

Rush University

Enrollment At-A-Glance Report: Spring 2024

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About Rush University

RUSH University is a private health sciences institution based in the Illinois Medical District, near Chicago's Loop. We offer more than 24 degree and certificate programs across medicine, nursing, allied health and biomedical research; more than 60 postgraduate training programs for medical residents and fellows; and continuing education options.

The University is located on the campus of Rush University Medical Center, a nationally ranked academic medical center specializing in leading-edge patient care and research.

Rush University offers a wide range of education and training options to prepare students for the next step in their health care career. Academic programs are offered through our three colleges:

- **Rush Medical College** (founded in 1837)
- **Rush University College of Nursing** (founded in 1885)
- **The College of Health Sciences at Rush University** (founded in 1975)

Mission

RUSH University champions a learning environment in health and biomedical sciences through collaboration, education, research and equity for our students, faculty, staff and the communities we serve.

Vision

RUSH University is a model for improving health through innovative research and transformative education in a culture of excellence and equity.

Values

RUSH University's core values — innovation, collaboration, accountability, respect and excellence — are the roadmap to our mission and vision.

These five values, known as our I CARE values, convey the philosophy behind every decision RUSH employees make. RUSH employees also commit themselves to executing these values with compassion. This translates into a dedication — shared by all members of the RUSH community — to providing the highest quality patient care.

Leadership

Larry J. Goodman, MD

Interim President, RUSH University

Interim Chief Academic Officer, RUSH University System for health

Christine M. Kennedy, PhD, RN, FAAN

Interim Provost and Vice President

Dean, College of Nursing

Cynthia Brincat, MD, PhD

Dean, RUSH Medical College(Acting)

Jason S. Turner, PhD, MAE

Interim Dean, College of Health Sciences

Susanna G. Chubinskaya, PhD

Vice Provost, Faculty Affairs

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Vice Provost, Student Affairs

