraska. 263 graduates completed a graduate survey and 34 out of 86 employers completed a graduate employer survey. Response rate for the graduate survey was 71.9% and the response rate for the employer survey was 39.5%.

In the College-Wide Summary of Technical Graduates at Work, 65% of respondents were either employed in a training related field or continuing their education, (N=96). 86% of Transfer Education Graduate respondents were also continuing their education (N=107). Of the 357 MPCC graduates with social security numbers on record, 227 of them were employed in Nebraska, (64%). The Nebraska Department of Labor has provided MPCC with many tables of graduate outcomes employment and wage data, which is contained in the following report.

Mid-Plains Community College is continuing to *transform lives through exceptional learning opportunities for individual student success* and helping to provide quality personnel for industries and employers in southwest and west-central Nebraska and beyond.

Introduction: Each year the college conducts a graduate survey in order to assess academic outcomes and gather information on employment secured by graduates. This survey is completed by students immediately upon successful completion of their program of study and the results are presented here in the *Graduates at Work Report*, as well as the *Graduate Exit Survey Report* and the *Student Experience Report*. The Graduate Survey was designed by the MPCC Office of Institutional Research and Planning, with the help of the MPCC Career Services Center, and contains questions from the following categories:

- ❖ General demographic information
- ❖ Information regarding graduates' future-plans
- ❖ Employment information, and
- ❖ Evaluation of college services

The Graduate Employer Survey includes information provided to MPCC by employers of students who completed the Graduate Survey and gave permission to contact them. Employer feedback is included in this report in order to ascertain the impact of students' education on their careers. Employers were not asked any questions pertaining to wage, length of employment, or hire date. Both survey instruments are available on request.

The report also includes Nebraska Department of Labor wage data on our graduates.

Any questions regarding this report may be directed to the MPCC Office of Institutional Research and Planning at 1101 Halligan Dr., North Platte, NE 69101, 308-535-3685, or ir@mpcc.edu.

Technical Graduates at Work—Facts and Figures

APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES DIVISION

2021-22 Technical Graduates at Work								
Program/Discipline	Auto Body	Automotive	Building Construction	Diesel	Electrical	HVAC	Welding	Totals
# Awards	5	14	8	12	15	4	7	65
# Grads	5	14	8	9	15	2	7	58
# Respondents (RSP)*	0	4	6	7	4	2	5	27
Response Rate	0%	29%	75%	78%	27%	100%	71%	47%
Total # RSP Employed	N/A	3	6	4	4	2	4	23
# of RSP with Training Related Info	0	1	5	4	3	1	4	18
# Employed RSP in Training Related Jobs	0	1	3	2	4	1	3	14
% Employed RSP in Training Related Jobs	N/A	33%	50%	50%	100%	50%	75%	61%
# Employed RSP in Non-Training Related Jobs	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	6
% Employed RSP in Non-Training Related Jobs	N/A	0%	33%	50%	0%	50%	25%	26%
# RSP Seeking Employment Only	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
# RSP Continuing Education	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	6
# RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	0	1	6	2	4	2	4	19
% RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	N/A	25%	100%	29%	100%	100%	80%	70%
*Graduates who completed the 2021-22 Graduate Survey. **Some RSP may be employed and continuing their education. They were only counted once in the total.								

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022).

BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

2021-22 Technical Graduates at Work					
Program/Discipline	Business	Business Technology	Graphic Design	Information Technology & Personal Computers	Totals
# Awards	39	7	5	2	53
# Grads	37	5	4	2	46
# Respondents (RSP)*	24	3	4	2	33
Response Rate	65%	60%	100%	100%	72%
Total # RSP Employed	16	2	4	1	23
# of RSP with Training Related Info	7	1	4	1	13
# RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	3	1	2	0	6
% RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	19%	50%	50%	0%	26%
# RSP Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	13	1	2	1	17
% RSP Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	81%	50%	50%	100%	74%
# RSP Seeking Employment Only	1	0	0	1	2
# RSP Continuing Education	9	1	3	1	14
# RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	12	2	3	1	18
% RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education**	50%	67%	75%	50%	55%

*Note: Graduates who completed the 2021-22 Graduate Survey. ***Some RSP may be employed and continuing their education. They were only counted once in the total.

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022).

