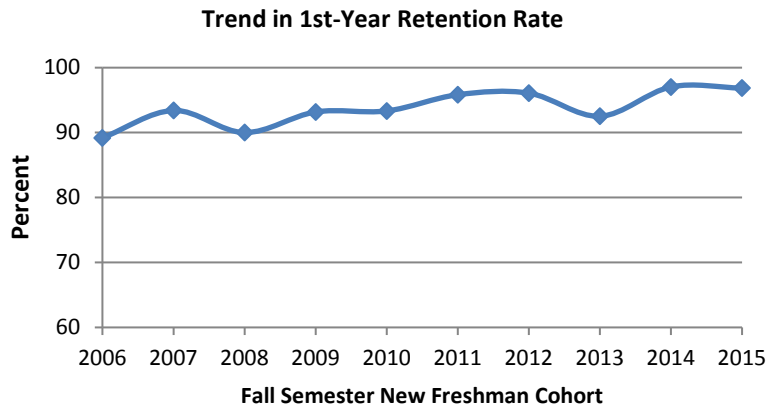
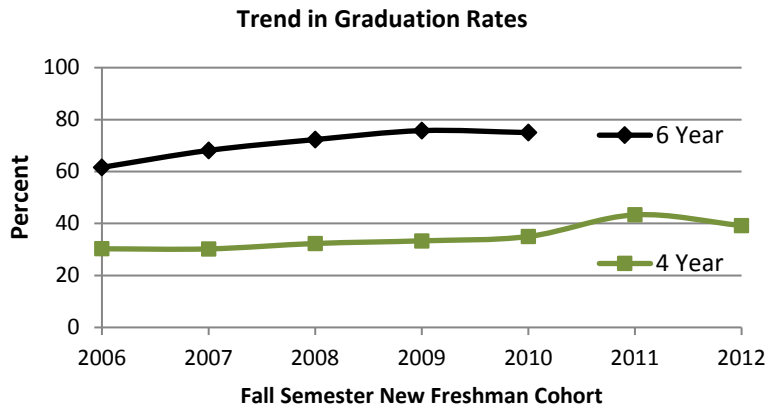
Retention and Graduation Rates of New Freshmen by Fall Semester Entrance Cohort

African American New Freshmen

Cohort		Retention Rate After -			Cumulative Graduation/Retention Rates					
					After 4 Years		After 5 Years		After 6 Years	
Fall	Headcount	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Graduated	Retained	Graduated	Retained	Graduated	Retained
2006	185	89.2	78.9	75.1	30.3	40.5	56.8	8.1	61.6	1.1
2007	182	93.4	82.4	78.6	30.2	44.5	62.6	9.3	68.1	4.9
2008	130	90.0	82.3	78.5	32.3	45.4	67.7	6.2	72.3	2.3
2009	132	93.2	85.6	84.8	33.3	47.0	68.2	8.3	75.8	4.5
2010	120	93.3	85.0	82.5	35.0	46.7	70.8	6.7	75.0	0.8
2011	120	95.8	90.0	84.2	43.3	35.0	70.8	5.8	---	---
2012	102	96.1	90.2	85.3	39.2	41.2	---	---	---	---
2013	147	92.5	91.8	84.4	---	---	---	---	---	---
2014	135	97.0	91.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
2015	127	96.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---





Notes: Fall semester entrance cohorts include new freshmen who enrolled in the fall or in the immediately preceding summer term. Prior to the 2009 cohort, students who entered PharmD, DVM, or MD programs without a bachelors degree were counted as "graduated" when they completed 120 credits. Eligible students are now awarded a milestone bachelors degree and are counted the same way as other graduates.

*Starting in 2008, the Dept. of Educ. changed the collection and reporting of race/ethnicity. Two new categories were added and students were able to select multiple values. For reporting, students who indicate a Hispanic background are reported as Hispanic (even if other values are reported). Students who are not Hispanic but have multiple race values are reported in the "2 or more races" category. Students who are not Hispanic and report a single race are reported in the single race categories. Prior to 2008, only a single race/ethnic value was collected and used in reporting.

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