

ACCJC Annual Report 2023

General Information

Confirm college name:

Southwestern College

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Enrollment Data: Unduplicated Headcount

2019-2020

29280

2020-2021

25042

2021-2022

22958

Enrollment Data: Unduplicated Headcount

5b. If your institution experienced an increase (or decrease) in enrollment of more than 50% in a single year, please explain below (Enter N/A if this does not apply to your institution.)

N/A

Enrollment Data: Degree-applicable Enrollment (Credit Courses Only)

2019-2020

26035

2020-2021

23640

2021-2022

21609

Enrollment Data: Degree-applicable Enrollment (Credit Courses Only)

6b. Please list any individual degree applicable credit program which has experienced an increase (or decrease) of 50% or more in the last year.

Exercise Science/ Athletics
Exercise Science/ Intercollegiate
Exercise Science/ Specialized
Journalism
Landscape Architecture
Learning Skills

Enrollment Data: Distance Education

7. Do you offer Distance Education?

Yes

Enrollment Data: Distance Education

2019-2020

9418

2020-2021

24126

2021-2022

18906

Enrollment Data: Distance Education

7c. If your institution experienced an increase (or decrease) in distance education enrollment of more than 50% in a single year, please explain below (Enter N/A if this does not apply to your institution.)

In 2020-21 Southwestern College shifted all face-to-face courses to distance education due to COVID-19, except some select courses in the following disciplines: ADN, AJ, CD, CNA, DH, EMT, EMTP, ES/I, ES/T, FS, MEDOP, MLT, MUS, ST, and VN.

Enrollment Data: Correspondence Education

8. Do you offer Correspondence Education?

Yes

Enrollment Data: Correspondence Education

2019-2020

n/a

2020-2021

545

2021-2022

503

Enrollment Data: Correspondence Education

8c. If your institution experienced an increase (or decrease) in correspondence education enrollment of more than 50% in a single year, please explain below (Enter N/A if this does not apply to your institution.)

The Restorative Justice Program offered to incarcerated individuals by Southwestern College shifted the face-to-face courses offered in this program to correspondence education in April of 2020 due to COVID-19.

Federal Data

9. List the current Graduation Rate per the US Education Department College Scorecard:

27%

10. If your college relies on another source for reporting success metrics, please identify the source (select one).

Other (please specify): DataMart

11. Please provide a link to the exact page on your institution's website that displays its most recent listing of student achievement data.

https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/southwesterncollege/viz/InstitutionalSetStandardsDashboard8_24_2022/InstitutionalSetStandards

Institution-Set Standards: Course Completion Rates

12. Course Completion Rates

	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
12a. List your Institution-Set Standard (floor) for successful student course completion rate:	65%	66%	66%
12b. List your stretch goal (aspirational) for successful student course completion rate:	68%	69%	70%
12c. List the actual successful student course completion rate:	71%	70%	70%

Institution-Set Standards: Certificate Completion

13. Type of Institute-set standard for certificates (Please select one option from the menu):

Number of certificates

13. Certificates

	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
13a. List your Institution-Set Standard (floor) for certificates:	533	599	625
13b. List your stretch goal (aspirational) for certificates:	561	631	658
13c. List actual number or percentage of certificates:	731	714	624

Institution-Set Standards: Associate Degree Completion

14. Type of Institute-set standard for degrees awarded (Please select one option from the menu):

Number of degrees

14. Associate Degree (A.A./A.S.)

	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
14a. List your Institution-Set Standard (floor) for degrees:	1586	1278	1824
14b. List your stretch goal (aspirational) for degrees:	1670	1819	1920
14c. List actual number or percentage of degrees:	2054	2180	2160

Institution-Set Standards: Baccalaureate Degree Completion

15. Does your college offer a Bachelor’s Degree (B.A./B.S.)?

No

Institution-Set Standards: Transfer

16. Type of Institute-set standard for transfers (Please select one option from the menu):

Number of transfers

16. Transfer

	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
16a. List your Institution-Set Standard (floor) for the students who transfer to a 4-year college/university:	1111	1140	1154
16b. List your stretch goal (aspirational) for the students who transfer to a 4-year college/university:	1169	1200	1215
16c. List actual number or percentage of students who transfer to a 4-year college/university:	1360	1321	1198

Institution-Set Standards: Licensure Examination Pass Rates

17. Examination pass rates for programs in which students are required to pass a licensure or other similar examination in order to work in their field of study:

Program

Associate Degree in Nursing

Exam (National, State, Other)

State

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

84%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

89%

2019-20 Pass Rate

93

2020-21 Pass Rate

90

2021-22 Pass Rate

89

Program

Certified Nursing Assistant

Exam (National, State, Other)

State

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

93%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

98%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

100

2021-22 Pass Rate

100

Program

Emergency Medical Technician

Exam (National, State, Other)

National

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

67%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

71%

2019-20 Pass Rate

62

2020-21 Pass Rate

76

2021-22 Pass Rate

67

Program

Paramedic

Exam (National, State, Other)

National

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

95%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

100%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

100

2021-22 Pass Rate

100

Program

Medical Laboratory Technician

Exam (National, State, Other)