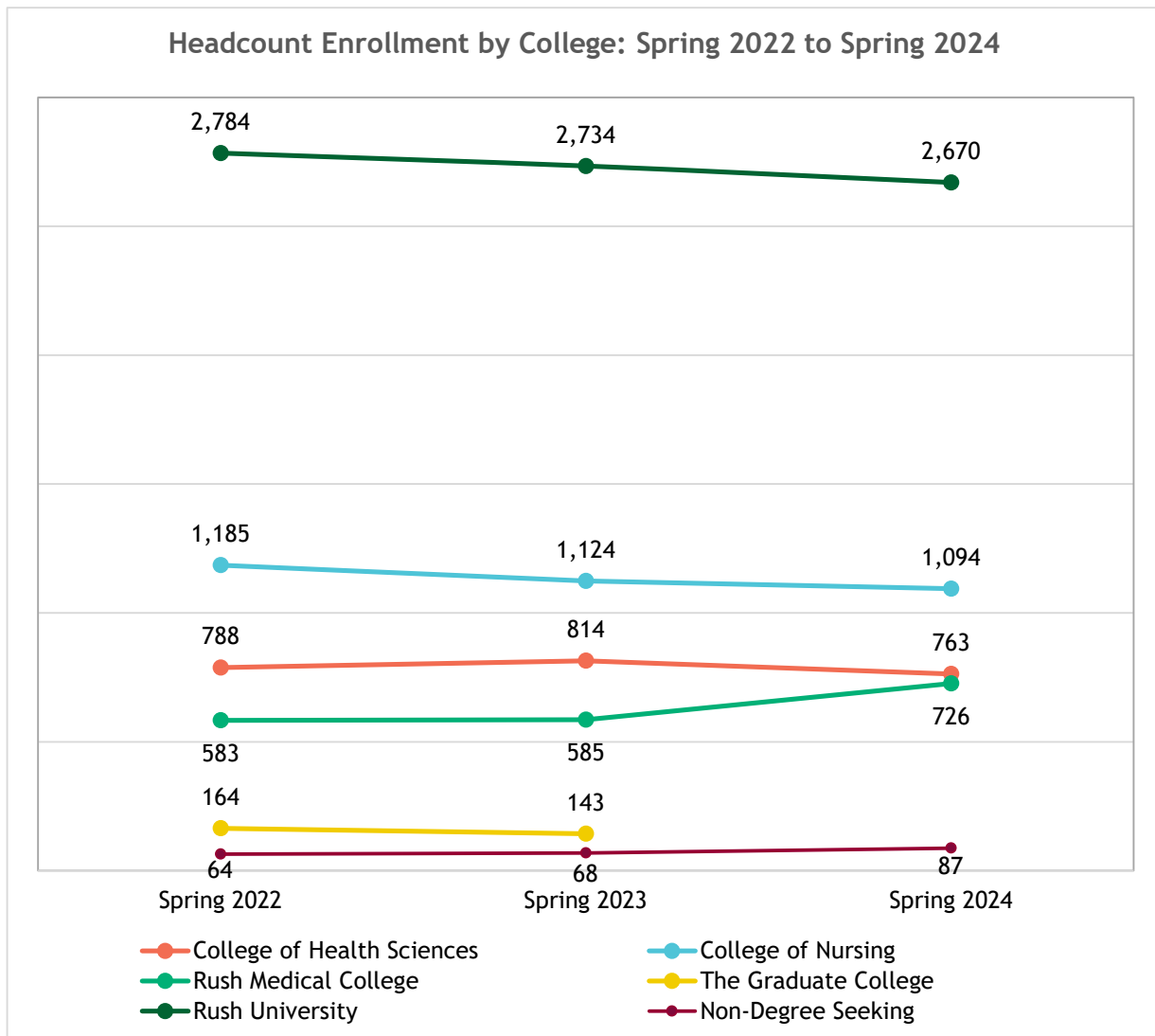
Vince Gattuso, MBA

Chief Financial Business Officer

Spring 2024: Headcount Enrollment by College

	Spring 2022	Spring 2023	Spring 2024
College of Health Sciences	788	814	763
College of Nursing	1,185	1,124	1,094
Rush Medical College	583	585	726 *
The Graduate College	164	143	-- *
Non-Degree Seeking	64	68	87
Rush University	2,784	2,734	2,670

* Changes in enrollment are driven by the transition of The Graduate College to Rush Medical College - Division of Translational Science



Enrollment by Program

College of Health Sciences (CHS)	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
Audiology, AuD	49	52	53
Cardiovascular Perfusion, MS	38	39	40
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS	25	26	28
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS & Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert (Combined category)	11	11	12
Clinical Nutrition, MS	46	48	48
Health Sciences, BS	50	50	47
Health Sciences, PhD	52	59	55
Health Systems Management, MS	93	100	96
Imaging Sciences, BS	42	40	46
Medical Laboratory Science, MS	47	47	40
Occupational Therapy Doctorate	110	106	105
Physician Assistant Studies, MS	56	63	63
Respiratory Care, MS	34	38	33
Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert.	14	7	7
Speech Language Pathology, MS	94	107	71*
Vascular Ultrasound, BS	27	21	19
CHS Total	788	814	763

* Decrease due to admitting one instead of two classes as planned

College of Nursing (CON)	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
Masters of Science in Nursing, MSN	355	340	322
PhD in Nursing	29	30	31
Post-Graduate Nursing, Cert.	8	5	5
Doctor of Nursing Practice, DNP	793	749	736
CON Total	1,185	1,124	1,094

Rush Medical College (RMC)	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
M1	158	148	145
M2	149	150	148
M3	133	150	153
M4	143	137	150
MED Total	583	585	596
RMC, Division of Translational Science	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
Biotechnology, MS	--	--	30
Clinical Research, MS	--	--	35
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, MS	--	--	10
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, PhD	--	--	55
DTS Total	--	--	130
RMC Total	583	585	726