46 Business and Technology graduates earned 53 awards during the 2021-22 academic year.

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS DIVISION

2021-22 Technical Graduates at Work							
Program/Discipline	Associate Degree in Nursing (RN)	Dental Assisting	Emergency Medical Services	Fire Science Technology	Licensed Practical Nursing Diploma (LPN)	Medical Laboratory Technology	Totals
# Awards	23	10	20	0	19	5	77
# Grads	23	10	20	0	19	5	77
# Respondents (RSP)*	18	10	1	0	5	5	36
Response Rate	78%	100%	5%	0%	26%	100%	47%
Total # RSP Employed	14	4	1	0	5	3	27
# of RSP with Training Related Info	14	4	1	0	5	3	27
# RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	10	0	1	0	5	3	19
% RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	71%	0%	100%	0%	100%	100%	70%
# RSP Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	4	4	0	0	0	0	8
% RSP Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	29%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	30%
# RSP Seeking Employment Only	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
# RSP Continuing Education	2	3	0	0	2	0	7
# RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education**	11	3	1	0	5	3	23
% RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	61%	30%	100%	0%	100%	60%	64%

*Note: Graduates who completed the 2021-22 Graduate Survey. **Some RSP may be employed and continuing their education. They were only counted once in the total.

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022).

77 Health Occupations graduates earned 77 awards during the academic year 2021-22.

College-Wide Summary of Technical Graduates at Work

2021-22 College-Wide Summary-Technical Graduates at Work				
Division	Applied Technology	Business & Technology	Health Occupations	Technical Graduate Totals
# Awards	65	53	77	195
# Grads	58	46	77	181**
# Respondents (RSP)*	27	33	36	96**
Response Rate	47%	72%	47%	53%
Total # RSP Employed	23	23	27	73
# of RSP with Training Related Info	18	13	27	58
# RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	17	6	19	42
% RSP Employed in Training Related Jobs	74%	26%	70%	44%
# RSP* Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	6	17	8	31
% RSP Employed in Non-Training Related Jobs	26%	74%	30%	42%
# RSP Seeking Employment Only	2	2	2	6
# RSP Continuing Education	6	14	7	27
# RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	21	18	23	62
% RSP Employed in a Training Related Field or Continuing Education	78%	55%	64%	65%

*Note: Graduates who completed the 2021-22 Graduate Survey. **Some RSP may be employed and continuing their education. They were only counted once in the total. Some graduates received an award in more than one field.

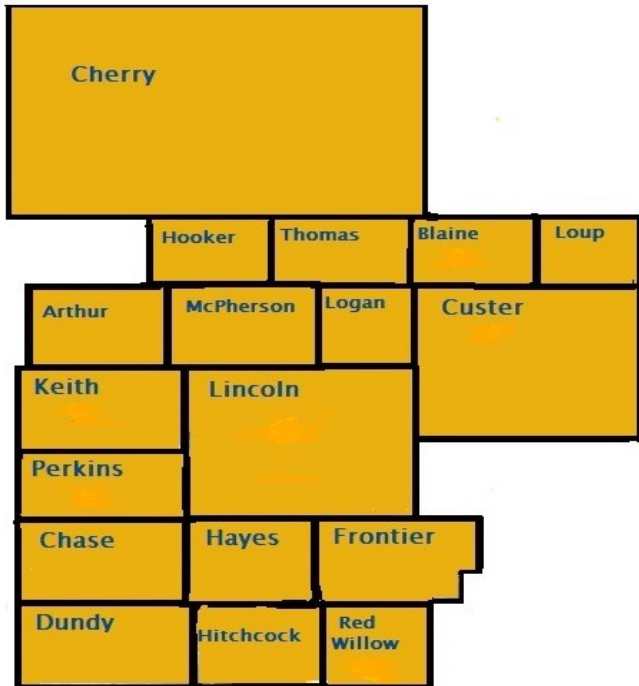
Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022).

181 MPCC technical graduates earned 195 awards during the academic year 2021-22.

Technical Graduates Employment Summary (Self-reported data)

The following information is from technical program graduates responding to the employment location section (N=64) of the Graduate Survey.

Map 1. 2021-22 MPCC Technical Graduates Employed in the 18-County Service Area



Technical Graduates Employed	No.	Percent
In 18-County Service Area	52	81%
Inside Nebraska but Outside Service Area	9	14%
Outside of Nebraska	3	5%
Total	64	100%

