



## Electronic Health Records Specialist (CEHRS) Certification Pass Rates

Academic Year	Number of Candidates Who Attempted the CEHRS Examination	Pass Rates
2015	N/A*	N/A*
2014	15	100%
2013	84	94.1%
2012	17	82.4%

\*Prior to 2015, the cost of the class and the certification exam were paid for by the TAACCCT grant. Since the end of the grant, no students have signed up for the class; and, therefore, no students have had the opportunity to sit for the CEHRS certification exam.

The National Healthcareer Association offers the certification test to become a Certified Electronic Health Records Specialist (CEHRS). This certification exam is not required for students completing the courses relating to Electronic Health Records; however, upon successful completion of these courses, students are eligible to take the national certification exam to become a Certified Electronic Health Records Specialist.

In the healthcare industry, the security, completeness and accuracy of patient data are critical and Electronic Health Records Specialists serve an important role. Today many employers require a certification. The CEHRS is a nationally-recognized credential.

The CEHRS certification test includes:

- Charting (25% of the exam)
- Software Application and Equipment (24% of the exam)
- Regulatory Compliance (CEHRS) (21% of the exam)
- Insurance and Billing (20% of the exam)
- Application Operation (12% of the exam)
- Practice Management (12% of the exam)
- Reporting (10% of the exam)

Information about the certification examination can be found at <http://www.nhanow.com/certifications/electronic-health-records-specialist>.

Students at Bucks County Community College typically sit for one (or more) of three certification tests through the National Healthcareer Association. These three certification tests include the Electronic Health Records Specialist (CEHRS), EKG (CET), and Phlebotomy Technician (PTC). Since 2013, 190 unique Bucks County Community College students have sat for at least one of these NHA exam. These users sat for a combined total of 235 exams, resulting in a total of 224 certifications earned.

Bucks County Community College has an average pass rate of 95%, compared to the NHA National Average over this time period of 80%.