

Table 11a. Race/Ethnicity of Students Enrolled from Generic (Entry-Level) Baccalaureate, RN to Baccalaureate, Total Baccalaureate Programs, Master's, Research-Focused Doctoral, and DNP Programs in Nursing, 2012-2021.

	GENERIC (ENTRY-LEVEL) BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	116,347	71.9	119,721	71.0	123,442	69.9	125,121	68.4	128,752	67.7	133,201	66.5	139,946	65.8	144,012	63.9	147,337	61.8	145,258	59.2
Black/African American*	16,544	10.2	16,265	9.6	17,583	10.0	18,035	9.9	18,529	9.7	19,159	9.6	20,567	9.7	23,240	10.3	26,810	11.2	29,238	12.3
Hispanic or Latino	12,421	7.7	14,189	8.4	16,267	9.2	19,007	10.4	20,988	11.0	23,925	11.9	26,724	12.6	30,364	13.5	33,232	13.9	37,419	15.7
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	12,799	7.9	13,939	8.3	14,385	8.1	14,884	8.1	15,765	8.3	16,905	8.4	17,975	8.4	19,617	8.7	21,478	9.0	23,687	9.9
American Indian or Alaskan Native	910	0.6	946	0.6	965	0.5	899	0.5	979	0.5	970	0.5	988	0.5	1,105	0.5	1,157	0.5	1,188	0.5
Two or More Races	2,879	1.8	3,641	2.2	3,994	2.3	4,906	2.7	5,201	2.7	6,052	3.0	6,527	3.1	7,171	3.2	8,440	3.5	8,698	3.5
Total	161,900		168,701		176,636		182,852		190,214		200,212		212,727		225,509		238,454		245,488	
Total Minority	45,553	28.1	48,980	29.0	53,194	30.1	57,731	31.6	61,462	32.3	67,011	33.5	72,781	34.2	81,497	36.1	91,117	38.2	100,230	40.8
	RN-TO-BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	60,537	68.9	74,439	71.4	79,985	70.9	86,082	70.7	86,618	69.9	82,437	69.1	84,667	67.5	81,313	65.9	74,975	62.6	66,033	55.1
Black/African American*	12,167	13.8	13,626	13.1	14,312	12.7	14,415	11.8	14,866	12.0	14,569	12.2	15,795	12.6	16,030	13.0	17,564	14.7	16,620	13.9
Hispanic or Latino	5,921	6.7	7,227	6.9	9,004	8.0	10,870	8.9	11,940	9.6	12,061	10.1	13,837	11.0	15,105	12.2	15,786	13.2	15,130	12.6
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	5,909	6.7	6,739	6.5	7,189	6.4	7,235	5.9	7,382	6.0	7,082	5.9	7,522	6.0	7,337	5.9	7,601	6.3	7,336	6.1
American Indian or Alaskan Native	486	0.6	602	0.6	620	0.5	735	0.6	710	0.6	708	0.6	806	0.6	825	0.7	841	0.7	815	0.7
Two or More Races	2,841	3	1,621	1.6	1,726	1.53	2,363	1.9	2,477	2.0	2,500	2.1	2,752	2.2	2,765	2.2	3,002	2.5	2,591	2.2
Total	87,861		104,254		112,836		121,700		123,993		119,357		125,379		123,375		119,769		108,525	
Total Minority	27,324	31.1	29,815	28.6	32,851	29.1	35,618	29.3	37,375	30.1	36,920	30.9	40,712	32.5	42,062	34.1	44,794	37.4	42,492	35.5
	TOTAL BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	176,884	70.8	194,160	71.1	203,427	70.3	211,203	69.3	215,370	68.5	215,638	67.5	224,613	66.4	225,325	64.6	222,312	63.7	211,291	60.6
Black/African American*	28,711	11.5	29,891	11.0	31,895	11.0	32,450	10.7	33,395	10.6	33,728	10.6	36,362	10.8	39,270	11.3	44,374	12.7	45,858	13.1
Hispanic or Latino	18,342	7.3	21,416	7.8	25,271	8.7	29,877	9.8	32,928	10.5	35,986	11.3	40,561	12.0	45,469	13.0	49,018	14.0	52,549	15.1
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	18,708	7.5	20,678	7.6	21,574	7.5	22,119	7.3	23,147	7.4	23,987	7.5	25,497	7.5	26,954	7.7	29,079	8.3	31,023	8.9
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1,396	0.6	1,548	0.6	1,585	0.5	1,634	0.5	1,689	0.5	1,678	0.5	1,794	0.5	1,930	0.6	1,998	0.6	2,003	0.6
Two or More Races	5,720	2.3	5,262	1.9	5,720	2.0	7,269	2.4	7,678	2.4	8,552	2.7	9,279	2.7	9,936	2.8	11,442	3.2	11,289	3.2
Total	249,761		272,955		289,472		304,552		314,207		319,569		338,106		348,884		358,223		354,013	
Total Minority	72,877	29.2	78,795	28.9	86,045	29.7	93,349	30.7	98,837	31.5	103,931	32.5	113,493	33.6	123,559	35.4	135,911	37.9	142,722	40.3

