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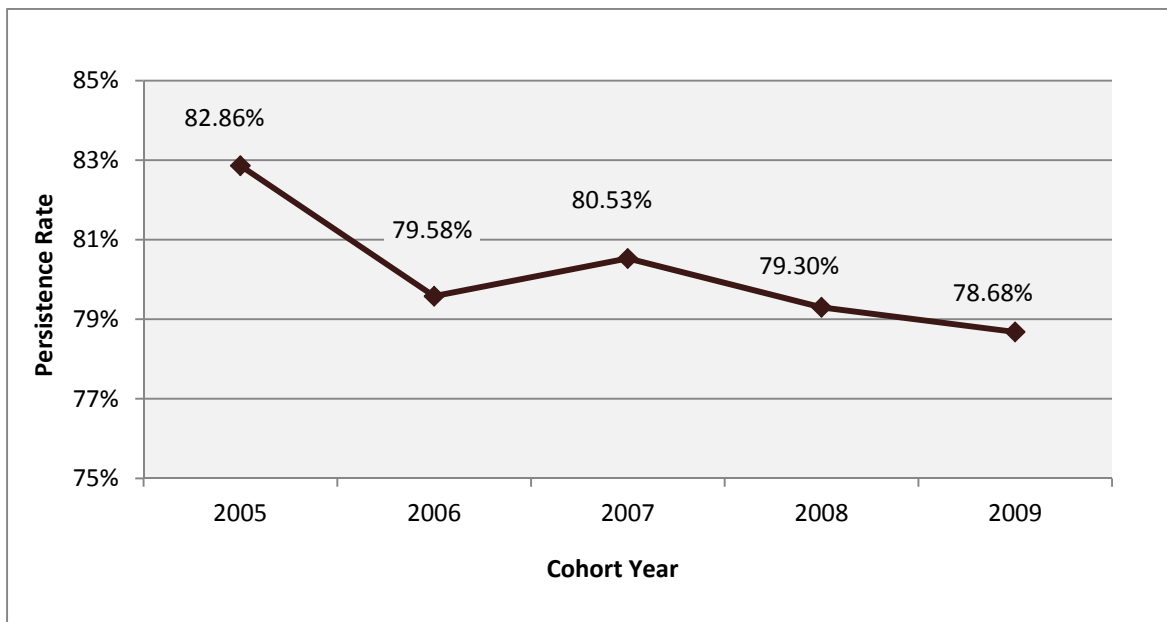
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**Subject:** Two-Year Persistence Report – Fall 2009 First-Time, First-Year Cohort - Updated

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Please find attached the two-year persistence report of the Fall 2009 first-time, first-year (FTFY) cohort with updated financial need levels. This report excludes students in The Women's College and University College.

- **Two-Year Persistence:** 952 of the 1,210 students in the Fall 2009 FTFY cohort persisted to Fall 2011, while 258 did not. The Fall 2009 FTFY cohort persistence rate of 78.68% is not statistically significantly different from the Fall 2008 FTFY cohort ( $p \leq .05$ ).

TWO-YEAR PERSISTENCE RATES OF FTFY COHORTS



- **GPA:** Students with a GPA below 2.00 persisted at a statistically significantly lower rate (15.79%) than the overall cohort, while students with a GPA of 3.00 or higher persisted at a statistically significantly higher rate (83.01%) ( $p \leq .05$ ).
- **Non-Persistence Reasons:** Of the 258 students who did not persist, 86 withdrew from the University, 11 took a leave of absence, and 80 had academic, financial, or judicial holds that prevented them from registering this quarter. 55% of these students' holds were financial.

## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Summary of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Overall GPA ≤ 2.00 (Probation)					
Cohort	27	26	30	28	38
Enrolled after two years	5	5	5	8	6
Persistence rate	18.52%*	19.23%*	16.67%*	28.57%*	15.79%*

Overall GPA ≥ 3.00					
Cohort	864	891	882	921	965
Enrolled after two years	748	750	742	765	801
Persistence rate	86.57%*	84.18%*	84.13%*	83.06%*	83.01%*

Average Overall GPA					
Cohort	3.33	3.32	3.31	3.35	3.32
Enrolled after two years	3.40**	3.38**	3.38**	3.38**	3.41**
Not enrolled after two years	3.02	3.08	3.02	3.12	3.01

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### Admission Ratings of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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1 and 2 (Highest)					
Cohort	336	264	203	269	374
Enrolled after two years	304	225	182	231	310
Persistence rate	90.50%*	85.23%*	89.67%*	85.87%*	82.89%

