

**HOLYOKE
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The Graduate Follow-up Survey
CLASS OF 2020



Purpose of the Graduate Follow-up Survey

Each year, Holyoke Community College (HCC) gathers information on our recent graduates. A graduate follow-up survey was distributed to all graduates from the current calendar year. The purpose of the graduate follow-up survey is two fold. First, students were asked to self-report on their employment and educational status. Second, it was an attempt to learn something about how HCC students evaluate the college and the experience(s) the college affords. Was their experience satisfying? Did it help them move toward their goals?

A survey for the class of 2020 was distributed to 752 graduates and 23% of these graduates responded to the survey. The graduate follow-up survey is administered 3-6 months after graduation. Survey data are based on graduates within a calendar year. Federal (IPEDS) and State (HEIRS) reports are based on fiscal year. As a result figures here may differ from those reported elsewhere.

For additional information on HCC graduates, degrees conferred, institutions to which HCC graduates transfer, graduate rates, and more, please visit Staff Resources on the MyHCC page (HCC faculty and staff only), or call the Office of Institutional Research (413-552-2289).

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Table 1. Employment and Enrollment Status of HCC Graduates who Responded to the Employment and Education Survey Questions*					
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020*
Employed**	78%	77%	80%	71%	65%
Enrolled in academic institution***	59%	58%	57%	64%	60%
Employed and/or Enrolled	94%	94%	94%	90%	86%

* Changes in the timeframe of surveying students may affect the employment and enrollment rates. Starting with the class of 2020, graduates are surveyed 3-6 months after graduation; prior to 2020, graduates were surveyed 9-12 months after graduation. This change is required for Perkins grant reporting.

**Employed regardless of enrollment status. Effective starting with the Class of 2013, the employment rate methodology changed to include those who are currently in the military full-time and those who are currently in registered apprenticeship programs.

***Enrolled regardless of employment status

Table A.1. Number of Degrees/Certificates Awarded, by Calendar Year*

NOTE: Programs with the highest number of graduates for the Class of 2020 appear in bold.

Code	Program Title	CIP Code	Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
B010	Human Resources Management (Certificate)	521001	8	8	5	3	4
B011	Human Resource Mgt (AS - Business Administration)	520201	1	0	1	5	5
B016	Accounting (AS - Accounting)	520302	13	4	1	3	3
B017	Accounting Systems (Certificate)	520302	9	10	4	1	0
B018	Accounting (Certificate)	520302	0	0	0	0	1
B023	Business Administration Mass Transfer (AS - Business Administration)	520201	94	87	100	69	65
B026	Business Administration Career (AS - Business Administration)	520201	24	23	18	16	11
B029	Banking Option (AS - Business Administration)	520201	1	0	0	0	0
B033	Entrepreneurship (AS - Business Administration)	520201	3	2	2	2	4
B034	Business Administration General Transfer (AS - Business Administration)	520201	5	4	1	6	5
B037	Marketing Management General Transfer (AS - Marketing Management)	521803	1	0	0	0	0
B038	Marketing (AS - Business Administration)	521803	0	0	0	1	2
B041	Administrative Professional Studies (AS - Administrative Professional Studies)	520401	1	2	1	0	2
B042	Administrative Professional Studies Cert (Certificate - Administrative Professional Studies)	520401	2	1	2	2	0
B045	Paralegal Transfer (AS - Business Administration)	520201	7	4	4	0	4
B051	Hospitality Management Transfer (AS - Hospitality Management)	520999	4	7	2	3	5
B052	Food Service Management (AS - Hospitality Management)	520999	7	6	6	8	2
B053	Hospitality Management (Certificate - Hospitality Management)	520999	2	0	2	1	1
B056	Hospitality Management Career (AS - Hospitality Management)	520999	1	4	4	4	2
B078	Marketing (Certificate)	521803	0	1	2	0	0
B081	Marketing Management - Retail Management (AS - Marketing Management)	521803	1	1	0	0	0
B084	Retail Management Cert (Certificate - Marketing Management)	521803	1	2	0	0	0
B094	Entrepreneurship (Certificate)	520799	2	0	2	3	1
B096	Sport Management (AS - Sport Management)	310504	9	4	3	4	4
B111	Culinary Arts (Certificate)	120503	20	11	21	17	7
B113	Culinary Arts (AAS - Culinary Arts)	120503	0	0	0	0	5

* First Year Out Survey based on graduates in specific calendar year. Federal (IPEDS) and State (HEIRS) reporting based on fiscal year - figures may differ.

