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Dear Dr. Bosch,

Thank you for your continued support of the Behavior Analyst Certification Board and its certification programs. We have been very pleased with the growth of Approved Course Sequences and with the increased number of candidates who successfully complete the exam. Many faculty contact persons are interested in feedback regarding the performance of their students on the BACB's examinations. The BACB Board of Directors' pass-rate policy permits the release and your publication of the following pass-rate information.

These data are based on first-time candidates sitting for BACB examinations in 2012. A total of 2,439 first-time test takers sat for the BCBA examination, with a passing rate of 58%. A total of 592 first-time test takers sat for the BCaBA examination, with a passing rate of 57%

From Sam Houston State University, a total of 9 first-time test takers qualified for the BCBA examination under the Coursework/Experience requirement using only coursework from your graduate course sequence. Of those, 3 passed the examination and 6 failed, resulting in a pass-rate of 33%.

We hope you find this information useful. Please note that, as announced in the February 2013 issue of our newsletter, we will begin publishing pass-rate data on our website in 2014. Thus, this will be the last time we communicate annual pass-rate data directly to you.

Regards,

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