3 and 4					
Cohort	249	285	282	232	230
Enrolled after two years	204	234	232	190	184
Persistence rate	81.93%	82.11%	82.27%	81.9%	80%

5 and 6					
Cohort	251	275	241	238	279
Enrolled after two years	195	209	191	198	220
Persistence rate	77.69%*	76.00%	79.25%	83.19%	78.85%

7, 8, and 9 (Lowest)					
Cohort	261	318	414	399	325
Enrolled after two years	206	241	313	286	237
Persistence rate	78.92%*	75.79%*	75.6%*	70.75%*	72.92%

No Rating Available					
Cohort	0	0	0	7	2
Enrolled after two years	0	0	0	3	1
Persistence rate	-	-	-	42.86%*	50%

Average Rating					
Cohort	4.5	4.9	5.4	5.2	4.7
Enrolled after two years	4.3**	4.8**	4.8**	5**	4.6**
Not enrolled after two years	5.1	5.3	6.1	6.0	5.1

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#### Gender

Female					
Cohort	612	618	622	639	694
Enrolled after two years	512	509	492	504	548
Persistence rate	83.66%	82.36%	79.10%	78.87%	78.96%
Male					
Cohort	485	523	518	506	516
Enrolled after two years	397	399	426	404	404
Persistence rate	81.86%	76.29%	82.24%	79.84%	78.29%

#### Geographic Origin

Colorado					
Cohort	424	527	466	469	512
Enrolled after two years	366	438	380	384	421
Persistence rate	86.32%	83.11%	81.55%	81.88%	82.23%
Out-of-State					
Cohort	374	563	605	594	604
Enrolled after two years	301	424	490	467	466
Persistence rate	80.48%	75.31%	80.99%	78.62%	77.15%
International (Non-Resident Alien)					
Cohort	43	33	51	63	73
Enrolled after two years	35	29	35	46	52
Persistence rate	81.4%	87.88%	68.63%	73.02%	71.23%
Geographic Origin Unknown					
Cohort	256	18	18	19	21
Enrolled after two years	207	17	13	11	13
Persistence rate	80.86%	94.44%	72.22%	57.89%	61.9%

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#### Note:

1. Geographic origin reports the student's permanent residence at the time of application.

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#### Race/Ethnicity and Citizenship

White					
Cohort	903	902	730	802	835
Enrolled after two years	745	712	601	653	657
Persistence rate	82.5%	78.94%	82.33%	81.42%	78.68%
Domestic Minority					
Cohort	145	203	175	178	224
Enrolled after two years	125	165	135	132	174
Persistence rate	86.21%	81.28%	77.14%	74.16%	77.68%
International (Non-Resident Alien)					
Cohort	44	34	53	61	71
Enrolled after two years	36	30	38	47	60
Persistence rate	81.82%	88.24%	71.7%	77.05%	84.51%
Race/Ethnicity Unknown					
Cohort	5	2	182	104	80
Enrolled after two years	3	1	144	76	61
Persistence rate	60.00%	50.00%	79.12%	73.08%	76.25%

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#### Race/Ethnicity

Hispanic/Latino					
Cohort	60	81	68	78	99
Enrolled after two years	49	61	50	55	73
Persistence rate	81.67%	75.31%	76.92%*	70.51%	73.74%
American Indian or Alaskan Native					
Cohort	14	14	17	20	7
Enrolled after two years	13	11	11	16	4
Persistence rate	92.86%	78.57%	64.71%	80%	57.14%*
Asian					
Cohort	55	76	61	59	59
Enrolled after two years	50	66	53	46	50
Persistence rate	90.91%	86.84%	86.89%	77.97%	84.75%
Black or African American					
Cohort	16	32	29	21	36
Enrolled after two years	13	27	21	15	28
Persistence rate	81.25%	84.38%	72.41%	71.43%	77.78%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	1
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	0%
Two or More Races					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	22
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	-	19
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	86.36%
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Note:

1. Categories reflect IPEDS definitions for race and ethnicity implemented in Fall 2009. A dash indicates the category did not exist during the noted academic period.

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#### Race/Ethnicity (continued ...)