Code	Program Title	CIP Code	Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
C001	General Integrated Studies (AS - Liberal Studies)	240199	24	30	27	27	14
C002	Applied Technology (AS - Liberal Studies)	240199	0	0	0	1	1
C004	General Integrated Studies - Elementary Education (AS - Liberal Studies)	240199	7	10	9	5	8
C008	University Without Walls Option (AS - Liberal Studies)	240199	0	0	0	1	0
C012	Child and Family Studies (AS - Liberal Studies)	240199	0	0	0	4	6
H010	Liberal Arts And Sciences (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	224	212	161	171	123
H011	Theater (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	0	3	1	0	3
H012	Communications (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	6	9	5	16	9
H015	Creative Writing (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	3	6	8	7	4
H016	English (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	0	0	2	2	2
H017	American Studies (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	1	0	0	0	0
H019	Human Services (Certificate)	440201	31	22	26	29	24
H024	Addiction Studies (Certificate)	511501	16	13	9	13	17
H025	Music (AA - Music)	500901	13	5	10	8	2
H027	Music Performance (Certificate)	500901	1	1	1	1	0
H031	Visual Art (AS - Visual Art)	500701	9	9	7	7	8
H034	Graphic Design (Certificate)	500402	5	1	4	1	5
H035	Electronic Media (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	3	9	5	4	1
H036	Electronic Media (Certificate)	500699	1	0	1	1	0
H040	Communication Media And Theater (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	1	0	0	0	0
H041	Photography (AS - Visual Art)	500701	6	3	4	3	4
H042	Graphics (AS - Visual Art)	500701	1	9	9	5	6
H043	CMTA Integrated Studies (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	15	7	8	16	9
H049	Human Services (AS - Human Services)	440701	16	15	19	18	25
H060	Psychology (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	33	40	36	30	28
H070	Sociology (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	2	10	4	2	1
H072	Gender and Women's Studies (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	0	1	1	0	1
H080	Deaf Studies (AS - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	4	2	7	8	5
H081	Deaf Studies (Certificate)	510299	2	3	2	1	0
H083	Sustainable Agriculture (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	2	4	0	0	2
H084	Sustainability Studies (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	6	1	3	4	1

Code	Program Title	CIP Code	Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
H091	Clean Energy (Certificate)	303301	1	1	1	2	0
H092	Sustainability Studies (Certificate)	303301	0	0	0	1	1
H093	Clean Energy Option (AA - Liberal Arts And Science)	240101	0	0	0	1	0
M010	Medical Assistant (Certificate)	510801	10	41	29	21	13
M020	Secondary Education (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	12	8	7	4	4
M021	Early Education and Care (AS - Early Childhood Education)	190708	0	0	0	0	1
M022	Child Development (Certificate)	190706	0	0	0	0	6
M026	Early Childhood Career (AS - Early Childhood Education)	190708	8	3	2	3	0
M027	Early Childhood Transfer (AS - Early Childhood Education)	190708	17	16	11	15	13
M028	Infant/Toddler and/or Preschool (Certificate)	190708	0	0	0	1	0
M029	Elementary Education (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	3	9	3	3	3
M031	Environmental Science Transfer (AS - Environmental Science)	150599	12	13	3	8	6
M032	Natural Resources Studies Transfer (AS - Environmental Science)	150599	0	0	0	0	2
M036	Environmental Science Field Technician (AS - Environmental Science)	150599	0	3	0	1	5
M043	Medical Billing and Coding (Certificate)	510714	5	27	9	13	16
M044	Medical Billing (Certificate)	510714	8	0	0	0	0
M064	Practical Nursing (Certificate - Practical Nursing)	513901	10	9	9	6	6
M066	Nursing (AS - Nursing)	513801	43	52	40	48	31
M068	Foundations of Health (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	8	3	2	1	1
M071	Nutrition & Foods (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	10	3	7	1	6
M080	Foundations of Health Career (AS - Foundations of Health)	510000	1	9	17	14	8
M081	Foundations of Health Transfer (AA - Foundations of Health)	510000	12	24	23	28	32
M085	Direct Care Worker (Certificate)	512601	1	1	4	2	1
M086	Community Health Worker (Certificate)	512207	0	3	2	1	2
M096	Radiologic Technology (AS - Radiologic Technology)	510907	10	13	5	12	11
M100	Health And Fitness Specialist (Certificate)	310501	0	2	0	0	1
M101	Health And Fitness Management (Certificate)	310504	1	0	0	0	0
M103	Personal Trainer/Fitness Counselor (Certificate)	310501	1	0	0	0	0
M105	Coaching (Certificate)	131314	0	0	0	0	1
M107	Strength And Conditioning Specialist (Certificate)	310501	0	0	0	1	0

