



## Evidence 14 GPA Data at Admission and Completion Transition Points

**Description:** The WTEP has identified two transition points when a cohort grade point average of 3.0 is achieved and monitors this data. The data included below demonstrates that candidate GPA is monitored at both admission and graduation (program completion) to ensure that a cohort average GPA of 3.0 is met in the undergraduate and graduate MAT programs.

The admissions and appeals process data shown in the Evidence 13 document provides further details about how the GPA is monitored and supported in the WTEP. The required GPA for admission into the WTEP is not set at 3.00, but is set at 2.5 in the undergraduate program and 2.75 in the graduate program to enable the WTEP to admit candidates with strengths in multiple areas rather than academic strengths alone. As shown in the data linked below, the cohort GPA data is a strength of the WTEP with all cycles of data from fall 2018 through spring 2021 demonstrating the cohort average GPA above a 3.00.

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### Connections to CAEP R3.2 Monitoring and Supporting Candidate Progression

The undergraduate programs' GPA data demonstrates that the cohort average GPA is monitored at two identified transitions points; admission and completion of the program, as shown in the six cycles of data for the undergraduate programs. **The undergraduate admission transition point data demonstrates that, in all six cycles, the cohort average exceeds the CAEP standard of a 3.00 GPA** ranging from an average at of 3.21 in fall 2020 to 3.5 in fall 2021. **The undergraduate final GPA at completion data demonstrates that, in all six cycles, the cohort average exceeds the CAEP standard of a 3.00 GPA** ranging from an average of 3.35 in fall 2020 to 3.53 in spring 2020.

The graduate program GPA data demonstrates that the cohort average GPA is monitored at two identified transitions points; admission and completion of the program, as shown in the four cycles of data for the graduate program. **The graduate admission transition point data demonstrates that, in all four cycles, the cohort average exceeds the CAEP standard of a 3.00 GPA** ranging from an average at of 3.06 in spring 2020 to 3.6 in fall 2020. **The undergraduate final GPA at completion data demonstrates that, in all four cycles, the cohort average exceeds the CAEP standard of a 3.00 GPA** ranging from an average of 3.8 in spring 2021 to 4.00 in spring 2019 and fall 2020.

### Connections to CAEP R3.3 Competency at Completion

The GPA data for the completion transition point for both undergraduate and graduate programs demonstrates that candidates exceed a 3.00 GPA cohort average at program completion. Candidates are monitored throughout the programs to ensure a grade of "C" or above is earned in the specialization courses. Candidates who fall below a "C" in any specialization course meet with their academic advisors and must register to re-take the course. Re-take grades must exceed the minimum grade of "C." Monitoring candidate specialization course grades helps to ensure that candidates are competent in both content and pedagogy at completion, and the cohort GPA data demonstrates that competency as a cohort.

**Undergraduate GPA Data at Admission and Completion Transition Points – fall 2018 through fall 2021**

SEMESTER OF COMPLETION	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GPA: ADMISSION	GPA: FINAL	NOTES	Follow Up on Appeals
Fall 2018	██████	████	2.725	2.96		
	██████	██████	3.147	3.24		
	██████	██████	3.967	3.976		
	██████	██████	3.758	3.77		
			<b>3.399</b>	<b>3.487</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Spring 2019	██████	██████	3.663	3.67		
	██████	██████	2.875	3.38		
	██████	██████	4.00	4.00		
	██████	██████	3.187	3.29		
	██████	██████	3.152	2.97		
	██████	██████	3.964	3.93		
	██████	██████	2.991	3.036		
			<b>3.405</b>	<b>3.468</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Fall 2019	██████	██████	3.859	3.92		
	██████	██████	2.657	2.754		
	██████	██████	2.768	2.972		
	██████	██████	3.883	3.91		
			<b>3.292</b>	<b>3.389</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Spring 2020	██████	██████	2.393	2.817	appeal granted for admission	Conditional acceptance - GPA of 2.5 was met before transition to pre-clinical/block courses Fall 2019
	██████	██████	3.496	3.6		
	██████	██████	3.71	3.769		
	██████	██████	3.205	3.489		

**Continued, Undergraduate GPA Data at Admission and Completion Transition Points**

SEMESTER OF COMPLETION	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GPA: ADMISSION	GPA: FINAL	NOTES	Follow Up on Appeals
			3.524	3.565		
			3.595	3.75		
			3.76	3.832		
			3.494	3.608		
			2.897	3.16		
			3.679	3.759		
			<b>3.375</b>	<b>3.535</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Fall 2020			2.467	2.65	appeal granted for admission	Conditional acceptance - GPA of 2.5 was met before transition to pre-clinical/block courses Spring 2020
			3.427	3.62		
			3.851	3.921		
			3.27	3.481		
			2.864	3.145		
			3.379	3.313		
			<b>3.21</b>	<b>3.355</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Spring 2021			3.916	3.95		
			3.652	3.718		
			2.809	2.97		
			3.658	3.73		
			2.852	3.11		
			3.062	3.34		
			4.00	4.00		
			3.64	3.66		
			3.042	3.17		

**Continued, Undergraduate GPA Data at Admission and Completion Transition Points**

SEMESTER OF COMPLETION	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GPA: ADMISSION	GPA: FINAL	NOTES	Follow Up on Appeals
			3.204	3.39		
			3.013	3.1		
			<b>3.35</b>	<b>3.467</b>	<b>Cohort Mean</b>	
Fall 2021 scheduled internship			3.528		These students have interviewed for admission but haven't completed the program	
			4.00			
			4.00			
			3.298			
			2.693			
			<b>3.504</b>		<b>Cohort Mean</b>	

## Graduate GPA Data at Admission and Completion Transition Points – spring 2019 through spring 2021

SEMESTER OF COMPLETION	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GPA Admissions	GPA: FINAL		WBU Alumni	Follow Up for Appeals
Spring 2019	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	3.52	4.00		Yes	
			2.90	4.00		No	
			3.71	4.00		Yes	
			2.90	4.00		Yes	
			3.52	4.00		Yes	
			3.31	4.00	Cohort Mean		
Spring 2020	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	3.34	3.92		No	
			2.95	4.00		Yes	
			2.75	4.00		No	
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2.38	4.00	appeal granted for admission	No	First semester GPA check - candidate was within the established 3.00 GPA
			2.95	4.00		No	
			3.40	4.00		No	
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2.69	3.58	appeal granted for admission	Yes	First semester GPA check - candidate was within the established 3.00 GPA
			2.77	4.00		No	
			3.06	3.94	Cohort Mean		
Fall 2020	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	3.637	4.00		No	
			3.637	4.00	Cohort Mean		
Spring 2021	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	3.47	4.00		No	
			3.285	3.90		No	
			3.78	4.00		No	
			2.33	4.00	appeal granted for admission	No	First semester GPA check - candidate was within the established 3.00 GPA
			3.01	3.08		Yes	
			3.175	3.80	Cohort Mean	36.84%	