



STUDENT RIGHT-TO-KNOW

In accordance with the Higher Education Act (HEA) of 1965, as amended, the Student Right-to-Know Act, 34 CFR.668 requires that institutions receiving Title IV funding disclose graduation/completion rates for first time, full time students who completed within 150% of the normal time-to-completion. Federal reporting does not include students who have previously attended a higher education institution.

The Student-Right-to-Know rates are published annually by July 1st and based on data reported by First Institute in connection with the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) Survey. This information is available in the admissions office and on College Navigator, which is maintained by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) at:

<https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?s=IL&zc=60014&zd=0&of=3&ct=3&id=145099>

The link to College Navigator is also available on First Institute’s website at www.firstinstitute.edu under Disclosures.

PLACEMENT RATES

First Institute calculates and reports placement rates to its accreditor, the Accrediting Council of Continuing Education (ACCET) and the state, Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE) on an annual basis.

ACCET Placement Rates

Accreditation placement rates include graduates who completed between **January 1, 2021 and December 30, 2021** and calculated by taking the number of graduates placed in the field divided by the total number of eligible graduates. A graduate is considered a placement upon completion of 30 days of continuous full-time employment in a training related field within 120 days of program completion and verified by the employer and/or graduate.

ACCET Graduates from 01/01/2021 – 12/31/2021	Placement Rate
Medical Assisting Program	81%
Dental Assisting Program	82%
Massage Therapy Program	74%

IBHE Placement Rates

IBHE placement rates include graduates who completed between **July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021** and calculated by taking the number of graduates placed in the field divided by the total number of eligible graduates. A graduate is considered a placement upon completion of 30 days of continuous full-time employment in a training related field within 120 days of program completion and verified by the employer and/or graduate.



IBHE Graduates from 07/01/2020 – 06/30/2021	Placement Rate
Medical Assisting Program	80%
Dental Assisting Program	87%
Massage Therapy Program	79%