

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 40 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 four colleges:

- Rush Medical College (founded in 1837)
- Rush University College of Nursing (founded in 1975)
- The College of Health Sciences at Rush University (founded in 1975)
- The Graduate College at Rush University (founded in 1981)

Mission

Rush University provides outstanding health sciences education and conducts impactful research in a culture of inclusion, focused on the promotion and preservation of the health and well-being of our diverse communities.

Vision

The Rush learning community will be the leading health sciences university committed to transforming health care through innovative research and education.

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

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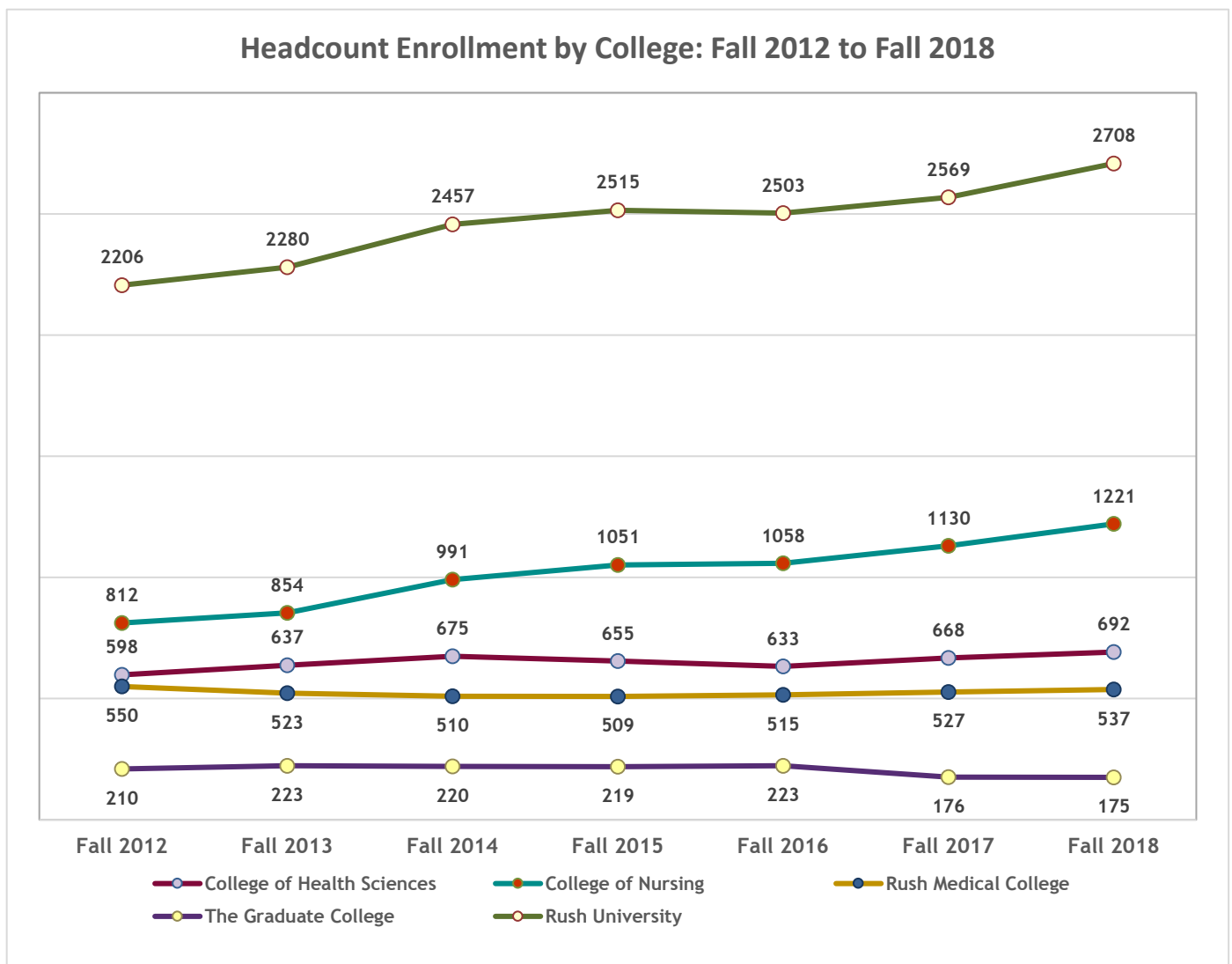
Rush University Facts

- Total enrollment Fall 2018: 2,708
- Female: 74 percent
- Male: 26 percent
- Average age: 29
- Total new students enrollment Fall 2018: 858
- Total degrees awarded in academic year 2017-18: 753
- Number of residents and fellows (2018): 733
- Number of living alumni (2018): 16,783

Headcount Enrollment by College

	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018
College of Health Sciences	598	637	675	655	633	668	692
College of Nursing	812	854	991	1051	1058	1130	1221
Rush Medical College	550	523	510	509	515	527	537
The Graduate College	210	223	220	219	223	176	175
<i>Non-Degree Seeking</i>	36	43	61	81	74	68	83
Rush University	2206	2280	2457	2515	2503	2569	2708

Note: Beginning fall 2017, the PhD in Health Sciences and PhD in Nursing are, now, listed under their respective colleges although the degrees are conferred by the Graduate College. The decrease in enrollment for the Graduate College is a result of reallocation of the enrollments to their respective colleges and not a result of a drop in enrollment.