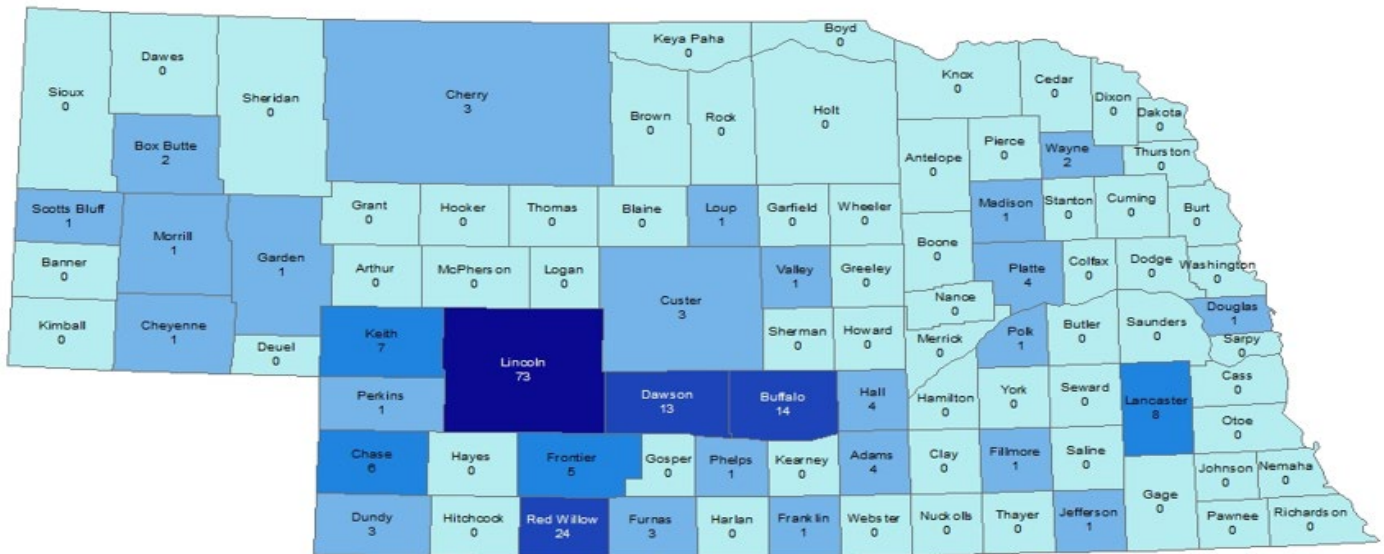
Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022).

MPCC Graduates Employment Summary

The following information is from the Nebraska Department of Labor. It includes MPCC Graduates working in the 4th quarter 2022, (N=192). 35 graduates working in Nebraska had no county associated with them.

Map 2. 2021–2022 MPCC Graduates Employed in Nebraska

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).



MPCC 21-22 Graduates by County of Employment



Transfer Graduates—Facts and Figures

2021-22 Transfer Education Graduates at Work	
Program/Discipline	Transfer Education
# Awards	202
# Grads	195**
# Respondents (RSP)*	107
Response Rate	55%
# RSP Continuing Education	92
% RSP Continuing Education	86%

*Note: Graduates who completed the 2021-22 Graduate Survey. **Some graduates earned awards in more than one field.

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2021-22 Graduate Survey (10/12/2022)

Nebraska Department of Labor—Graduate Outcomes Employment & Wage Data Wages Over Time

(Degree 1=Certificate, Degree 2=Diploma, Degree 3=Associate)

Field of Study	Degree Level	Graduate Cohort	Working in NE Q1 2021	Average Wages Q1 2021	Working in NE Q2 2021	Average Wages Q2 2021	Working in NE Q3 2021	Average Wages Q3 2021	Working in NE Q4 2021	Average Wages Q4 2021
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	Under 1 Year	1	0	***	0	***	1	***	1	***
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	1 to 2 Year	6	4	\$8,158	7	\$5,374	5	\$8,478	4	\$8,864
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	Under 1 Year	1	0	***	0	***	1	***	0	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	1 to 2 Year	1	2	***	2	***	1	***	1	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	Associates	3	1	***	1	***	1	***	1	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	Under 1 Year	1	1	***	2	***	1	***	0	***
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	1 to 2 Year	1	1	***	1	***	0	***	0	***
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	Associates	2	1	***	2	***	2	***	1	***
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	Under 1 Year	1	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***
Business Administration and Management, General	Associates	27	22	\$5,907	21	\$6,837	25	\$6,331	21	\$7,920
Business Administration and Management, General	Under 1 Year	12	3	***	6	\$3,309	8	\$5,546	9	\$6,994
Child Care and Support Services Management	Associates	1	2	***	2	***	2	***	2	***
Child Care and Support Services Management	Under 1 Year	1	1	***	2	***	2	***	1	***
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	Associates	9	5	\$2,233	10	\$2,109	11	\$8,163	11	\$9,246
Commercial and Advertising Art	1 to 2 Year	2	2	***	2	***	4	\$1,925	4	\$2,918
Commercial and Advertising Art	Associates	2	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***
Commercial and Advertising Art	Under 1 Year	8	10	\$1,706	12	\$1,919	7	\$2,059	8	\$1,892
Computer and Information Sciences, General	Associates	4	3	***	3	***	3	***	4	\$8,054
Dental Assisting/Assistant	1 to 2 Year	6	3	***	4	\$3,198	5	\$3,509	4	\$5,150
Dental Assisting/Assistant	Associates	12	9	\$4,698	11	\$3,801	12	\$4,948	10	\$6,713
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	1 to 2 Year	11	8	\$3,487	10	\$4,834	9	\$7,853	6	\$10,682
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	Associates	1	1	***	1	***	1	***	1	***
Electrician	1 to 2 Year	6	6	\$6,356	7	\$5,839	5	\$6,888	8	\$5,608
Electrician	Associates	7	6	\$8,951	9	\$7,118	9	\$7,304	7	\$8,032
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	1 to 2 Year	7	2	***	1	***	1	***	0	***
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	Associates	7	1	***	0	***	0	***	0	***
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance	1 to 2 Year	9	9	\$3,456	11	\$3,483	10	\$6,521	11	\$6,896
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance	Associates	3	0	***	1	***	1	***	1	***
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	Associates	3	2	***	2	***	2	***	3	***
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	Associates	174	114	\$3,533	145	\$3,263	151	\$3,492	118	\$4,510
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	1 to 2 Year	40	48	\$5,115	46	\$5,575	50	\$6,195	50	\$6,824
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	Associates	33	27	\$5,185	31	\$4,310	36	\$9,055	35	\$13,937
Welding Technology/Welder	1 to 2 Year	5	5	\$3,877	7	\$4,008	8	\$4,885	5	\$7,332
Welding Technology/Welder	Associates	6	3	***	3	***	5	\$3,276	3	***

