RUSH UNIVERSITY

Enrollment Facts & Figures
AT A GLANCE

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 1972)
- 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

Larry J. Goodman, MD
President

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Provost

Marquis D. Foreman, PhD, RN, FAAN
Dean, College of Nursing

K. Ranga Rama Krishnan, MB, ChB
Dean, Rush Medical College

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Acting Dean, Graduate College

Charlotte Royeen, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA
Dean, College of Health Sciences

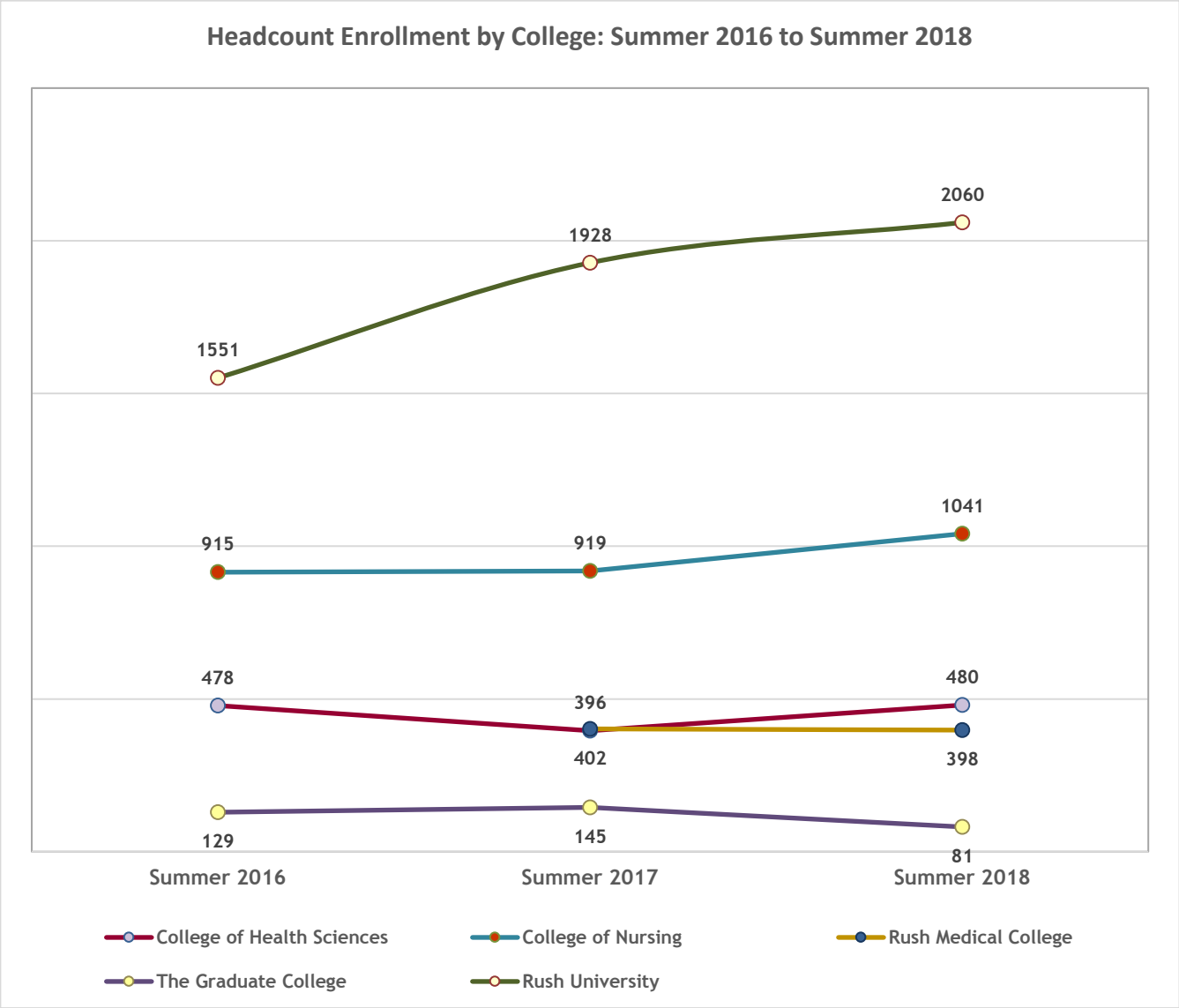
Rush University Facts

- Total enrollment Summer 2018: 2,060
- Female: 75 percent
- Male: 25 percent
- Average age: 30
- Total new students enrollment Summer 2018: 125
- Total degrees awarded in academic year 2016-17: 835
- Countries represented: 18
- Number of residents and fellows (2017): 678
- Number of living alumni (2017): 26,267

Summer 2018: Headcount Enrollment by College

	Summer 2016	Summer 2017	Summer 2018
College of Health Sciences	478	396	480
College of Nursing	915	919	1041
Rush Medical College	--	402	398
The Graduate College	129	145	81
Non-Degree Seeking	*29*	*66*	*60*
Rush University	**1551**	**1928**	**2060**