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	MASTER'S																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	63,748	70.7	68,253	70.0	69,300	68.1	72,817	67.6	77,583	66.4	80,225	66.0	84,420	65.3	86,570	64.6	87,442	62.9	82,285	59.2
Black/African American*	12,394	13.8	14,052	14.4	14,911	14.7	15,421	14.3	17,145	14.7	17,890	14.7	18,910	14.6	19,320	14.4	21,250	15.3	20,895	15.0
Hispanic or Latino	4,894	5.4	5,312	5.4	6,575	6.5	7,768	7.2	8,873	7.6	9,910	8.2	11,412	8.8	13,096	9.8	13,982	10.1	14,533	10.5
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	7,103	7.9	7,628	7.8	8,454	8.3	8,655	8.0	9,861	8.4	10,416	8.3	10,858	8.4	11,362	8.5	12,410	8.9	12,881	9.3
American Indian or Alaskan Native	615	0.7	623	0.6	611	0.6	609	0.6	755	0.6	729	0.6	744	0.6	824	0.6	676	0.5	674	0.5
Two or More Races	1,361	1.5	1,678	1.7	1,842	1.8	2,386	2.2	2,612	2.2	2,695	2.2	3,026	2.3	2,774	2.1	3,262	2.3	3,295	2.4
Total	90,115		97,546		101,693		107,656		116,829		121,865		129,370		133,946		139,022		134,563	
Total Minority	26,367	29.3	29,293	30.0	32,393	31.9	34,839	32.4	39,246	33.6	41,640	34.2	44,950	34.7	47,376	35.4	51,580	37.1	52,278	38.9
	RESEARCH-FOCUSED DOCTORAL																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	3,221	72.3	3,150	71.6	3,175	70.3	2,993	69.1	2,847	67.2	2,679	67.5	2,724	67.0	2,602	66.7	2,619	66.2	2,460	62.2
Black/African American*	606	13.6	626	14.2	705	15.6	701	16.2	700	16.5	667	16.8	694	17.1	669	17.2	684	17.3	710	18.0
Hispanic or Latino	246	5.5	222	5.0	233	5.2	242	5.6	244	5.8	223	5.6	237	5.8	235	6.0	245	6.2	230	5.8
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	281	6.3	275	6.2	289	6.4	279	6.4	285	6.7	274	6.9	283	7.0	268	6.9	265	6.7	285	7.2
American Indian or Alaskan Native	51	1.1	56	1.3	52	1.2	51	1.2	45	1.1	42	1.1	33	0.8	23	0.6	32	0.8	22	0.6
Two or More Races	47	1.1	73	1.7	60	1.3	64	1.5	117	2.8	81	2.0	95	2.3	103	2.6	109	2.8	104	2.6
Total	4,452		4,402		4,514		4,330		4,238		3,966		4,066		3,900		3,954		3,811	
Total Minority	1,231	27.7	1,252	28.4	1,339	29.7	1,337	30.9	1,391	32.8	1,287	32.5	1,342	33.0	1,298	33.3	1,335	33.8	1,351	35.5
	DNP																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	7,986	75.7	9,898	73.1	11,974	71.3	14,576	70.7	16,221	68.8	18,258	67.6	19,855	65.4	21,823	64.0	23,283	62.8	23,509	63.4
Black/African American*	1,350	12.8	1,774	13.1	2,473	14.7	3,109	15.1	3,715	15.8	4,461	16.5	5,161	17.0	5,909	17.3	6,641	17.9	7,064	19.1
Hispanic or Latino	497	4.7	616	4.5	769	4.6	1,046	5.1	1,225	5.2	1,504	5.6	1,945	6.4	2,405	7.1	2,833	7.6	3,270	8.8
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	527	5.3	931	6.9	1,180	7.0	1,399	6.8	1,776	7.5	2,047	7.6	2,546	8.4	2,963	8.7	3,123	8.4	37	0.1
American Indian or Alaskan Native	86	0.8	116	0.9	123	0.7	162	0.8	157	0.7	159	0.6	174	0.6	239	0.7	258	0.7	231	0.6
Two or More Races	99	1	204	1.5	274	1.6	333	1.6	487	2.1	594	2.2	696	2.3	755	2.2	916	2.5	1,028	2.8
Total	10,545		13,539		16,793		20,625		23,581		27,023		30,377		34,094		37,054		35,139	
Total Minority	2,559	24.3	3,641	26.9	4,819	28.7	6,049	29.3	7,360	31.2	8,765	32.4	10,522	34.6	12,271	36.0	13,771	37.2	11,630	31.4

