

Student Achievement Goals

School	Goal	Benchmark	Outcome	Action Plan if Benchmark not Met
Medical	Percent of Medical School Students Passing National Licensing Exam Part 1 or 2 - First Attempt meets or exceeds benchmark	98% (from Legislative Budget Board Performance Measures) *	FY2020: 98% FY2019: 97% FY2018: 95% FY2017: 97% FY2016: 97%	Met
Medical	Percent of Medical School Graduates Practicing in Texas (calculated for individuals who graduated 8, 9, and 10 academic years prior) meets or exceeds benchmark	60% (from Legislative Budget Board Performance Measures) *	FY2020: 58% FY2019: 54% FY2018: 54% FY2017: 53% FY2016: 54%	Natural variance occurs as students choose a primary location to practice medicine.
Graduate	Time to degree for PhD in biological and biomedical sciences meets, or is less than, benchmark	6.5 Years Median (from NSF 19-301 TABLE 56) ^	5.75 Years Median (AYs 2011-2020)	Met
Graduate	Time to Degree for PhD in Clinical Psychology meets or is less than benchmark	5.9 Years Median for Texas for APA Accredited Programs (past 7 years)	4.0 Years Median (past 7 years)	Met
Health Professions	Percent of Health Profession Graduates Passing Certification / Licensure Exam on the First Attempt meets or exceeds benchmark	93% (from Legislative Budget Board Performance Measures) *	FY2020: 93% FY2019: 98% FY2018: 98% FY2017: 98% FY2016: 94%	New workshops and training are being considered to better equip grads for the exams.

*Although reported to the Legislative Budget Board, benchmarks are set by UT Southwestern as part of the Legislative Appropriations Request process.

^ National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics | NSF 19-301 TABLE 56 Statistical profile of doctorate recipients in life sciences fields, by sex and field of study: 2017

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