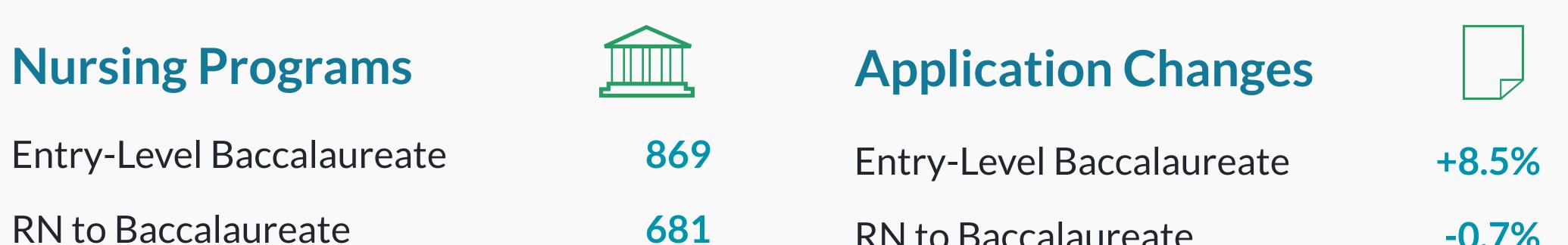


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Highlights from AACN's 2024 Annual Survey

Findings published from AACN's latest annual survey are based on responses from 964 (89.4%) of the nation's nursing schools with baccalaureate and graduate programs that were surveyed in Fall 2024. Data reflect actual counts, not projections.



June 2025

Master's Programs

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Research-focused Doctorate

Enrolled Students

Entry-Level Baccalaureate

RN to Baccalaureate

Master's Programs

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Research-focused Doctorate



655

439

149

267,889 90,369 136,476

42,767

4,223

RIN LO Baccalaureale	-0.7%
Master's Programs	+4.5%
Doctor of Nursing Practice	+18.5%
Research-focused Doctorate	+7.2%

Underrepresented **Students**

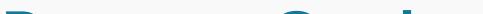


Baccalaureate Programs	48.2%
Master's Programs	45.8%
Doctor of Nursing Practice	43.5%

Research-focused Doctorate











Program Graduates

Entry-Level Baccalaureate

RN to Baccalaureate

Master's Programs

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Research-focused Doctorate

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Male Students

91,541	
52,220	
50,157	
12,336	

725

Baccalaureate Programs	11.9%
Master's Programs	11.2%
Doctor of Nursing Practice	14.5%
Research-focused Doctorate	11.0%

Enrollment Changes: 2023-2024

Entry-Level Baccalaureate	+4.9%
RN to Baccalaureate	+1.6%
Master's Programs	+4.8%
Doctor of Nursing Practice	+2.2%

Enrollment Changes in Entry-Level Baccalaureate Nursing Programs 1994-2024 Percent Change

Research-focused Doctorate





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