National

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

90%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

100%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

100

2021-22 Pass Rate

100

Program

Dental Hygiene

Exam (National, State, Other)

National

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

95%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

100%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

100

2021-22 Pass Rate

100

Program

Licensed Vocational Nursing

Exam (National, State, Other)

State

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

90%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

95%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

93

2021-22 Pass Rate

n/a

Program

Dental Hygiene

Exam (National, State, Other)

State

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

95%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

100%

2019-20 Pass Rate

100

2020-21 Pass Rate

100

2021-22 Pass Rate

100

Institution-Set Standards: Job placement rates

18. Job placement rates for students completing certificate programs and CTE (career-technical education) degrees for last three years available data:

Program

Architecture & Architectural Technology - 020100

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

65%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

69%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

55

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

70

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

60

Program

Business & Commerce, General - 050100

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

63%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

66%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

50

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

50

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

73

Program

Accounting - 050200

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

74%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

78%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

63

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

71

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

68

Program

Business Administration - 050500

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

73%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

77%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

92

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

70

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

77

Program

Business Management - 050600

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

75%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

79%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

72

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

77

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

64

Program

Management Development & Supervision - 050630

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

28%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

29%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

27

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

29

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

63

Program

Real Estate - 051100

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

54%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

57%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

60

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

60

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

68

Program

Office Technology/ Office Computer Applications - 051400

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

67%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

70%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

72

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

61

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

80

Program

Television (including combined TV/ Film/ Video) - 060420

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

67%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

70%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

93

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

65

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

75

Program

Website Design & Development - 061430

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

46%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

48%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

60

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

55

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

40

Program

Fitness Trainer - 083520

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

67%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

71%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

53

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

57

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

60

Program

Automotive Technology - 094800

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

74%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

78%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

83

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

76

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

91

Program

Construction Inspection - 095720

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

74%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

78%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

89

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

75

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

85

Program

Applied Photography - 101200

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

63%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

66%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

60

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

54

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

70

Program

Graphic Art & Design - 103000

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

59%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

62%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

86

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

80

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

62

Program

Medical Assisting - 120800

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

60%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

63%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

60

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

67

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

81

Program

Surgical Technician - 121700

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

82%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

87%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

93

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

91

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

100

Program

Registered Nursing - 123010

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

83%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

88%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

82

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

90

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

100

Program

Licensed Vocational Nursing - 123020

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

88%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

92%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

80

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

96

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

96

Program

Dental Hygienist - 124020

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

86%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

91%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

96

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

92

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

96

Program

Emergency Medical Services - 125000

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

91%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

96%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

100

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

91

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

80

Program

Paramedic - 125100

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

85%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

89%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

78

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

96

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

92

Program

Culinary Arts - 130630

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

72%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

75%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

53

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

67

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

68

Program

Hospitality - 130700

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

67%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

70%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

40

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

100

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

64

Program

Family Studies - 130800

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

62%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

65%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

69

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

66

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

75

Program

Paralegal - 140200

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

77%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

81%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

71

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

92

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

85

Program

Administration of Justice - 210500

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

79%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

83%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

87

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

75

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

86

Program

Police Academy - 210550

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

86%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

90%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

79

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

83

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

92

Program

Fire Technology - 213300

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

80%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

85%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

75

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

76

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

75

Program

Legal & Community Interpretation - 214000

Institution-Set Standard (%) (Floor)

63%

Stretch (Aspirational) Goal (%)

66%

2019-20 Job Placement Rate

60

2020-21 Job Placement Rate

75

2021-22 Job Placement Rate

64

Additional Comments

19. Please use this text box to provide any comments regarding the data submitted in this report (optional, no limit).

Note on question 6a Headcount Enrollment Data:

For the purpose of this report, headcount in subjects (which are used for program review) that offered at least one degree applicable course in the 2021-22 academic year were used as the basis of the analysis. This included all subjects except CNA and REC.

Note on question 9 Headcount Enrollment Data:

Data reported for 2020-2021 were pulled using an incorrect method for reporting location. This has been changed to more accurately reflect Instructional Method.

Note on question 17 Licensure Exam Pass Rates:

The Board of Vocational Nursing & Psychiatric Technicians, the state accrediting body for Licensed Vocational Nursing that tracks licensure rates, has not released the annual licensure rates as of 4/5/2023. These are not going to be released until after this report is due. These numbers will be reported next year.

Notes on Question 18 Employment Rates for Career and Technical Education Students:

Only TOP codes with a count of at least 10 students in the 2023-24 Planning Year (2021-22 Outcomes Year) were included in reporting. Additionally, "Health Professions, Transfer Core Curriculum (TOP Code 126000)" has been excluded from reporting.

This data reflects two different data sources, Perkins Core Indicators IV (2017-18 and earlier) and Perkins Core Indicators V (2018-19 and later). The 2017-18 and earlier data is not used directly in reporting, but is used in the calculation of Institutional Set Standards. The ISS is calculated using a 5 year average and includes data from Perkins IV. If the methodology changed, the numbers may not be comparable.

By submitting this report on behalf of my institution, I confirm that the data and information contained herein is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. The institution acknowledges that knowingly submitting false or inaccurate data may result in notification to the U.S. Department of Education and/or accreditation action.

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