

**RESPIRATORY THERAPY
NBRC CREDENTIALING EXAM* PASS RATES
2015 - 2020
Report as of 08/31/2021**

RESPIRATORY THERAPY DATA

Graduation Year	Graduates	CCM RTH Graduates Tested for TMC/CRT Exam	# of CCM Graduates who earned the CRT**	CCM CRT Pass Rate / National Pass Rate***	CCM RTH Graduates Tested for CSE Exam	# of CCM Graduates who earned the RRT**	CCM RRT Pass Rate / National Pass Rate****
2021	19	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2020	26	24	22	91.7%/80.5%	21	21	100.0%/67.2%
2019	25	25	21	84.0%/76.8%	19	18	94.7%/62.3%
2018	28	27	22	81.5%/79.0%	21	21	95.2%/61.4%
2017	16	16	16	100.0%/81.5%	16	16	100.0%/58.0%
2016	20	20	19	95.0%/72.2%	19	18	94.7%/56.8%
2015	13	13	12	92.0%/76.5%	12	8	66.8%/55.8%

** As of July 2017, the Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) credential is required for licensure in NJ. Prior to July 2017, the CRT credential was the credential required for licensure in NJ. The Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) credential is accepted for licensure in most other states. Only six states require the RRT credential for a license to practice Respiratory Care.*

***The National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) is the source for pass rates.*

****The NBRC pass rates identified above are for "New Candidates" exceeding the Low-Cut Score on the Therapist Multiple Choice Examination. These candidates earned the Certified Respiratory Therapist credential.*

***** The NBRC pass rates identified above are for "New Candidates" successfully completing the NBRC Clinical Simulation Examination. These candidates have earned the NBRC Registered Respiratory Therapist credential. Note: results for the Class of 2020 are incomplete. The graduates are still taking the NBRC Exams.*