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).

***Wages were not reported if there were less than 4 graduates in a category.

2021-22 Graduates Working in Nebraska

(Degree 1=Certificate, Degree 2=Diploma, Degree 3=Associate)

Field of Study	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	Q1 2023
	Working in NE Q2 2022	Working in NE Q3 2022	Working in NE Q4 2022	Working in NE Q1 2023
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	3	3	3	3
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician, Associates	1	0	0	0
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	4	3	3	3
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, Associates	3	3	3	3
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, Under 1 Year	3	3	4	4
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other, 1 to 2 Year	2	2	2	2
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other, Associates	3	4	1	2
Business Administration and Management, General, Associates	18	17	18	19
Business Administration and Management, General, Under 1 Year	7	7	7	7
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician, Associates	2	4	4	4
Commercial and Advertising Art, Associates	1	1	1	1
Commercial and Advertising Art, Under 1 Year	3	3	2	2
Computer and Information Sciences, General, Associates	2	2	2	2
Computer and Information Sciences, General, Under 1 Year	1	1	1	1
Dental Assisting/Assistant, 1 to 2 Year	5	8	9	8
Dental Assisting/Assistant, Associates	1	1	1	1
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	4	4	4	4
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, Associates	2	2	2	2
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, Under 1 Year	1	1	1	1
Electrician, 1 to 2 Year	3	3	3	2
Electrician, Associates	10	9	9	9
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic), 1 to 2 Year	2	2	2	2
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic), Associates	3	3	2	3
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technician, 1 to 2 Year	1	1	1	1
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technician, Associates	1	1	1	1
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology, Associates	1	1	1	1
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies, Associates	112	111	96	98
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies, Under 1 Year	1	1	1	1
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training, 1 to 2 Year	15	16	14	16
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse, Associates	16	21	20	21
Welding Technology/Welder, 1 to 2 Year	4	5	5	5
Welding Technology/Welder, Associates	1	1	1	2

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).

2021-22 Graduates Wages

(Degree 1=Certificate, Degree 2=Diploma, Degree 3=Associate)

Field of Study	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	Q1 2023
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	***	***	***	***
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician, Associates	***	***	***	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	\$6,993	***	***	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, Associates	***	***	***	***
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician, Under 1 Year	***	***	\$3,389	\$5,836
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other, 1 to 2 Year	***	***	***	***
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other, Associates	***	\$4,410	***	***
Business Administration and Management, General, Associates	\$6,307	\$8,676	\$7,549	\$8,068
Business Administration and Management, General, Under 1 Year	\$8,559	\$8,740	\$8,727	\$7,814
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician, Associates	***	\$5,942	\$8,325	\$9,777
Commercial and Advertising Art, Associates	***	***	***	***
Commercial and Advertising Art, Under 1 Year	***	***	***	***
Computer and Information Sciences, General, Associates	***	***	***	***
Computer and Information Sciences, General, Under 1 Year	***	***	***	***
Dental Assisting/Assistant, 1 to 2 Year	\$972	\$4,848	\$5,435	\$5,634
Dental Assisting/Assistant, Associates	***	***	***	***
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, 1 to 2 Year	\$6,457	\$9,005	\$11,536	\$11,400
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, Associates	***	***	***	***
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician, Under 1 Year	***	***	***	***
Electrician, 1 to 2 Year	***	***	***	***
Electrician, Associates	\$8,750	\$9,977	\$9,214	\$11,402
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic), 1 to 2 Year	***	***	***	***
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic), Associates	***	***	***	***
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/T	***	***	***	***
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/T	***	***	***	***
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology, Associates	***	***	***	***
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies, Associates	\$4,871	\$5,476	\$5,990	\$5,941
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies, Under 1 Year	***	***	***	***
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training, 1 to 2 Year	\$4,891	\$7,437	\$8,206	\$8,543
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse, Associates	\$4,974	\$14,757	\$16,386	\$17,010
Welding Technology/Welder, 1 to 2 Year	\$4,097	\$8,714	\$8,296	\$9,296
Welding Technology/Welder, Associates	***	***	***	***

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).