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	GENERIC (ENTRY-LEVEL) BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	38,249	73.3	40,529	72.6	42,769	72.2	44,336	71.9	45,121	70.3	46,050	68.6	47,689	67.8	49,347	66.7	50,788	65.5	53,194	63.8
Black/African American*	4,931	9.4	5,197	9.3	5,275	8.9	5,146	8.3	5,468	8.5	5,924	8.8	6,126	8.7	6,699	9.1	7,114	9.2	8,258	9.9
Hispanic or Latino	3,573	6.8	3,914	7.0	4,641	7.8	5,351	8.7	6,418	10.0	7,313	10.9	7,992	11.4	8,938	12.1	9,771	12.6	11,027	13.2
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	4,457	8.5	4,872	8.7	5,125	8.7	5,069	8.2	5,156	8.0	5,821	8.7	6,205	8.8	6,519	8.8	6,831	8.8	7,663	9.2
American Indian or Alaskan Native	320	0.6	364	0.7	327	0.6	451	0.7	389	0.6	304	0.5	388	0.6	347	0.5	341	0.4	407	0.5
Two or More Races	673	1.3	943	1.7	1,084	1.8	1,324	2.1	1,670	2.6	1,693	2.5	1,946	2.8	2,169	2.9	2,691	3.5	2,834	3.4
Total	52,203		55,819		59,221		61,677		64,222		67,105		70,346		74,019		77,536		83,383	
Total Minority	13,954	26.7	15,290	27.4	16,452	27.8	17,341	28.1	19,101	29.7	21,055	31.4	22,657	32.2	24,672	33.3	26,748	34.5	30,189	36.2
	RN-TO-BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	20,507	68.2	24,899	70.1	28,416	69.3	33,991	68.7	38,186	69.9	39,305	69.8	40,620	69.2	40,792	68.9	42,359	67.0	38,579	62.6
Black/African American*	4,537	15.1	5,151	14.5	5,936	14.5	6,577	13.3	6,819	12.5	6,719	11.9	7,063	12.0	7,014	11.9	8,092	12.8	9,189	14.9
Hispanic or Latino	1,727	5.7	2,220	6.3	3,020	7.4	4,012	8.1	4,776	8.7	5,236	9.3	5,778	9.8	6,286	10.6	7,084	11.2	7,841	12.7
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	1,969	6.5	2,552	7.2	2,901	7.1	3,668	7.4	3,462	6.3	3,484	6.2	3,731	6.4	3,551	6.0	3,831	6.1	4,222	6.8
American Indian or Alaskan Native	182	0.6	209	0.6	237	0.6	284	0.6	270	0.5	358	0.6	317	0.5	323	0.5	415	0.7	475	0.8
Two or More Races	1,151	4	481	1.4	523	1.27	968	2.0	1,114	2.0	1,184	2.1	1,213	2.1	1,214	2.1	1,401	2.2	1,367	2.2
Total	30,073		35,512		41,033		49,500		54,627		56,286		58,722		59,180		63,182		61,673	
Total Minority	9,566	31.8	10,613	29.9	12,617	30.7	15,509	31.3	16,441	30.1	16,981	30.2	18,102	30.8	18,388	31.1	20,823	33.0	23,094	37.4
	TOTAL BACCALAUREATE																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	58,756	71.4	65,428	71.6	71,185	71.0	78,327	70.5	83,307	70.1	85,355	69.2	88,309	68.4	90,139	67.7	93,147	66.2	91,773	63.3
Black/African American*	9,468	11.5	10,348	11.3	11,211	11.2	11,723	10.5	12,287	10.3	12,643	10.2	13,189	10.2	13,713	10.3	15,206	10.8	17,447	12.0
Hispanic or Latino	5,300	6.4	6,134	6.7	7,661	7.6	9,363	8.4	11,194	9.4	12,549	10.2	13,770	10.7	15,224	11.4	16,855	12.0	18,868	13.0
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	6,426	7.8	7,424	8.1	8,026	8.0	8,737	7.9	8,618	7.3	9,305	7.5	9,936	7.7	10,070	7.6	10,662	7.6	11,885	8.2
American Indian or Alaskan Native	502	0.6	573	0.6	564	0.6	735	0.7	659	0.6	662	0.5	705	0.5	670	0.5	756	0.5	882	0.6
Two or More Races	1,824	2	1,424	1.6	1,607	1.6	2,292	2.1	2,784	2.3	2,877	2.3	3,159	2.4	3,383	2.5	4,092	2.9	4,201	2.9
Total	82,276		91,331		100,254		111,177		118,849		123,391		129,068		133,199		140,718		145,056	
Total Minority	23,520	28.6	25,903	28.4	29,069	29.0	32,850	29.5	35,542	29.9	38,036	30.8	40,759	31.6	43,060	32.3	47,571	33.8	53,283	36.7