International (Non-Resident Alien)					
Cohort	44	34	53	61	71
Enrolled after two years	36	30	38	47	60
Persistence rate	81.82%	88.24%	71.7%	77.05%	84.51%
Race/Ethnicity Unknown					
Cohort	5	2	182	104	80
Enrolled after two years	3	1	144	76	61
Persistence rate	60%	50%	79.12%	73.08%	76.25%

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## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Involvement of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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#### Athletics

Student Athletes					
Cohort	92	66	91	78	96
Enrolled after two years	78	52	69	55	70
Persistence rate	84.78%	78.79%	75.82%	70.51%	72.92%

#### Honors Program

Honors Program Participants					
Cohort	99	78	61	95	129
Enrolled after two years	92	67	56	84	106
Persistence rate	92.93%*	85.90%	91.8%*	88.42%*	82.17%
Honors Floor Residents					
Cohort	56	48	31	36	33
Enrolled after two years	53	43	29	32	27
Persistence rate	94.64%*	89.58%	93.55%	88.89%	81.82%

#### Greek

Sorority Members					
Cohort	103	71	98	111	128
Enrolled after two years	89	63	91	94	106
Persistence rate	86.41%	88.73%	92.86%*	84.68%	82.81%
Fraternity Members					
Cohort	71	114	134	83	121
Enrolled after two years	64	93	120	70	101
Persistence rate	90.14%	81.58%	89.55%*	84.34%	83.47%
Greek Total					
Cohort	174	185	232	194	249
Enrolled after two years	153	156	211	164	207
Persistence rate	87.93%	84.32%	90.95%*	84.54%	83.13%

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#### Living and Learning Communities (LLCs)

Creativity and Entrepreneurship LLC					
Cohort	22	20	21	22	22
Enrolled after two years	19	17	17	13	15
Persistence rate	86.36%	85%	80.95%	59.09%*	68.18%
Environmental LLC					
Cohort	9	17	21	22	20
Enrolled after two years	6	13	17	19	18
Persistence rate	66.67%	76.47%	80.95%	86.36%	90.00%
International LLC					
Cohort	32	31	33	28	31
Enrolled after two years	24	26	26	24	27
Persistence rate	75.00%	83.87%	78.79%	85.71%	87.1%
Pioneer Leadership Program					
Cohort	68	67	67	68	66
Enrolled after two years	62	63	61	67	52
Persistence rate	91.18%	94.03%*	91.04%*	98.53%*	78.79%
Social Justice LLC					
Cohort	24	22	22	22	20
Enrolled after two years	21	19	17	19	18
Persistence rate	87.50%	86.36%	77.27%	86.36%	90%
Wellness LLC					
Cohort	24	24	26	27	27
Enrolled after two years	23	18	21	21	25
Persistence rate	95.83%	75.00%	80.77%	77.78%	92.59%
LLC Total					
Cohort	179	181	190	189	186
Enrolled after two years	155	156	159	163	155
Persistence rate	92.27%*	86.19%	91.67%*	86.24%	83.33%

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## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Current Majors (Unduplicated) of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Arts and Humanities					
Cohort	141	138	161	150	194
Enrolled after two years	107	105	133	123	155
Persistence rate	75.89%*	76.09%	82.61%	82%	79.90%
Social Sciences					
Cohort	193	179	186	209	244
Enrolled after two years	164	151	155	172	196
Persistence rate	84.97%	84.36%	83.33%	82.3%	80.33%
Daniels College of Business					
Cohort	526	538	490	471	446
Enrolled after two years	455	453	410	392	355
Persistence rate	86.5%*	84.2%*	83.67%	83.23%*	79.6%
Engineering and Computer Science					
Cohort	33	48	40	43	52
Enrolled after two years	26	27	28	27	41
Persistence rate	78.79%	56.25%*	70%	62.79%*	78.85%
Josef Korbel School of International Studies					
Cohort	51	60	82	73	86
Enrolled after two years	47	56	69	62	73
Persistence rate	92.16%	93.33%*	84.15%	84.93%	84.88%
Natural Sciences and Mathematics					
Cohort	111	142	146	175	164
Enrolled after two years	92	109	121	130	127
Persistence rate	82.88%	76.76%	82.88%	74.29%	77.44%
Undeclared					
Cohort	42	35	35	24	24
Enrolled after two years	18	6	2	2	5
Persistence rate	42.86%*	17.14%*	5.71%*	8.3%*	20.83%*

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## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Financial Need Levels of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	627	579
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	517	454
Persistence rate	-	-	-	82.46%	78.41%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	139	136
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	108	115
Persistence rate	-	-	-	77.7%	84.56%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	136	177
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	104	143
Persistence rate	-	-	-	76.47%	80.79%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	107	167
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	90	147
Persistence rate	-	-	-	84.11%	88.02%*
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	78	84
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	60	60
Persistence rate	-	-	-	76.92%	71.43%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	58	67
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	29	33
Persistence rate	-	-	-	50%*	49.25%*

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Notes:

1. Beginning Fall 2011, Institutional Research and Analysis began using institutional aid methodology to identify student need levels.
2. Unmet need categories refer only to students who submitted an institutional (CSS) aid application.
3. Institutional methodology data are not available prior to Fall 2008.

