

MLT Measures of Success

Sandhills Community College

RETENTION RATE

	Jul 2021 – Jun 2022	Jul 2022 – Jun 2023	Jul 2023 – Jun 2024	Total (Last 3 Years) Jul 2021 – Jun 2024
# Entering Second Year	9	7	9	26
# Graduated	7	7	2	21
# Still Enrolled	0	0	6	6
# Did not Complete	2	0	1	3
Retention Rate (%)*	78	100	89	94

*The Retention Rate is defined as the number of students who entered the mid-point of the MLT Program and subsequently completed the program as anticipated. Prior to August 2023, the midpoint was defined as the date between “B” and “C” sessions within third semester which occurs during the summer semester. Beginning August 2023, the midpoint is defined as the point at which a student has completed 20 credits of MLT course.

EMPLOYMENT RATE

	Jul 2021 – Jun 2022	Jul 2022 – Jun 2023	Jul 2023 – Jun 2024	Total (Last 3 Years) Jul 2021 – Jun 2024
# Graduated	7	7	2	21
# Employed as MLT or Related Field	7	7	1	21
# Still seeking employment as MLT	0	0	0	0
# Not seeking employment as MLT	0	0	0	0
# Status unknown	0	0	1	0
Employment Rate (%)**	100	100	100	100

**Employment Rate is defined as the total percentage of graduates who actively sought work in the Medical Laboratory Field who obtained a job as an MLT or related position within 1 year of graduation. Employment rate data is reliant on student post-graduation surveys; due to lack of survey responses, data is not available for all graduates. Graduates who do not respond to post-graduation surveys are not included in the employment rate calculation.

ASCP BOARD OF CERTIFICATION FIRST ATTEMPT PASS RATE

	Jul 2021 – Jun 2022	Jul 2022 – Jun 2023	Jul 2023 – Jun 2024	Total (Last 3 Years) Jul 2021 – Jun 2024
# Attempted BOC Exam (within 1 year of graduation)	6	4	2	12
# Passed on first attempt	5	4	2	11
Program Pass Rate***	83	100	100	92
National Pass Rate	77	79	77	78

***Pass rate is calculated based on number of examinees who took the Certification Exam within one year of graduation. Examinees who took the exam more than 12 months after graduation are not included in the pass rate calculation. Pass rate considers only the first attempt for each graduate.

For the period included in this report, all graduates who did not pass the exam on the first attempt (1 total) retook it and passed within 12 months of graduation.