



# 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

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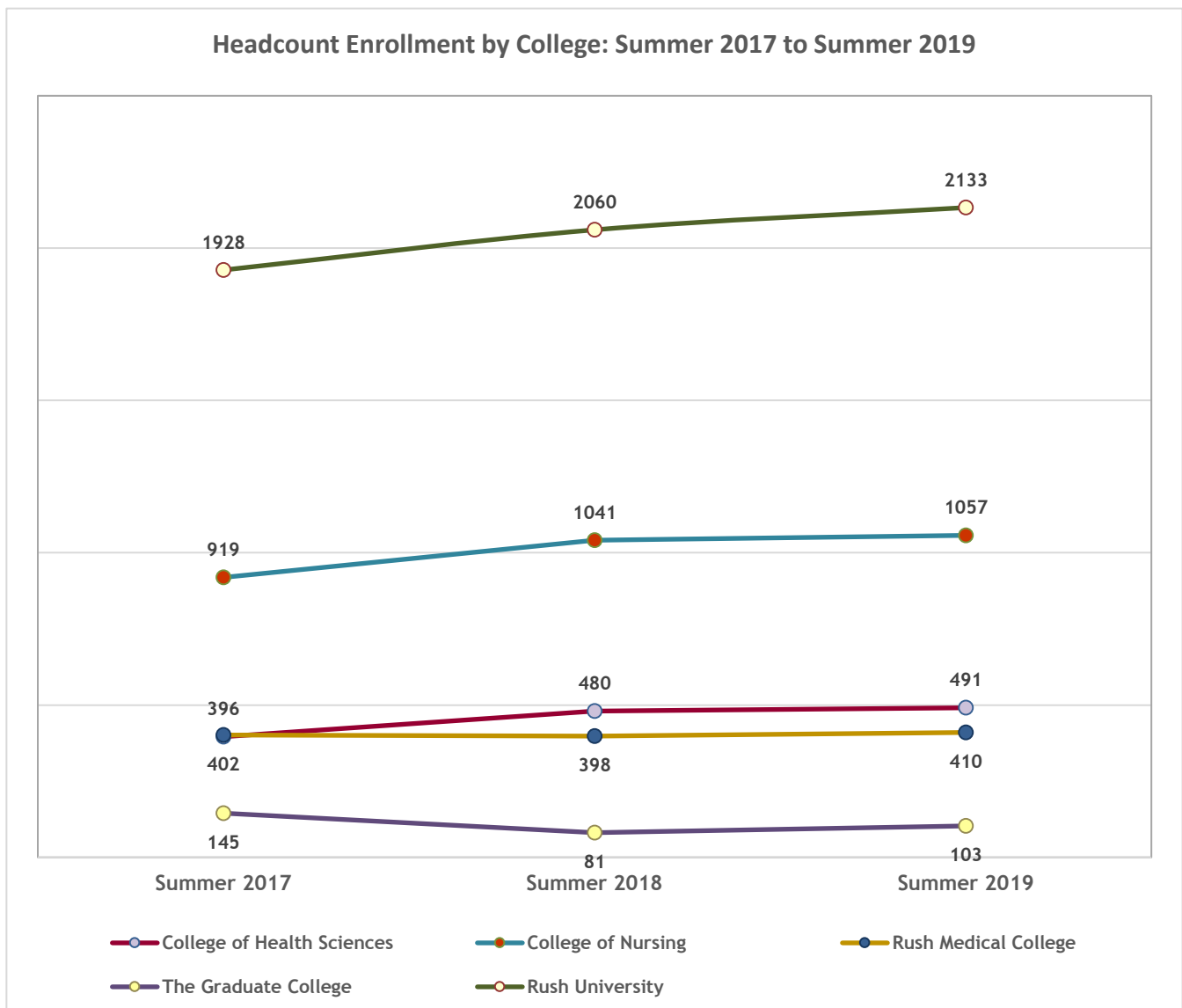
## Rush University Facts

- Total enrollment Summer 2019: 2,133
- Female: 76 percent
- Male: 24 percent
- Average age: 30
- Total new students enrollment Summer 2019: 112
- Total degrees awarded in academic year 2017-18: 753
- Number of residents and fellows (2018): 733
- Number of living alumni (2018): 16,783

## Summer 2019: Headcount Enrollment by College

College	Summer 2017	Summer 2018	Summer 2019
College of Health Sciences	396	480	491
College of Nursing	919	1041	1057
Rush Medical College	402	398	410
The Graduate College	145	81	103
<i>Non-Degree Seeking</i>	66	60	72
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1928</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>2133</b>