Graduate College (GC)	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
Biotechnology, MS	37	34	--
Clinical Research, MS	44	35	--
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, MS	19	8	--
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, PhD	64	66	--
GC Total	164	143	--

Non-Degree Seeking	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
College of Health Sciences: Student-At-Large	17	9	17
College of Nursing: Student-At-Large	47	59	69
Rush Medical College: Student-At-Large	--	--	1
Non-Degree Seeking Total	64	68	87

Enrollment by Degree Level

	SP2022		SP2023		SP2024	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Undergraduate Students	119	4%	111	4%	112	4%
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	899	32%	896	33%	828	31%
Research Doctorates (PhD)	145	5%	155	6%	141	5%
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	1,535	55%	1,492	55%	1,490	56%
Certificates	22	1%	12	0%	12	0%
Non-Degree Seeking	64	2%	68	2%	87	3%
Rush University	2,784	100%	2,734	100%	2,670	100%

Enrollment by Full-time/Part-time Status

	SP2022		SP2023		SP2024	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Full-time	1,699	61%	1,710	63%	1,620	61%
Part-time	1,085	39%	1,024	37%	1,050	39%
Rush University	2,784	100%	2,734	100%	2,670	100%

Enrollment by Gender

	SP2022		SP2023		SP2024	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Female	2,118	76%	2,105	77%	2,063	77%
Male	666	24%	629	23%	594	22%
Unknown/Other	0	0%	0	0%	13	0%
Rush University	2,784	100%	2,734	100%	2,670	100%

Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity

	SP2022		SP2023		SP2024	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0%	1	0%	0	0%
Asian	349	13%	420	15%	413	15%
Black/African American	241	9%	244	9%	275	10%
Hispanic	373	13%	388	14%	400	15%
Two or More Races	52	2%	57	2%	75	3%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%
International/Non-Residents *	--	--	--	--	29	1%
Unknown	122	4%	97	4%	67	3%
White	1,646	59%	1,527	56%	1,408	53%
Rush University	2,784	100%	2,734	100%	2,670	100%
All Minority **	1,016	36%	1,110	41%	1,166	44%

* Prior to spring 2024, non-residents were included in the unknown category.

** All Minority include: American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Black/African American, Hispanic, Two or More Races, and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Enrollment by Age Group

	SP2022		SP2023		SP2024	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Under 21	7	0%	0	0%	2	0%
21-25	626	22%	616	23%	599	22%
26-30	1,203	43%	1,209	44%	1,174	44%
31-35	517	19%	473	17%	460	17%
36-40	196	7%	201	7%	216	8%
Over 40	233	8%	235	9%	219	8%
Unknown	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Rush University	2,784	100%	2,734	100%	2,670	100%
Average Age	30		30		30	

New Students Enrollment by College

College/Year	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
College of Health Sciences	7	17	4
College of Nursing	94	79	68
Rush Medical College	--	--	2
Non-Degree Seeking	55	36	47
Rush University	156	132	121

New Students Enrollment by Degree Level

	SP2022	SP2023	SP2024
Undergraduate Students	3	5	1
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	85	76	60
Research Doctorates (PhD)	4	7	1
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	8	5	9
Certificates	1	3	3
Non-Degree Seeking	55	36	47
Rush University	156	132	121

Degrees Awarded by College

	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	Fall 2023
College of Health Sciences	41	40	43
College of Nursing	129	152	131
Rush Medical College	2	0	4
The Graduate College	7	11	--
Rush University	179	203	178

Degrees Awarded by Degree Type

	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	Fall 2023
Bachelor's	3	3	7
Master's	115	121	109
Research Doctorates (PhD)	2	2	4
Professional Doctorates (AUD,OTD, DNP, MD)	51	72	53
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate	0	0	0
Post-Master's Certificate	8	5	5
Rush University	179	203	178