Note: Beginning fall 2017, the PhD in Health Sciences and PhD in Nursing are 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)	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
Audiology, AuD	39	42	46
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS (CLMB.MS)	5	7	8
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS & Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert (CLM.MS)	27	26	26
Clinical Nutrition, MS	17	16	17
Health Sciences, BS	14	15	17
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CHS)	--	--	40
Health Systems Management, MS	3	1	0
Imaging Sciences, BS	37	31	46
Medical Laboratory Science, BS	18	0	0
Medical Laboratory Science, MS	17	9	18
Occupational Therapy, MS	109	70	35
Occupational Therapy Doctorate (New program starting from FA17)	--	--	35
Perfusion Technology, BS	4	0	0
Perfusion Technology, MS	14	18	21
Physician Assistant Studies, MS	92	91	88
Research Administration, MS	3	0	0
Respiratory Care, BS	4	1	0
Respiratory Care, MS	26	23	32
Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert.	5	4	5
Speech Language Pathology, MS	28	28	35
Vascular Ultrasound, BS	16	14	11
Total College of Health Sciences	**478**	**396**	**480**

College of Nursing (CON)	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
Masters of Science in Nursing, MSN	305	296	345
PhD in Nursing (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CON)	--	--	19
Post-Graduate Nursing, Cert.	14	12	15
Doctor of Nursing Practice, DNP	596	611	662
Total College of Nursing	**915**	**919**	**1,041**

Rush Medical College (RMC)	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
M1	--	--	133
M2	--	142	--
M3	--	128	139
M4	--	132	126
Total Rush Medical College	**--**	**402**	**398**

Graduate College (GC)	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
Anatomy & Cell Biology, MS/PhD	6	3	2
Biochemistry, MS/PhD	8	7	8
Biomechanics, MS/PhD	3	2	2
Biotechnology, MS	--	--	--
Clinical Research, MS	29	34	22
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to CHS)	26	32	--
Immunology, MS/PhD	10	3	2
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, MS	2	9	8
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, PhD	11	23	32
Neuroscience, PhD	5	4	3
Nursing, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to	24	24	--
Pharmacology, MS/PhD	4	3	2
Molecular Biophysics/Physiology, PhD	1	1	0
Total Graduate College	**129**	**145**	**81**

Enrollment by Degree Level

	SU2016		SU2017		SU2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Undergraduate Students	93	6%	61	3%	74	4%
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	684	44%	628	33%	655	32%
Research Doctorates (PhD)	91	6%	102	5%	110	5%
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	635	41%	1055	55%	1141	55%
Certificates	19	1%	16	1%	20	1%
Non-Degree Seeking	29	2%	66	3%	60	3%
Rush University	**1551**	**100%**	**1928**	**100%**	**2060**	**100%**

Enrollment by Full-time/Part-time Status

	SU2016		SU2017		SU2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Full-time	704	45%	1064	55%	1133	55%
Part-time	847	55%	864	45%	927	45%
Rush University	**1551**	**100%**	**1928**	**100%**	**2060**	**100%**

Enrollment by Gender

	SU2016		SU2017		SU2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Female	1277	82%	1452	75%	1538	75%
Male	274	18%	476	25%	522	25%
Rush University	**1551**	**100%**	**1928**	**100%**	**2060**	**100%**

Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity

	SU2016		SU2017		SU2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0%	0	0%	1	0%
Asian	118	8%	243	13%	240	12%
Black/African American	94	6%	119	6%	122	6%
Hispanic	143	9%	162	8%	190	9%
Two or More Races	30	2%	46	2%	64	3%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0%	1	0%	2	0%
Unknown	103	7%	116	6%	151	7%
White	1060	68%	1241	64%	1290	63%
Rush University	**1551**	**100%**	**1928**	**100%**	**2060**	**100%**
All Minority	388	25%	571	30%	619	30%

Enrollment by Age Group

	SU2016		SU2017		SU2018	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Under 20 or 20	1	0%	2	0%	2	0%
21-25	382	25%	522	27%	540	26%
26-30	602	39%	801	42%	847	41%
31-35	279	18%	316	16%	349	17%
36-40	106	7%	123	6%	142	7%
Over 40	181	12%	160	8%	180	9%
Rush University	**1551**	**100%**	**1924**	**100%**	**2060**	**100%**
Average Age	31		30		30	

New Students Enrollment by College

College/Year	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
College of Health Sciences	71	32	31
College of Nursing	65	59	60
Rush Medical College	--	0	0
The Graduate College	1	1	0
Non-Degree Seeking	12	43	34
Rush University	**149**	**135**	**125**

New Students Enrollment by Degree Level

	SU2016	SU2017	SU2018
Undergraduate Students	2	1	0
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	75	37	38
Research Doctorates (PhD)	1	0	0
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	54	47	50
Certificates	5	7	3
Non-Degree Seeking	12	43	34
Rush University	**149**	**135**	**125**

Degrees Awarded* by College

	AY 2014-15	AY 2015-16	AY 2016-17
College of Health Sciences	270	297	284
College of Nursing	315	339	366
Rush Medical College	132	128	114
The Graduate College	73	97	71
Rush University	**790**	**861**	**835**

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

Degrees Awarded by Degree Type

	AY 2014-15	AY 2015-16	AY 2016-17
Bachelor's	58	58	55
Master's	496	450	423
Research Doctorates (PhD)	17	20	13
Professional Doctorates (AUD, DNP, MD)	184	300	317
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate	13	18	13
Post-Master's Certificate	22	15	14
Rush University	**790**	**861**	**835**