***Wages were not reported if there were less than 4 graduates in a category.

Demographics:

Mid-Plains Community College	Total	Female	Male	White, Non-Hispanic	Minority	Black, Non-Hispanic	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic or Latino	Two or More Races
Number of Graduates	357	210	147	316	60	13	1	2	0	37	13
Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	227	151	76	209	26	4	0	2	0	14	6
Percent of Graduates Working in Nebraska	64%	72%	52%	66%	43%	31%	0	100%	0	38%	46%
Average Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$8,331	\$8,103	\$8,785	\$8,413	\$6,710	\$7,009	***	***	***	\$5,393	\$10,977
Median Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$7,952	\$7,130	\$9,159	\$7,965	\$6,071	\$6,119	***	***	***	\$5,236	\$10,690
Certificates of less than 1-year											
Number of Graduates	21	10	11	19	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	15	8	7	14	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Percent of Graduates Working in Nebraska	71%	80%	64%	74%	50%	0	0	0	0	50%	0
Average Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$7,825	\$7,613	\$8,068	\$8,365	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Median Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$9,122	\$7,870	\$9,329	\$9,225	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Certificates of 1 but less than 2-years											
Number of Graduates	66	30	36	63	5	2	0	0	0	3	0
Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	46	25	21	44	4	1	0	0	0	3	0
Percent of Graduates Working in Nebraska	70%	83%	58%	70%	80%	50%	0	0	0	100%	0
Average Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$8,642	\$7,950	\$9,466	\$8,675	\$8,627	***	***	***	***	***	***
Median Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$8,449	\$6,874	\$8,989	\$8,449	\$7,992	***	***	***	***	***	***
Associate's Degree											
Number of Graduates	270	170	100	234	53	11	1	2	0	32	13
Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	166	118	48	151	21	3	0	2	0	10	6
Percent of Graduates Working in Nebraska	61%	69%	48%	65%	40%	27%	0	100%	0	31%	46%
Average Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$8,291	\$8,169	\$8,591	\$8,341	\$6,651	***	***	***	***	\$4,972	\$10,977
Median Quarterly Wage for All Graduates	\$7,610	\$7,155	\$8,925	\$7,646	\$5,205	***	***	***	***	\$4,842	\$10,690

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).
 ***Wages were not reported if there were less than 4 graduates in a category.

Graduates by Industry:

Employing Industry	Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	Average Quarterly Earnings
Accommodation and Food Services	17	\$6,578
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	5	\$7,560
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	3	***
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1	***
Construction	18	\$8,607
Educational Services	20	\$5,719
Finance and Insurance	3	***
Health Care and Social Assistance	81	\$9,556
Information	1	***
Management of Companies and Enterprises	2	***
Manufacturing	12	\$11,598
Other Services (except Public Administration)	7	\$7,591
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	5	\$5,608
Public Administration	11	\$12,311
Retail Trade	4	\$4,072
Transportation and Warehousing	4	\$5,853
Unknown	27	\$6,181
Wholesale Trade	6	\$8,835

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).

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Industry Crosstab: (Degree 1=Certificate, Degree 2=Diploma, Degree 3=Associate)

Field of Study	CIP Code	Degree	Graduates	Graduates Working in Nebraska	Average Quarterly Earnings	Accommodation and Food Services	Administrative and Support Activities Management and Remediation	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	Construction	Educational Services	Finance and Insurance	Health Care and Social Assistance	Management of Companies and Enterprises	Manufacturing	Other Services (except Public Administration)	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	Public Administration	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	Retail Trade	Transportation and Warehousing	Unknown	Utilities	Wholesale Trade
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	520401	1	1	1	***								1											
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	470603	1	1	0	***																			
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	470603	2	6	4	\$10,571					1					1	2								
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	470604	1	1	1	***					1														
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	470604	2	1	1	***							1												
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	470604	3	3	0	***																	1		
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	460499	1	1	0	***																			
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	460499	2	1	0	***																			
Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	460499	3	2	1	***						1													
Business Administration and Management, General	520201	1	12	7	\$8,387	1			1	1	1		3											
Business Administration and Management, General	520201	3	27	12	\$8,382				2	1		1	4	1		2	1					1	2	4
Child Care and Support Services Management	190708	1	1	1	***								1											
Child Care and Support Services Management	190708	3	1	1	***													1						
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	511004	3	9	8	\$9,987								8									1		
Commercial and Advertising Art	500402	1	8	5	\$3,298	2									2		1					2		
Commercial and Advertising Art	500402	2	2	2	***												2							
Commercial and Advertising Art	500402	3	2	0	***																			
Computer and Information Sciences, General	110101	3	4	2	***										2									
Dental Assisting/Assistant	510601	2	6	3	***	1							2											
Dental Assisting/Assistant	510601	3	12	9	\$6,959								9											
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	470605	2	11	3	***		1	1							1									1
Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	470605	3	1	0	***																			
Electrician	460302	2	6	3	***					1					2									1
Electrician	460302	3	7	5	\$9,906	1	1			2					1							1		
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	510904	2	7	0	***																			
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	510904	3	7	0	***																			
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician	470201	2	9	6	\$9,078					6												2		
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician	470201	3	3	2	***					2														
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	470303	3	3	3	***										3									
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	240101	3	174	68	\$5,538	8	2	1	4	1	10	5	27	3	4	2		1	1	7	2	15		6
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	513901	2	40	35	\$9,630								33	1										
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	513801	3	33	28	\$15,019								28											
Welding Technology/Welder	480508	2	5	3	***	1		1		1														
Welding Technology/Welder	480508	3	6	2	***			1							1									