Code	Program Title	CIP Code	Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
M112	Healthy Living Coaching (Certificate)	310501	1	0	0	0	0
M115	Health and Fitness (AS - Health And Fitness)	310501	3	7	6	5	6
N012	Chemistry (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	400501	4	2	4	3	0
N015	Mathematics Mass Transfer (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	270101	5	5	9	4	4
N016	Physics Mass Transfer (AS - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	400801	2	3	2	1	1
N017	Mathematics General Transfer (AS - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	270101	1	2	0	0	1
N042	Cyber Security & Digital Forensics (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	0	0	0	0	1
N052	Computer Science (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	0	0	0	0	1
N056	Programming Option (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	5	17	17	8	13
N057	Comp Info Sys User Support (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	1	0	0	1	0
N062	Computer Networking (Certificate)	110901	0	5	1	5	0
N063	Computer Information Security and Assurance (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	3	6	2	1	1
N064	Computer Info. Security & Assurance Mgmt Cert. (Certificate)	111003	1	0	1	0	0
N066	Information Technology Management (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	6	5	9	7	11
N067	Computer User Support (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	3	3	6	4	6
N068	Web Development (AS - Computer Information Systems)	110202	0	0	1	1	3
N079	Engineering Studies (AS - Engineering)	140101	8	12	14	22	21
N082	Engineering Science (AS - Engineering)	140101	2	6	8	2	6
S013	Developmental Disabilities Direct Support (Certificate)	440701	1	1	5	1	3
S080	Criminal Justice (AS - Criminal Justice)	430104	58	43	49	50	49
S082	Law Enforcement (Certificate)	430104	2	2	1	0	0
X012	Biotechnology (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	261201	0	1	2	1	4
X021	Natural Resources (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	2	0	1	2	0
X031	Pre-Veterinary (AS - Veterinarian Assistant)	510808	2	0	1	1	0
X036	Veterinary Technician (AS - Veterinarian Assistant)	510808	21	12	17	14	5
X052	Pre-Medical/Dental (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	240101	1	1	0	0	0
X060	Biology (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	260101	29	30	25	34	23
X073	Forensic Science (Certificate)	430106	2	0	0	0	1
X074	Forensic Science (AS - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	240101	6	1	2	1	2
Total			990	1010	907	888	774

