

Institution Name: **Western Suffolk BOCES Program of Surgical Technology**

Type: **Surgical Technology** Degree Type: **Certificate**

Program Effectiveness Data

The following is the most current program effectiveness data. As defined by Our programmatic accreditation reporting agencies CAAHEP /ARCSTSA- Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting

Credentialing Examination: The number of students who pass, on the first attempt, the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical First Assistants (CST) certification examination, or an unrestricted state licensing compared with the number of graduates who take the examination within six months of graduation. The five-year average benchmark established by ARCSTSA and CAAHEP is 60%.

Credentialing Examination Rate	Number passed on 1 st attempt
YEAR	Results
Year 2022 2 cohorts	16 out 16 = 100%
Year 2023 2 cohorts	11 out of 13 = 84%
Year 2024 2 cohorts	14 out of 14 = 100%
Year 2025 1 cohort	11 out of 11 =100 %

Job Placement: The number of graduates employed in the radiologic sciences compared to the number of graduates actively seeking employment in the radiologic sciences within twelve months of graduation. The five-year benchmark established by ARCSTSA and CAAHEP is 60%.

Job Placement Rate	Number employed within 12 months of graduation
YEAR	Results
Year 2022	15 out of 16 = 94%
Year 2023	13 out of 13 = 100%
Year 2024	12 out of 14 = 86%
Year 2025	11 out of 11=100%

Program Completion: The number of students who complete the program within the stated program length. The annual benchmark established by ARCSTSA and CAAHEP is 60%.

Program Completion Rate	Number graduated divided by number who started the program
YEAR	Results
Year - 2022 2 cohorts	16 out of 20 = 80%
Year - 2023 2 cohorts	13 out of 18 = 74%
Year - 2024 2 cohorts	14 out of 20 = 70%
Year 2025 1 cohort	11 out of 11 = 100%