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)	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
Audiology, AuD	42	46	48
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS (CLMB.MS)	7	8	6
Clinical Laboratory Management, MS & Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert (CLM.MS)	26	26	19
Clinical Nutrition, MS	16	17	18
Health Sciences, BS	15	17	29
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CHS)	--	40	46
Health Systems Management, MS	1	0	0
Imaging Sciences, BS	31	46	41
Medical Laboratory Science, MS	9	18	21
Occupational Therapy, MS	70	35	1
Occupational Therapy Doctorate (New program starting from FA17)	--	35	69
Perfusion Technology, MS	18	21	15
Physician Assistant Studies, MS	91	88	87
Respiratory Care, BS	1	0	0
Respiratory Care, MS	23	32	22
Specialist in Blood Bank, Cert.	4	5	19
Speech Language Pathology, MS	28	35	35
Vascular Ultrasound, BS	14	11	15
<b>Total College of Health Sciences</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>491</b>
College of Nursing (CON)	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
Masters of Science in Nursing, MSN	296	345	361
PhD in Nursing (Note: From FA17, reporting moved from GC to CON)	--	19	23
Post-Graduate Nursing, Cert.	12	15	12
Doctor of Nursing Practice, DNP	611	662	661
<b>Total College of Nursing</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>1,041</b>	<b>1,057</b>
Rush Medical College (RMC)	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
M1	--	133	149
M2	142	--	--
M3	128	139	130
M4	132	126	131
<b>Total Rush Medical College</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>410</b>
Graduate College (GC)	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
Anatomy & Cell Biology, MS/PhD	3	2	0
Biochemistry, MS/PhD	7	8	5
Biomechanics, MS/PhD	2	2	0
Biotechnology, MS	--	--	0
Clinical Research, MS	34	22	43
Health Sciences, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to CHS)	32	--	--
Immunology, MS/PhD	3	2	1
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, MS	9	8	9
Integrated Biomedical Sciences, PhD	23	32	42
Neuroscience, PhD	4	3	1
Nursing, PhD (Note: From FA17, reporting moved to CON)	24	--	--
Pharmacology, MS/PhD	3	2	2
Molecular Biophysics/Physiology, PhD	1	0	0
<b>Total Graduate College</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>103</b>

### Enrollment by Degree Level

	SU2017		SU2018		SU2019	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Undergraduate Students	61	3%	74	4%	85	4%
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	628	33%	655	32%	637	30%
Research Doctorates (PhD)	102	5%	110	5%	120	6%
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	1055	55%	1141	55%	1188	56%
Certificates	16	1%	20	1%	31	1%
Non-Degree Seeking	66	3%	60	3%	72	3%
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1928</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2133</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Enrollment by Full-time/Part-time Status

	SU2017		SU2018		SU2019	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Full-time	1064	55%	1133	55%	1170	55%
Part-time	864	45%	927	45%	963	45%
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1928</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2133</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Enrollment by Gender

	SU2017		SU2018		SU2019	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Female	1452	75%	1538	75%	1614	76%
Male	476	25%	522	25%	519	24%
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1928</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2133</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity

	SU2017		SU2018		SU2019	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	0%	1	0%	1	0%
Asian	243	13%	240	12%	198	9%
Black/African American	119	6%	122	6%	155	7%
Hispanic	162	8%	190	9%	220	10%
Two or More Races	46	2%	64	3%	43	2%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0%	2	0%	2	0%
Unknown	116	6%	151	7%	173	8%
White	1241	64%	1290	63%	1341	63%
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1928</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2133</b>	<b>100%</b>
All Minority	571	30%	619	30%	619	29%

### Enrollment by Age Group

	SU2017		SU2018		SU2019	
	Number	Pct	Number	Pct	Number	Pct
Under 20 or 20	2	0%	2	0%	0	0%
21-25	522	27%	540	26%	508	24%
26-30	801	42%	847	41%	892	42%
31-35	316	16%	349	17%	370	17%
36-40	123	6%	142	7%	174	8%
Over 40	160	8%	180	9%	189	9%
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>1924</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2060</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2133</b>	<b>100%</b>
Average Age	30		30		30	

### New Students Enrollment by College

College/Year	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
College of Health Sciences	32	31	30
College of Nursing	59	60	43
Rush Medical College	--	--	--
The Graduate College	1	0	1
Non-Degree Seeking	43	34	39
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>113</b>

### New Students Enrollment by Degree Level

	SU2017	SU2018	SU2019
Undergraduate Students	1	0	0
Graduate Students (MS/MSN)	37	38	38
Research Doctorates (PhD)	0	0	1
Professional Doctorates (AUD, OTD, DNP, MD)	47	50	33
Certificates	7	3	2
Non-Degree Seeking	43	34	39
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>113</b>

### 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
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>753</b>

\*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
<b>Rush University</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>753</b>