Table A.2. Employers and Job Titles of Graduates

DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
B011,Human Resource Mgt (AS - Business Administration)		
	WIS International	Area Manager
B023,Business Administration Mass Transfer (AS - Business Admin)		
	Caps Center At HCC	Peer 2 Math Tutor
	Dunkin Donuts	Barista
	Gigxero	Technical Support
	Mass Mutual	Customer Service Representative
	Pizza Shop	Assistant Manager
	Planet Fitness	Front Desk Representative
	Sparkles Gift And Party	Buyer
	Stop & Shop	Assistant Manager
	The Still	Barback
		Cashier
B026,Business Administration Career (AS - Business Administration)		
	Target And Felix's	Closing Expert And Online Reseller
B041,Administrative Professional Studies (AS - Admin Prof Studies)		
	Fuss & O'Neill	Administrative Assistant
B051,Hospitality Management Transfer (AS - Hospitality Management)		
	Walgreens	Customer Service Representative
B056,Hospitality Management Career (AS - Hospitality Management)		
	Baystate Medical Center	Patient Transport
B113,Culinary Arts (AAS - Culinary Arts)		
	Holyoke Community College	Lab Tech
C001,General Integrated Studies (AS - Liberal Studies)		
	Cooley Dickinson Hospital	Float PCA
	Marty	Maintenance Person
	Town Of Suffield	Human Resources Executive Assistant
		Teacher
C004,Gen Integrated Studies-Elementary Educ (AS-Liberal Studies)		
	Walmart	Sales Associate
H010,Liberal Arts And Sciences (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)		
	Amazon	Warehouse Assistant
	Baroco	Human Services

DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
H010,Liberal Arts And Sciences (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)(cont.)		
	Baystate Health	Performance Improvement Nurse
	Baystate Noble Hospital	Human Resources
	Ear, Nose&Throat Surgeons-Western NEng	Certified Medical Assistant
	Glenn	Sales Associate
	Springfield Museum	Archivists Assistant
	Town Of Ludlow	Library Assistant
	Voya Financial	Call Center Associate
	Westfield Electroplating/ Knox Trail Inn	Masking / Bartender
		Private Aide For Seniors
		Supply Clerk
H011,Theater (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)		
	Cracker Barrel	Server
H012,Communications (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)		
	Beloved Earth Cleaning	Independent Cleaner
H019,Human Services (Certificate)		
	New England Adolescent Rsch Institute	Interventionist
H024,Addiction Studies (Certificate)		
	CSO	Counselor
H043,CMTA Integrated Studies (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)		
	Amazon	Seasonal Sortation Associate
	Mass Mutual/MML Investor Services	Call Service Representative
H049,Human Services (AS - Human Services)		
	Aero Fastener	Purchasing Assistant
	Behavioral Health Network	Administrative Assistant
	Holyoke Health Center	Community Health Worker
		Internship
H060,Psychology (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)		
	Assemble	Retail Manager
	Holiday Inn Express & Suites/ Marylou's Coffee	Front Office Manager/ Coffee Counter Assoc
	Servicenet	Counselor
	Walgreens	Shift Lead

DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
M010,Medical Assistant (Certificate)		
	Callaway Golf Operations	Quality Inspector
	Clean Slate	Medical Assistant
M022,Child Development (Certificate)		
	HCS Head Start	Preschool Teacher
	Head Start	Preschool Teacher
M027,Early Childhood Transfer (AS - Early Childhood Education)		
	HR YMCA	Childcare
	Valley Opportunity Council	Teacher
M032,Natural Resources Studies Transfer (AS - Environmental Science)		
	USDA	Part Time USDA Employee
M036,Environmental Science Field Technician (AS - Environmental Science)		
	ATC Eclipse	Environmental Technician
	Polar	Merchandiser
M043,Medical Billing and Coding (Certificate)		
	Aurora Billing Solutions	Billing Specialist
	Baystate Noble Hospital	Patient Care Technician
	Hinsdale Training	Cashier/ Manager
		Department Manager
M064,Practical Nursing (Certificate - Practical Nursing)		
	Northampton Pediatrics	Nurse
M066,Nursing (AS - Nursing)		
	Baystate Childrens Hospital	Registered Nurse
	Baystate/Wing Medical Center	Registered Nurse
	Cabot Cheese	Covid-19 Screener
	Codac Behavioral Health	Nurse Care Manager
	Cooley Dickinson Hospital/ Cabot Agri-mark	Registered Nurse
	Fresenius	Registered Nurse
	Fresenius Kidney Care	Dialysis Nurse

DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
M066,Nursing (AS - Nursing)(continued)		
	International Health Solutions	Nurse Case Manager
	Jewish Nursing Home	Registered Nurse
	Western Mass Hospital/ Northeast Arc	CNA/ PCA
		Nurse
M081,Foundations of Health Transfer (AA - Foundations of Health)		
	Baystate Medical Center	EMR Specialist
	Greater Holyoke YMCA	Lifeguard
	International Health Service	Office Manager
	Self	Landscaping
		Medical Assistant
M096,Radiologic Technology (AS - Radiologic Technology)		
	Shields Health Care Group	Radiologic Technologist
N015,Mathematics Mass Transfer (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)		
	Big Y Foods, Inc.	Grocery Specialist
N066,Information Technology Management (AS - Computer Information Systems)		
	Oxbow Design Build	Administrative Assistant
N079,Engineering Studies (AS - Engineering)		
	Stuart J Arbesfeld MD PC	Medical Assistant
	Umass Lowell And/or Mass Dep	Student Researcher
N082,Engineering Science (AS - Engineering)		
	Elm Electrical	Bim Coordinator
	Home Depot	Cashier
	USPS	Mail Handler
S080,Criminal Justice (AS - Criminal Justice)		
	Allied Universal	Security Guard
	Andrew Clark	RTS Associate
	Baystate Medical Center	Behavioral Resource Tech
	C&S	Selector

DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE	DEGREE/CERT	EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
S080,Criminal Justice (AS - Criminal Justice)(continued)			X060,Biology (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)		
	Hampden County Sherrifs Dept	Residential Treatment Staff		Greater Holyoke YMCA	Lifeguard
	ISA	Armed Security		Hobby Lobby	Sales Associate
	Ludlow Police Department	911 Dispatcher		Securitas	Security Guard
	Mariah	Manager		Glenmeadow	Server
	Womanshelter Companeras	Safeplan Advocate		Red Robin	Server
X036,Veterinary Technician (AS - Veterinarian Assistant)					
		Certified Veterinary Technician			

Table A.3. Post-Graduation Placements, by Program*											
NOTE: 1) Graduates not counted in the '# Employed in Related Field' column are not in a related field or related field status is unknown.											
Program Code	Program Title	Responded to the Employment Status Question	Employed					Enrolled			
			Total Employed*	% Employed**	# Employed in Related Field	% Employed in Related Field**	Employed FT	Employed PT	FT	PT	Total Enrolled
B010	Human Resources Management (Certificate)	2	0		0		0	0	0	1	1
B011	Human Resource Mgt (AS - Business Administration)	2	1		1		1	0	0	0	0
B016	Accounting (AS - Accounting)	1	0		0		0	0	0	0	0
B023	Business Administration Mass Transfer (AS - Business Administration)	15	11	73%	3	20%	7	4	8	4	12
B026	Business Administration Career (AS - Business Administration)	2	1		1		1	0	0	0	0
B033	Entrepreneurship (AS - Business Administration)	1	0		0		0	0	1	0	1
B041	Administrative Professional Studies (AS - Administrative Professional Studies)	1	1		1		1	0	0	0	0
B051	Hospitality Management Transfer (AS - Hospitality Management)	2	0		0		0	0	2	0	2
B056	Hospitality Management Career (AS - Hospitality Management)	1	1		0		0	1	0	1	1
B096	Sport Management (AS - Sport Management)	1	0		0		0	0	1	0	1
B111	Culinary Arts (Certificate)	0	0		0		0	0	0	1	1
B113	Culinary Arts (AAS - Culinary Arts)	1	1		1		0	0	0	0	0
C001	General Integrated Studies (AS - Liberal Studies)	5	4		3		1	3	2	0	2
C004	General Integrated Studies - Elementary Education (AS - Liberal Studies)	1	1		0		1	0	1	0	1
H010	Liberal Arts And Sciences (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	22	12	55%	1	5%	6	5	11	5	16
H011	Theater (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	1	1		0		0	0	0	0	0
H012	Communications (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	1	1		0		0	1	1	0	1
H019	Human Services (Certificate)	4	1		1		1	0	1	2	3
H024	Addiction Studies (Certificate)	2	1		1		1	0	1	0	1
H031	Visual Art (AS - Visual Art)	2	0		0		0	0	1	0	1
H041	Photography (AS - Visual Art)	1	0		0		0	0	1	0	1
H043	CMTA Integrated Studies (AA - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	4	2		1		0	0	2	0	2
H049	Human Services (AS - Human Services)	6	3	50%	2	33%	3	0	2	2	4
H060	Psychology (AA - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	5	4		0		3	1	2	2	4
H080	Deaf Studies (AS - Liberal Arts And Sciences)	1	0		0		0	0	1	0	1