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).
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WAGES BY FIELD OF STUDY:

(Degree 1=Certificate, Degree 2=Diploma, Degree 3=Associate)

Institution	Field of Study	Cip	Degree	Total Graduates	Graduates Working in Nebraska	Percentage of Graduates Working in Nebraska	Average Quarterly Earnings
Mid-Plains Community College	Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	3	1 to 2 Year	3	3	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	3	Associates	2	0	0.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	4	1 to 2 Year	7	3	42.9%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	4	Associates	3	3	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	4	Under 1 Year	4	4	100.0%	\$5,836
Mid-Plains Community College	Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	9	1 to 2 Year	3	2	66.7%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Building/Construction Finishing, Management, and Inspection, Other	9	Associates	5	2	40.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Business Administration and Management, General	1	Associates	26	19	73.1%	\$8,068
Mid-Plains Community College	Business Administration and Management, General	1	Under 1 Year	10	7	70.0%	\$7,814
Mid-Plains Community College	Child Care and Support Services Management	8	Under 1 Year	1	0	0.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	4	Associates	5	4	80.0%	\$9,777
Mid-Plains Community College	Commercial and Advertising Art	2	Associates	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Commercial and Advertising Art	2	Under 1 Year	3	2	66.7%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Computer and Information Sciences, General	1	Associates	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Dental Assisting/Assistant	1	1 to 2 Year	9	8	88.9%	\$5,634
Mid-Plains Community College	Dental Assisting/Assistant	1	Associates	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	5	1 to 2 Year	5	4	80.0%	\$11,400
Mid-Plains Community College	Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	5	Associates	2	1	50.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Diesel Mechanics Technology/Technician	5	Under 1 Year	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Electrician	2	1 to 2 Year	4	2	50.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Electrician	2	Associates	10	9	90.0%	\$11,402
Mid-Plains Community College	Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	4	1 to 2 Year	11	2	18.2%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	4	Associates	9	3	33.3%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician	1	1 to 2 Year	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician	1	Under 1 Year	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology	3	Associates	1	1	100.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	1	Associates	179	98	54.7%	\$5,941
Mid-Plains Community College	Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	1	Under 1 Year	1	0	0.0%	****
Mid-Plains Community College	Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	1	1 to 2 Year	18	16	88.9%	\$8,543
Mid-Plains Community College	Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	1	Associates	23	21	91.3%	\$17,010
Mid-Plains Community College	Welding Technology/Welder	8	1 to 2 Year	5	5	100.0%	\$9,296
Mid-Plains Community College	Welding Technology/Welder	8	Associates	2	2	100.0%	****

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Kermit Spade, (06/21/2023).