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	MASTER'S																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	18,050	73.3	19,914	72.6	21,044	70.8	23,246	69.9	24,928	68.2	26,788	67.9	28,803	67.4	30,112	65.9	31,265	66.0	31,751	65.2
Black/African American*	2,956	12.0	3,614	13.2	3,980	13.4	4,583	13.8	5,168	14.1	5,444	13.8	5,842	13.7	6,301	13.8	6,455	13.6	6,723	13.8
Hispanic or Latino	1,269	5.2	1,409	5.1	1,736	5.8	2,101	6.3	2,474	6.8	3,042	7.7	3,258	7.6	4,129	9.0	4,310	9.1	4,656	9.6
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	1,828	7.4	1,872	6.8	2,300	7.7	2,590	7.8	2,957	8.1	3,225	8.2	3,681	8.6	3,951	8.6	3,993	8.4	4,221	8.7
American Indian or Alaskan Native	167	0.7	174	0.6	183	0.6	223	0.7	220	0.6	212	0.5	224	0.5	259	0.6	287	0.6	305	0.6
Two or More Races	351	1.4	439	1.6	490	1.6	500	1.5	792	2.2	743	1.9	917	2.1	928	2.0	1,037	2.2	1,040	2.1
Total	24,621		27,422		29,733		33,243		36,539		39,454		42,725		45,680		47,347		48,696	
Total Minority	6,571	26.7	7,508	27.4	8,689	29.2	9,997	30.1	11,611	31.8	12,666	32.1	13,922	32.6	15,568	34.1	16,082	34.0	16,945	34.8
	RESEARCH-FOCUSED DOCTORAL																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	403	75.9	412	74.2	513	76.8	459	72.5	470	69.8	462	67.9	473	70.2	474	68.1	475	72.0	440	73.8
Black/African American*	51	9.6	67	12.1	68	10.2	85	13.4	90	13.4	107	15.7	101	15.0	97	13.9	90	13.6	96	16.1
Hispanic or Latino	23	4.3	14	2.5	25	3.7	43	6.8	42	6.2	30	4.4	29	4.3	47	6.8	30	4.5	42	7.0
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	42	7.9	52	9.4	44	6.6	40	6.3	52	7.7	56	8.2	53	7.9	62	8.9	43	6.5	1	0.1
American Indian or Alaskan Native	10	1.9	5	0.9	7	1.0	2	0.3	8	1.2	10	1.5	4	0.6	5	0.7	9	1.4	5	0.8
Two or More Races	2	0.4	5	0.9	11	1.6	4	0.6	11	1.6	15	2.2	14	2.1	11	1.6	13	2.0	13	2.2
Total	531		555		668		633		673		680		674		696		660		597	
Total Minority	128	24.1	143	25.8	155	23.2	174	27.5	203	30.2	218	32.1	201	29.8	222	31.9	185	28.0	157	26.2
	DNP																			
	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
White*	1,320	77.0	1,771	77.7	2,174	75.1	2,890	75.1	3,293	73.2	4,178	72.3	4,523	69.1	5,069	67.3	5,649	66.0	5,936	63.1
Black/African American*	245	14.3	267	11.7	370	12.8	502	13.0	634	14.1	826	14.3	1,022	15.6	1,190	15.8	1,496	17.5	1,706	19.9
Hispanic or Latino	60	3.5	118	5.2	138	4.8	173	4.5	200	4.4	245	4.2	380	5.8	473	6.3	490	5.7	662	7.7
Asian, Native Hawaiian, or Other Pacific Islander*	71	4.1	91	4.0	164	5.7	197	5.1	270	6.0	394	6.8	448	6.8	574	7.6	693	8.1	826	9.6
American Indian or Alaskan Native	17	1.0	17	0.7	17	0.6	25	0.6	34	0.8	46	0.8	50	0.8	39	0.5	54	0.6	72	0.8
Two or More Races	2	0	15	0.7	32	1.1	62	1.6	65	1.4	91	1.6	120	1.8	191	2.5	183	2.1	208	2.4
Total	1,715		2,279		2,895		3,849		4,496		5,780		6,543		7,536		8,565		9,410	
Total Minority	395	23.0	508	22.3	721	24.9	959	24.9	1,203	26.8	1,602	27.7	2,020	30.9	2,467	32.7	2,916	34.0	3,474	36.9

*Not of Hispanic Origin.

NOTE: Excludes non-U.S. Residents and the categories of unknown/not reported. Percents may not total to 100.0 due to rounding.