



### INSTITUTIONAL LICENSURE STANDARD

Institutional Standard: Licensure/Certification data is collected and reported on an annual basis. Any program not meeting the established rate for licensure must complete an improvement plan inside of their operational plans for the upcoming fiscal year.

**Licensure Exam/Certification Pass Rate for the Institution is: 89.6%**

**Standard Deviation: 9.87**

The licensure Exam Pass rate for the institution for FY2009 is 89.6%. A program rate can fall within 9.87 standard deviations from the established rate based upon the previous FY spread of those students passing.

**Sample observance from review of a program's licensure rate over three year period:**

**Surgical Technology** - over a three year period (2007 – 2009), this program's licensure passage rate has increased by 7%; to meet or exceed the benchmark (89.6%) the program would have to increase its passage rate by a minimum of 16%

**Assessment by Administration:** The Surgical Technology program should prepare an improvement plan that supports student learning. The assessment should include no less than one goal for learning outcomes where skills are taught. Improvement strategies should be defined, dated and must note person responsible (see example table below). Each plan must be signed by the department chair, academic dean and vice president of academic affairs. The improvement plan must then be placed in the programs section of the IE Operational Planning module where the faculty will track progress towards meeting the established goal.

Program	Improvement Goal/Plan	Timeline	Person(s) Responsible