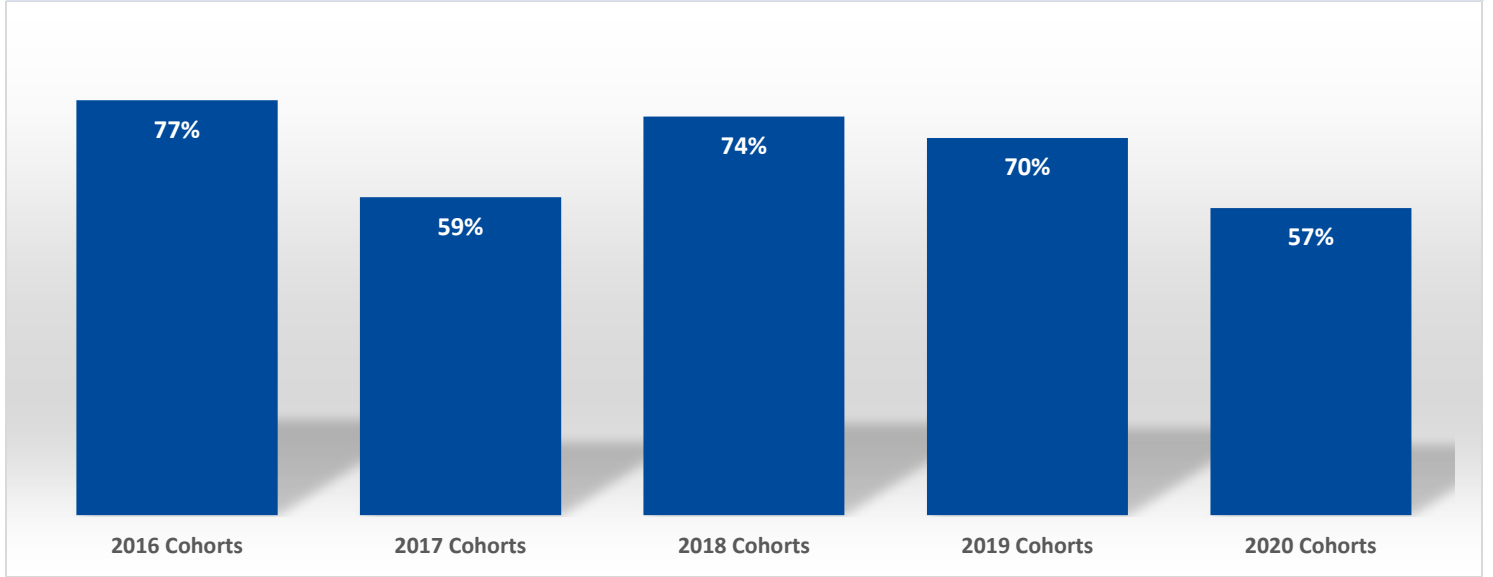
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Technical Programs Licensing and Testing Pass Rates

Accelerated Paramedic Program Completers

2015-2019 Accelerated Paramedic Program Completers										
	2017 Cohorts		2018 Cohorts		2019 Cohorts		2020 Cohorts		2021 Cohorts	
	# Enrolled	# Completed	# Enrolled	# Completed	# Enrolled	# Completed	# Enrolled	# Completed	# Enrolled	# Completed
January	10	7	11	10	8	8	11	5	7	4
May	8	5	11	8	10	7	N/A	N/A*	7	5
August	11	5	12	7	12	6	10	7	10	4
Total	29	17	34	25	30	21	21	12	24	13
Completion Rate	59%		74%		70%		57%		54%	

*Class was cancelled due to COVID



Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; 2020-21 Graduate Survey (02/8/2022).

NEBRASKA BOARD OF NURSING/ NCLEX-RN PASS RATES 2018-2022

	2018			2019			2020			2021			2022		
National Pass Rate	88.30%			88.18%			86.58%			82.48%			79.91%		
Nebraska Pass Rate	92.39%			91.04%			90.07%			89.89%			86.33%		
	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed
Associate Degree Programs															
Central Community College	65	59	90.77%	74	65	87.84%	101	75	74.26%	50	46	92%	79	62	78.48%
Purdue University Global-Lincoln	22	18	81.82%	26	22	84.62%	37	29	78.38%	24	18	75%	21	16	76.19%
Metro Community College	67	59	88.06%	87	77	88.51%	64	50	78.13%	55	48	87.27%	69	58	84.06%
Mid-Plains Community College	25	17	68%	28	19	67.86%	22	13	59.09%	33	19	57.58%	23	19	82.61%
Northeast Community College	28	26	92.86%	46	41	89.13%	35	32	91.43%	36	35	97.22%	36	30	83.33%
Southeast Community College	56	47	83.93%	65	58	89.23%	51	40	78.43%	27	22	81.48%	55	46	83.64%
Western Nebraska Community College	24	21	87.50%	25	23	92%	19	17	89.47%	22	18	81.82%	21	17	80.95%

Percentages shown in red font are below the National Average

All pass rates are for first-time candidates taking the NCLEX registered nursing (RN) exam. Schools represented are those offering registered nursing (RN) programs-either an Associate Degree in Nursing or a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). The NCLEX-RN national passing standard will remain at the current level of 0.00 logits that was instituted April 1, 2016. This standard will remain in effect through March 31, 2022. A logit is a measurement to report relative differences between candidate ability estimates and item difficulties. Data is based on aggregate results from National Council of State Boards of Nursing and may contain errors due to miscoding candidates. Current pass rates should be obtained from the program directly.