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#### Admission Ratings 1 and 2

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	139	163
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	123	134
Persistence rate	-	-	-	88.49%*	82.21%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	39	52
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	35	46
Persistence rate	-	-	-	89.74%	88.46%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	40	65
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	33	55
Persistence rate	-	-	-	82.5%	84.62%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	26	61
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	23	55
Persistence rate	-	-	-	88.46%	90.16%*
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	19	20
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	14	15
Persistence rate	-	-	-	73.68%	75%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	6	13
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	3	5
Persistence rate	-	-	-	50%	38.46%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	269	374
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	231	310
Persistence rate	-	-	-	85.87%*	82.89%

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#### Admission Ratings 3 and 4

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	111	90
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	97	68
Persistence rate	-	-	-	87.39%*	75.56%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	35	26
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	24	22
Persistence rate	-	-	-	68.57%	84.62%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	33	36
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	27	31
Persistence rate	-	-	-	81.82%	86.11%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	25	45
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	22	40
Persistence rate	-	-	-	88%	88.89%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	24	25
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	19	20
Persistence rate	-	-	-	79.17%	80%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	4	8
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	1	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	25%*	37.5%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	232	230
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	190	184
Persistence rate	-	-	-	81.9%	80%

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#### Admission Ratings 5 and 6

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	115	123
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	101	100
Persistence rate	-	-	-	87.83%*	81.3%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	28	32
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	22	26
Persistence rate	-	-	-	78.57%	81.25%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	33	46
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	25	35
Persistence rate	-	-	-	75.76%	76.09%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	27	36
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	24	33
Persistence rate	-	-	-	88.89%	91.67%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	23	25
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	19	17
Persistence rate	-	-	-	82.61%	68%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	12	17
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	7	9
Persistence rate	-	-	-	58.33%	52.94%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	238	279
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	198	220
Persistence rate	-	-	-	83.19%	78.85%

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#### Admission Ratings 7, 8, and 9

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	256	202
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	193	151
Persistence rate	-	-	-	75.39%	74.75%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	37	26
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	27	21
Persistence rate	-	-	-	72.97%	80.77%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	30	29
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	19	22
Persistence rate	-	-	-	63.33%*	75.86%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	29	25
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	21	19
Persistence rate	-	-	-	72.41%	76%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	12	14
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	8	8
Persistence rate	-	-	-	66.67%	57.14%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	35	29
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	18	16
Persistence rate	-	-	-	51.43%*	55.17%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	399	325
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	286	237
Persistence rate	-	-	-	71.68%*	72.92%*

\* Indicates a statistically significantly different persistence rate than the cohort at  $p \leq .05$ .

## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Financial Need Levels of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009
Cohort size	1,097	1,141	1,140	1,145	1,210
Enrolled after two years	909	908	918	908	952
Persistence rate	82.86%	79.58%	80.53%	79.30%	78.68%

#### No Admission Rating Available

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	6	1
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	3	1
Persistence rate	-	-	-	50%	100%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	0	0
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	0	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	0	1
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	0	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	0	0
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	0	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	0	0
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	0	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	1	0
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	0	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	7	2
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	3	1
Persistence rate	-	-	-	42.86%*	0%

\* Indicates a statistically significantly different persistence rate than the cohort at  $p \leq .05$ .

## Two-Year Persistence Report

### VIP School Students of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009
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West High School					
Cohort	9	10	2	3	1
Enrolled after two years	5	8	2	3	1
Persistence rate	55.56%	80%	100%	100%	100%
East High School					
Cohort	5	4	8	5	12
Enrolled after two years	5	3	6	4	8
Persistence rate	100%	75%	75%	80%	66.67%
Abraham Lincoln High School					
Cohort	3	7	0	1	3
Enrolled after two years	3	7	0	1	3
Persistence rate	100%	100%	-	100%	100%
Pinnacle Charter School					
Cohort	-	2	0	2	1
Enrolled after two years	-	2	0	2	0
Persistence rate	-	100%	-	100%	0%
Denver Center for International Studies					
Cohort	-	-	3	4	4
Enrolled after two years	-	-	3	4	4
Persistence rate	-	-	100%	100%	100%
Denver School of Science and Technology					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	3
Enrolled after two years	-	-	-	-	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	100%
VIP Total					
Cohort	17	23	13	15	24
Enrolled after two years	13	20	11	14	19
Persistence rate	76.47%	86.96%	84.62%	93.33%	79.17%

## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Non-Persistence Reasons of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Cohort size	1,097	1,141	1,140	1,145	1,210
Not enrolled after two years	188	233	222	237	258
Non-persisted rate	82.86%	79.58%	80.53%	79.30%	78.68%

#### Non-Persistence Reasons

Leave of Absence					
Number	70	44	29	17	11
Percent of non-persisted	37.23%	18.88%	13.06%	7.17%	4.26%
Withdrawal					
Number	57	81	70	70	86
Percent of non-persisted	30.32%	34.76%	31.53%	29.54%	33.33%
Reason Unknown					
Number	61	108	123	150	161
Percent of non-persisted	32.45%	46.35%	55.41%	63.29%	62.4%

#### Holds Preventing Registration

Academic Holds					
Number	7	8	12	12	12
Percent of non-persisted students	3.72%	3.43%	5.41%	5.06%	4.65%
Financial Holds					
Number	31	15	44	12	44
Percent of non-persisted students	16.49%	6.44%	19.82%	5.06%	17.05%
Judicial Holds					
Number	25	29	18	25	24
Percent of non-persisted students	13.30%	12.45%	8.11%	10.55%	9.30%
Holds Total					
Number	63	52	74	49	80
Percent of non-persisted students	33.51%	22.32%	33.33%	20.68%	31.01%

#### Notes:

1. Students with more than one type of hold are counted in each applicable category.
2. Students are counted only once per category, regardless of the number of holds they have in that category.

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Academic Reasons					
Number	12	10	4	3	0
Percent of non-persisted students	6.38%	4.29%	1.8%	1.27%	0%
Break/Vacation/Travel					
Number	10	8	4	1	1
Percent of non-persisted students	5.32%	3.43%	1.8%	0.42%	0.39%
Emergency/Returned Home					
Number	3	2	0	1	0
Percent of non-persisted students	1.6%	0.86%	0%	0.42%	0%
Emotional Health					
Number	2	2	1	1	0
Percent of non-persisted students	1.06%	0.86%	0.45%	0.42%	0%
Financial Reasons					
Number	5	5	5	3	4
Percent of non-persisted students	2.66%	2.15%	2.25%	1.27%	1.55%
Job Responsibility/Internship					
Number	4	1	2	2	3
Percent of non-persisted students	2.13%	0.43%	0.9%	0.84%	1.16%
Official Medical Leave					
Number	5	4	2	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	2.66%	1.72%	0.9%	0%	0%
Paternity/Maternity Leave					
Number	0	0	2	0	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0.90%	0%	0.39%
Personal Reasons					
Number	23	7	6	3	0
Percent of non-persisted students	12.23%	3%	2.7%	1.27%	0%
Physical Health/Medical Reasons					
Number	3	4	0	2	1
Percent of non-persisted students	1.6%	1.72%	0%	0.84%	0.39%

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Social Reasons					
Number	3	1	3	1	1
Percent of non-persisted students	1.6%	0.43%	1.35%	0.42%	0.39%
Leaves of Absence Total					
Number	70	44	29	17	11
Percent of non-persisted students	37.23%	18.88%	13.06%	7.17%	4.26%

## Two-Year Persistence Report

### Withdrawal Reasons of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Academic Reasons					
Number	9	22	13	12	12
Percent of non-persisted students	4.79%	9.44%	5.86%	5.06%	4.65%
Career Reasons					
Number	0	1	2	4	5
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0.43%	0.9%	1.69%	1.94%
Church Mission					
Number	0	0	0	0	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	0%	0.39%
Financial Reasons					
Number	22	13	14	17	15
Percent of non-persisted students	11.7%	5.58%	6.31%	7.17%	5.81%
Foreign Aid/Peace Corps Service					
Number	0	0	0	1	0
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	0.42%	0%
Health Reasons					
Number	2	3	13	7	10
Percent of non-persisted students	1.06%	1.29%	5.86%	2.95%	3.88%
Personal/Family Reasons					
Number	21	34	28	22	23
Percent of non-persisted students	11.17%	14.59%	12.61%	9.28%	8.91%
Serving in the Armed Forces					
Number	0	0	0	0	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	0%	0.39%
Social Reasons					
Number	3	8	0	0	2
Percent of non-persisted students	1.6%	3.43%	0%	0%	0.78%
Transfer to Another Institution					
Number	0	0	0	7	17
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	2.95%	6.59%

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<b>Withdrawals Total</b>					
Number	57	81	70	70	86
Percent of non-persisted students	30.32%	34.76%	31.53%	29.54%	33.33%