Program Code	Program Title	Responded to the Employment Status Question	Employed					Enrolled			
			Total Employed*	% Employed**	# Employed in Related Field	% Employed in Related Field**	Employed FT	Employed PT	FT	PT	Total Enrolled
M010	Medical Assistant (Certificate)	2	2		1		2	0	1	0	1
M022	Child Development (Certificate)	3	2		2		2	0	0	2	2
M027	Early Childhood Transfer (AS - Early Childhood Education)	3	2		2		2	0	2	0	2
M032	Natural Resources Studies Transfer (AS - Environmental Science)	1	1		1		0	1	1	0	1
M036	Environmental Science Field Technician (AS - Environmental Science)	3	2		1		2	0	0	0	0
M043	Medical Billing and Coding (Certificate)	5	4		1		2	1	1	0	1
M064	Practical Nursing (Certificate - Practical Nursing)	2	1		1		1	0	1	1	2
M066	Nursing (AS - Nursing)	12	12	100%	11	92%	9	0	4	1	6
M081	Foundations of Health Transfer (AA - Foundations of Health)	6	4	67%	1	17%	1	2	4	0	4
M086	Community Health Worker (Certificate)	1	1		0		1	0	0	0	0
M096	Radiologic Technology (AS - Radiologic Technology)	1	1		1		0	0	0	0	0
N015	Mathematics Mass Transfer (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	2	1		0		0	0	2	0	2
N056	Programming Option (AS - Computer Information Systems)	2	0		0		0	0	4	0	4
N066	Information Technology Management (AS - Computer Information Systems)	2	1		1		0	0	0	1	1
N067	Computer User Support (AS - Computer Information Systems)	1	0		0		0	0	0	0	0
N079	Engineering Studies (AS - Engineering)	3	2		1		0	1	3	0	3
N082	Engineering Science (AS - Engineering)	3	3		1		1	2	3	0	3
S013	Developmental Disabilities Direct Support (Certificate)	1	0		0		0	0	1	0	1
S080	Criminal Justice (AS - Criminal Justice)	12	10	83%	7	58%	6	2	9	1	10
X036	Veterinary Technician (AS - Veterinarian Assistant)	1	1		1		0	0	0	0	0
X060	Biology (AS - Liberal Arts and Sciences)	8	5	63%	0	0%	1	3	8	0	8
EMPLOYMENT & ENROLLMENT FOR ALL GRAD RESPONDENTS ***		162	103		51		58	26	82	25	108

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** Percentages are only meaningful if 6 or more graduates responded to the survey. For program with less than 6 respondents, the percentage column is left blank.

*** 159 is the actual number of graduates who responded to the employment question. As Table 1 shows, 65% of those 159 graduates are employed. 31% are employed in a related field. Some graduates had multiple credentials and their employment & enrollment data were counted in multiple degree titles. Some graduates were from programs that had only one graduate and those data and subtotal rows were excluded or amended due to guarantee of data confidentiality. However, these graduates were included in the Grand Total (n=162) row.

Graduate Follow-up Survey

Introduction

Thank you for participating in the Holyoke Community College Survey of the Class of 2020. The survey is entirely voluntary and all of your responses will be kept strictly confidential.

The purpose of the survey is to learn about your experiences at HCC. We are also required by funding agencies to collect employment and educational data from our recent graduates. Your participation will help us to meet the grant requirement and to get funding to support our current and future HCC students' educational goals. This survey should take you approximately 5-7 minutes to complete.