Enrollment by Program

College of Health Sciences (CHS)	FA2014	FA2015	FA2016	FA2017	FA2018
Audiology, AuD	47	53	59	56	61
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS	34	42	41	43	36
Clinical Nutrition, MS	34	33	31	31	34
Health Sciences, BS	18	26	27	26	37
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CHS)	--	--	--	41	49
Health Systems Management, MS	52	55	59	58	61
Imaging Sciences, BS	52	37	44	52	57
Medical Laboratory Science, BS	20	27	16	--	--
Medical Laboratory Science, MS	27	29	26	29	36
Occupational Therapy, MS	75	75	74	37	2
Occupational Therapy Doctorate (New program starting from FA17)	--	--	--	36	72
Perfusion Technology, BS	3	7	3	0	0
Perfusion Technology, MS	26	28	33	39	37
Physician Assistant Studies, MS	86	91	91	87	86
Research Administration, MS	19	11	1	0	0
Respiratory Care, BS	15	7	3	0	0
Respiratory Care, MS	68	42	35	36	21
Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert.	17	8	4	7	11
Speech Language Pathology, MS	53	54	57	61	66
Vascular Ultrasound, BS	29	30	29	29	26
Total College of Health Sciences	675	655	633	668	692
College of Nursing (CON)	FA2014	FA2015	FA2016	FA2017	FA2018
Masters of Science in Nursing, MSN	392	335	323	330	356
PhD in Nursing (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CON)	--	--	--	24	28
Post-Graduate Nursing, Cert.	24	13	14	14	20
RN First Assist, Course Series	6	--	--	--	--
Doctor of Nursing Practice, DNP	569	703	721	762	817
Total College of Nursing	991	1051	1,058	1,130	1,221
Rush Medical College (RMC)	FA2014	FA2015	FA2016	FA2017	FA2018
M1	130	130	138	136	149
M2	125	131	129	140	129
M3	119	121	133	127	131
M4	136	127	115	124	128
Total Rush Medical College	510	509	515	527	537
Graduate College (GC)	FA2014	FA2015	FA2016	FA2017	FA2018
Anatomy & Cell Biology, MS/PhD	7	9	5	3	1
Biochemistry, MS/PhD	18	18	9	9	5
Biomechanics, MS/PhD	5	4	2	2	1
Biotechnology, MS	32	31	31	34	34
Clinical Research, MS	75	69	57	67	69
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to CHS)	14	21	34	--	--
Immunology/Microbiology, MS/PhD	10	11	9	4	1
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, MS	--	--	15	19	16
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, PhD	--	11	24	32	44
Neuroscience, PhD	8	6	5	3	2
Nursing, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to CON)	36	30	27	--	--
Radiological Sciences, MS	1	--	--	--	--
Pharmacology, MS/PhD	12	8	4	3	2
Molecular Biophysics/Physiology, PhD	2	1	1	--	--
Total Graduate College	220	219	223	176	175
Non-Degree Seeking	61	81	74	68	83

Enrollment by Degree Level

	Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Undergraduate Students	122	5%	107	4%	120	4%
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	880	35%	872	34%	854	32%
Research Doctorates (PhD)	114	5%	120	5%	133	5%
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	1295	52%	1381	54%	1487	55%
Certificates	18	1%	21	1%	31	1%
Non-Degree Seeking	74	3%	68	3%	83	3%
Rush University	2503	100%	2569	100%	2708	100%

Enrollment by Full-time/Part-time Status

	Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Full-time	1524	61%	1581	62%	1660	61%
Part-time	979	39%	988	38%	1048	39%
Rush University	2503	100%	2569	100%	2708	100%

Enrollment by Gender

	Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Female	1858	74%	1885	73%	2014	74%
Male	645	26%	684	27%	694	26%
Rush University	2503	100%	2569	100%	2708	100%

Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity

	Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
American Indian or Alaskan Native	3	0%	2	0%	1	0%
Asian	308	12%	339	13%	289	11%
Black/African American	150	6%	155	6%	178	7%
Hispanic	227	9%	239	9%	274	10%
Two or More Races	59	2%	72	3%	62	2%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0%	1	0%	3	0%
Unknown	149	6%	155	6%	216	8%
White	1606	64%	1606	63%	1685	62%
Rush University	2503	100%	2569	100%	2708	100%
All Minority	748	30%	808	31%	807	30%

Enrollment by Age Group

	Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Under 20 or 20	5	0%	7	0%	4	0%
21-25	872	35%	886	34%	901	33%
26-30	941	38%	933	36%	1011	37%
31-35	340	14%	372	14%	414	15%
36-40	137	5%	162	6%	175	6%
Over 40	204	8%	209	8%	203	7%
Rush University	2499	100%	2569	100%	2708	100%
Average Age	29		29		29	

New Students Enrollment by College

College/Year	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018
College of Health Sciences	199	268	262
College of Nursing	230	283	301
Rush Medical College	136	136	144
The Graduate College	98	97	94
Non-Degree Seeking	51	49	57
Rush University	714	833	858

New Students Enrollment by Degree Level

	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018
Undergraduate Students	45	48	56
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	291	327	309
Research Doctorates (PhD)	21	23	28
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	301	377	394
Certificates	5	9	14
Non-Degree Seeking	51	49	57
Rush University	714	833	858

Degrees Awarded* by College

	AY 2015-16	AY 2016-17	AY 2017-18
College of Health Sciences	297	284	235
College of Nursing	339	366	307
Rush Medical College	128	114	131
The Graduate College	97	71	80
Rush University	861	835	753

*Degrees Awarded between July 1 and June 30 of years indicated.

Degrees Awarded by Degree Type

	AY 2015-16	AY 2016-17	AY 2017-18
Bachelor's	58	55	37
Master's	450	423	369
Research Doctorates (PhD)	20	13	14
Professional Doctorates (AUD, DNP, MD)	300	317	313
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate	18	13	10
Post-Master's Certificate	15	14	10
Rush University	861	835	753