Non-Enrolled Applicant Survey Report- Fall 2022

The survey was distributed to over 2800 email addresses of applicants who submitted an application to attend Essex County College but declined to enroll. A total of 77 response were recorded with a response rate of 3%. The survey was open between December 7 and December 19, 2022.

Please select the item that most closely captures your gender identity. - Selected Choice

Field	n	%
Male	76	27%
Female	198	71%
Decline to Answer	4	1%
Non-Binary	1	0%

Please select the race/ethnic category that best describes you.

Field	n	%
Hispanic (All races)	67	24%
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	149	54%
White (non-Hispanic)	22	8%
Asian (non-Hispanic)	7	3%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	1%
Multiracial (non-Hispanic)	3	1%
Decline to answer	21	8%
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0	0%
Other (Please specify if desired)	6	2%

What are your future plans? - Selected Choice

Field	n	%
Delay enrollment, but will enroll at Essex County College	140	51%
Delay enrollment, but will enroll at another college	17	6%
Currently enrolled at another college	56	20%
No current plans to enroll in college, entering the workforce	12	4%
Other (please specify)	51	18%

Q7 - Where did you enroll this fall or where do you plan to enroll?

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Bergen Community College

Rutgers University

Montclair state university

Part time

NJIT

Franklin and Marshall

Rutgers

Montclair State University

I'm not sure yet.

Montclair

Bloomfield College

I plan on enrolling at William Paterson University

Lincoln Technical Institute Trade School

Tufts University

Saint Peter's university

Lincoln Tech Institute

Rutgers

Champlain college

Union County College

Bergen County technical

Q8 - Among the schools you applied to, Essex County College was your:

Field	n	%
First choice	200	73%
Second choice	39	14%
Third or lower	34	12%

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Field	V Influer	ery ntial	Somew Influen		Sligl Influen		No Influence	Total
Billboard advertisements	22.89%	46	15.42%	31	11.94%	24	49.75% 100	201
Radio advertisements	10.87%	20	10.33%	19	9.24%	17	69.57% 128	184
Bus advertisements	18.33%	33	12.78%	23	13.33%	24	55.56% 100	180
Information sent in the mail	31.07%	55	18.64%	33	14.69%	26	35.59% 63	177
Social Media	21.79%	39	15.08%	27	13.41%	24	49.72% 89	179
College fairs	23.43%	41	17.71%	31	9.14%	16	49.71% 87	175
House of Worship Tour/Community events	9.71%	17	14.29%	25	8.57%	15	67.43% 118	175
High school guidance counselor	27.27%	48	18.18%	32	6.82%	12	47.73% 84	176
Educational Access Channel	16.76%	30	13.97%	25	10.06%	18	59.22% 106	179

What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your mother (or guardian)?

Field	n	%
Elementary school or less	14	7%
Some high school	21	10%
High school graduate or GED	66	32%
Vocational or trade school	8	4%
Some college	43	21%
Undergraduate college degree	27	13%
Some graduate school	6	3%
Graduate degree	24	11%

What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your father (or guardian)?

Field	n	%
Elementary school or less	19	9%
Some high school	24	12%
High school graduate or GED	58	29%
Vocational or trade school	13	6%
Some college	28	14%
Undergraduate college degree	24	12%
Some graduate school	7	3%
Graduate degree	28	14%