



Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board
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Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2020

ONC® Examinees – 544
Passing Candidates 316 (58%)

ONP-C® Examinees – 42
Passing Candidates 16 (38%)

Credential Holders Eligible for Recertification – 1228
(includes ONC, OCNS-C, ONP-C)
Recertified 633 (51.5%)
Retired/Inactive 9
Reactivated 16

Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2019

ONC® Examinees – 770
Passing Candidates 437 (56.8%)

ONP-C® Examinees – 41
Passing Candidates 23 (56.1%)

Credential Holders Eligible for Recertification – 1061
(includes ONC, OCNS-C, ONP-C)
Recertified 549 (51.7%)
Retired/Inactive 19
Reactivated 24

Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2018

ONC® Examinees – 975
Passing Candidates 571 (58.6%)

ONP-C® Examinees – 32
Passing Candidates 17 (53%)

Credential Holders Eligible for Recertification – 1138
(includes ONC, OCNS-C, ONP-C)
Recertified 508 (51.9%)
Retired/Inactive 15
Reactivated 24

Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2017

Reactivated 31

Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2015

ONC® Examinees – 1098
Passing Candidates 720 (65.6%)

OCNS-C® Examinees – 1 (Examination Retired)
Passing Candidates 0

ONP-C® Examinees – 18
Passing Candidates 7 (38.9%)

Credential Holders Eligible for Recertification – 1281 (includes
ONC, OCNS-C, ONP-C)
Recertified 638 (50.2%)
Retired/Inactive 10
Reactivated 18

Official Summary of Certification Statistics – 2014

ONC® Examinees – 654
Passing Candidates 464 (70.9%)

OCNS-C® Examinees – 5
Passing Candidates 1 (20%)

ONP-C® Examinees – 13
Passing Candidates 7 (53.8%)

Credential Holders Eligible for Recertification – 938 (includes
ONC, OCNS-C, ONP-C)
Recertified 509 (54.3%)
Retired/Inactive 10
Reactivated 13