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CURRENT EDUCATIONAL STATUS

* 1. Are you currently enrolled in an educational program or institution?

- Yes
- No [SKIP to question 6]

2. Are you a full-time student taking 12 or more credits or part-time student taking less than 12 credits?

- Full-time
- Part-time

3. What type of school are you attending?

- Public two-year college
- Public four-year college or university
- Private college or university
- Other (vocational, technical, etc)

4. What is the name of the school you're attending?

5. How would you describe the preparation HCC gave you for your current studies?

- Excellent
- Good
- Fair/adequate
- Poor/inadequate

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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATUS

* 6. Are you currently employed?

- Employed (excluding full-time military service)
- Registered apprenticeship program
- Full-time military
- Unemployed (not employed but looking for work) [SKIP to question 14]
- Not in the labor force (not employed and not looking) [SKIP to question 14]
- National & Community Service Act participant
- Peace Corp Volunteer

7. How many hours per week do you typically work?

8. What's your job title?

9. What's your employer's name?

10. What's your current hourly wage (if salaried, approximate hourly rate)?

11. What kind of business do you work for?

- Agriculture, forestry, fishing, environmental tech
- Business services (cleaning, etc)
- Construction and skilled trades
- Criminal justice and law
- Communications and media
- Education: early childhood and primary
- Education: secondary and postsecondary
- Finance, insurance, accounting and real estate
- Fine and performing arts
- Government and public administration
- Home services (landscaping, lawn care, etc)
- Hospital and health related (other)
- Hotel and food service
- Information sciences, systems and processing
- Manufacturing (electronics and high technology)
- Manufacturing (other)
- Military
- Nursing
- Personal services (beautician, etc)
- Public utilities
- Radiologic technology
- Retail trade
- Recreation and leisure
- Social services
- Transportation
- Wholesale trade
- Other industry:

12. Is your current job related to what you studied at HCC?

- Yes
- No

13. How would you describe the preparation HCC gave you for your current work?

- Excellent
- Good
- Fair/adequate
- Poor/inadequate

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WORK-BASED EXPERIENCE

14. Did you participate in any work-based experience at HCC?

- Yes
 No (SKIP to question 17)

15. Which of the following work-based experiences did you participate in at HCC? (check all that apply)

- Clerkship
 Clinical
 Co-op
 Externship
 Fieldwork
 Internship
 Practicum
 Service learning

16. Is your present employer the same as your HCC work-based employer?

- Yes
 No
 Not employed

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TRANSFER ADVICE

17. Did you get any transfer advice when you attended HCC?

- Yes
 No (SKIP to question 19)

18. If YES, how would you describe the advice you received from:

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Not applicable
An advisor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A faculty member	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A transfer counselor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Someone else, specify below:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Someone else (please specify)

19. If you did not receive transfer advice, do you wish that you had?

- Yes
 No

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HCC EXPERIENCE

20. How would you describe each of the following at HCC?

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Not Applicable
Variety and availability of courses	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of academic programs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Selection of academic programs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of instruction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accessibility of academic advisors	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of online courses	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Options for scheduling	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accessibility of faculty	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Registration process	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Financial aid services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Career services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Food services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transfer services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Advising	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tutoring services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Library services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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ACADEMIC SKILLS AND PERSONAL VALUES

21. Please rate how well HCC prepared you in the following skills?

	Very well prepared	Somewhat prepared	Somewhat unprepared	Not at all prepared	Do not know
Writing effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Communicating well orally	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thinking analytically and logically	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Formulating creative/original ideas and solutions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Using quantitative reasoning skills (e.g. statistics, graphs)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Using computers/technology effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being an effective leader	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Relating well to people of different races, nations and religions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Acquiring global awareness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feeling sense of belonging	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being an active member of your community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Meeting people and making new friends	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being self-confident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accessing information effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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EXPERIENCE

22. How satisfied are you with your overall HCC experience?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Neither
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied

23. What was MOST satisfying to you about your HCC experience?

24. In your opinion, what at HCC most needs improvement?

25. Would you like to give us your current email address?