NEBRASKA BOARD OF NURSING/ NCLEX-LPN PASS RATES 2018-2022

	2018			2019			2020			2021			2022		
National Pass Rate	85.93%			85.63%			83.09%			79.60%			79.93%		
Nebraska Pass Rate	94.49%			87.41%			89.24%			89.86%			88.73%		
	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed	# Taking exam	# Passed	% Passed
Licensed Practical Nurse Programs															
Central Community College	28	28	100%	42	39	95.12%	32	32	100%	58	57	98.28%	40	38	95%
College of St. Mary	18	16	88.89%	18	12	66.67%	12	11	91.67%	19	16	84.21%	27	27	100%
Metro Community College	29	29	100%	40	40	100%	32	32	100%	41	38	92.68%	38	38	100%
Mid-Plains Community College	14	14	100%	18	15	83.33%	23	22	95.65%	16	16	100%	19	18	94.74%
Northeast Community College	37	37	100%	32	31	96.88%	35	35	100%	37	37	100%	35	33	94.29%
Southeast Community College	79	72	91.14%	85	69	81.18%	56	39	69.64%	96	80	83.33%	95	72	75.79%
Western Nebraska Community College	28	24	85.71%	29	26	89.66%	30	25	83.33%	26	20	76.92%	18	17	94.44%

Percentages shown in red font are below the National Average

All pass rates are for first-time candidates taking the NCLEX practical nursing (PN) exam. Schools represented are those offering practical nursing (PN) programs. The NCLEX-PN national passing standard was raised April 1, 2014 from -.027 to -.021 logits. This new standard will remain in effect through March 31, 2020. The new passing standard is -.018 logits, which will take effect April 1, 2020. A logit is a measurement to report relative differences between candidate ability estimates and item difficulties. Data is based on aggregate results from National Council of State Boards of Nursing and may contain errors due to miscoding candidates. Current pass rates should be obtained from the program directly.

National Automotive Student Skills Standards Assessment 2017-18 through 2021-22

2017-18 Academic Year (7 Tested)	Suspension & Steering	Brakes	Electrical and Electronic Systems	Engine Performance	Engine Repair	Automatic Transmission and Transaxle	Manual Drive Train and Axles	Heating & Air Cond.	Maintenance & Light Repair	Automobile Service Technology
% Examinees Passing	57%	57%	42%	43%	71%	57%	100%	71%	100%	86%
2018-19 Academic Year (10 Tested)	Suspension & Steering	Brakes	Electrical and Electronic Systems	Engine Performance	Engine Repair	Automatic Transmission and Transaxle	Manual Drive Train and Axles	Heating & Air Cond.	Maintenance & Light Repair	Automobile Service Technology
% Examinees Passing	90%	90%	90%	90%	100%	80%	90%	100%	100%	100%
2019-20 Academic Year (0 Tested)	Suspension & Steering	Brakes	Electrical and Electronic Systems	Engine Performance	Engine Repair	Automatic Transmission and Transaxle	Manual Drive Train and Axles	Heating & Air Cond.	Maintenance & Light Repair	Automobile Service Technology
% Examinees Passing	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*
2020-21 Academic Year (4 Tested)	Suspension & Steering	Brakes	Electrical and Electronic Systems	Engine Performance	Engine Repair	Automatic Transmission and Transaxle	Manual Drive Train and Axles	Heating & Air Cond.	Maintenance & Light Repair	Automobile Service Technology
% Examinees Passing	50%	75%	75%	50%	100%	50%	50%	75%	100%	100%
2021-22 Academic Year (8 Tested)	Suspension & Steering	Brakes	Electrical and Electronic Systems	Engine Performance	Engine Repair	Automatic Transmission and Transaxle	Manual Drive Train and Axles	Heating & Air Cond.	Maintenance & Light Repair	Automobile Service Technology
% Examinees Passing	63%	75%	88%	100%	100%	88%	100%	63%	63%	63%

*Note: N/A indicates that the National Automotive Student Skills Standards Assessments were not done in the Spring of 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; Automotive Program, 2021–22 Scores from Automotive Service Excellence (ASE), (1/12/2023).

HVAC Program E.P.A. Certification Pass Rates

HVAC Program									
Academic Year	Number of Graduates	Number of Testers	Passed Core Test	Passed Type I	Passed Type II	Passed Type III	Passed All Tests the First Time	Received Universal Certification (Passed all three Type tests)	Universal Certificate Pass Rate
2017-18 Graduates	11	11	11	11	10	10	N/A	9	82%
2018-19 Graduates	6	5	5	5	5	5	N/A	5	100%
2019-20 Graduates	8	8	8	8	8	7	5	7	88%
2020-21 Graduates	11	7	7	6	7	6	5	5	71%
2021-22 Graduates	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	100%

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; HVAC Program, (01/12/2023).

Welding Program Procedure Qualifications 2017-18 through 2021-22

Academic Year	# of Welding Graduates	# Testers	% who tested	Qualified Procedures*
2017-2018	7	6	86%	42
2018-2019	8	7	88%	30
2019-2020	10	7	70%	30
2020-2021	10	4	40%	24
2021-2022	7	16	100%	42

*Some students qualified in more than one procedure. Non-Qualifying procedures are not tracked.

Source: Office of Institutional Research and Planning; Welding Program, (01/18/2022).