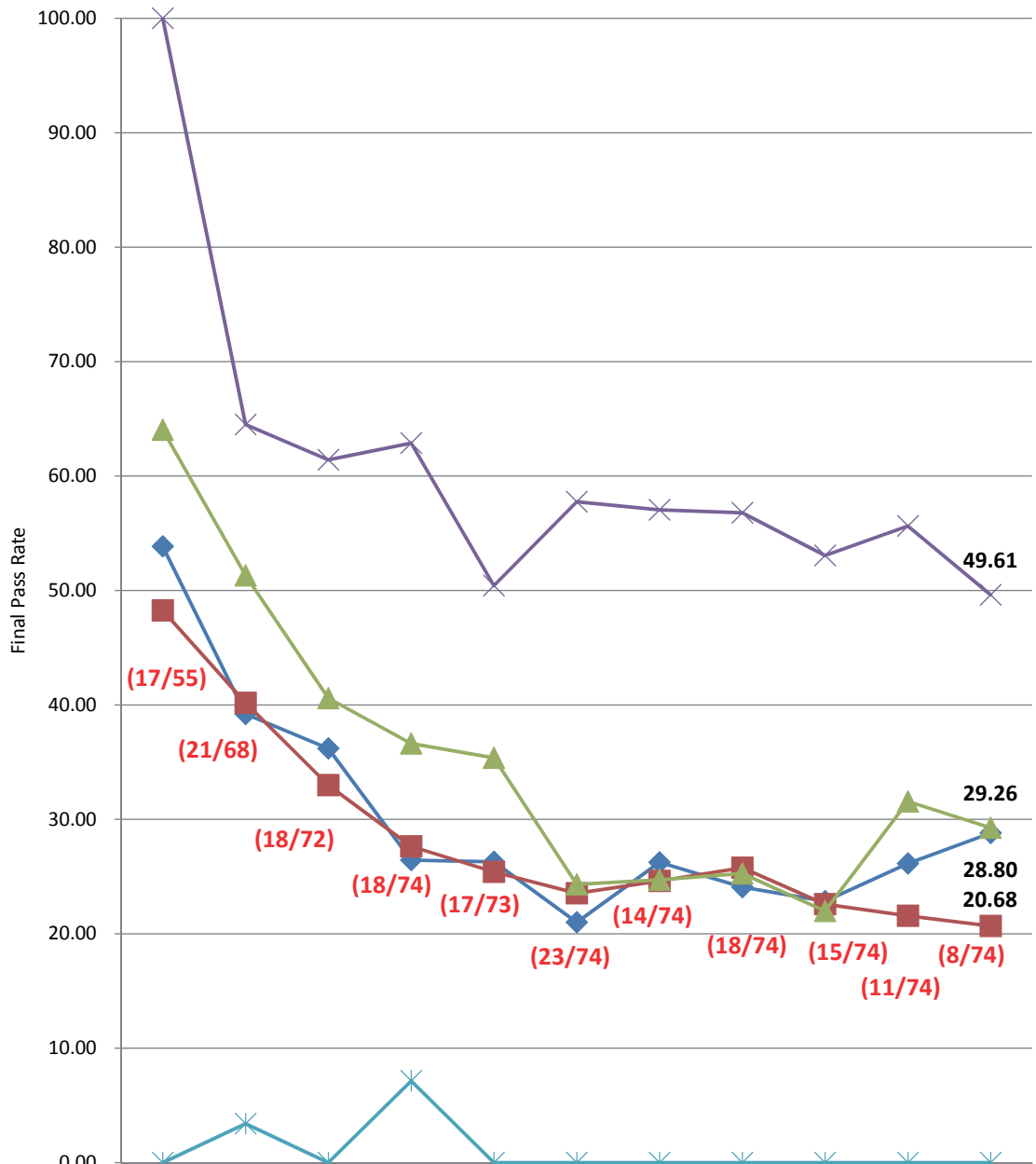


## 8. Success in Qualification Examinations

### 8-1. Pass Rates in the Bar Examination

The national average is on a downward trend since 2014. Looking at the situation of Kyushu University, the final pass rate is on the rise.

◆ Trends in Pass Rates ◆



	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Kyushu University Average	53.85	39.20	36.19	26.44	26.29	21.00	26.24	24.07	22.84	26.14	28.80
National Average (excluding the preparatory examination)	48.25	40.18	32.98	27.64	25.41	23.54	24.62	25.77	22.58	21.57	20.68
National University Average	64.04	51.31	40.59	36.63	35.38	24.32	24.71	25.27	21.98	31.56	29.26
Highest	100.00	64.50	61.42	62.88	50.42	57.75	57.04	56.78	53.06	55.63	49.61
Lowest	0.00	3.40	0.00	7.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(FY)

- Number of entrants passing the bar examination by law school, etc. (does not include those passing the preparatory examination)
- Figures in parentheses indicate the following: (Kyushu University's ranking / Total number)

Source: MOJ website, *Results of the Bar Examination* Number of entrants passing the bar examination by law school, etc.

## 8-1. Pass Rates in the Bar Examination (continued)

### ◆Top 20 Universities by Number Passing◆

Rank	FY2009		FY2010		FY2011		FY2012		FY2013		FY2014		FY2015		FY2016	
	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates	University	Number of Successful Candidates
1	The University of Tokyo	216	The University of Tokyo	201	The University of Tokyo	210	Chuo University	202	Keio University	201	Waseda University	172	Chuo University	170	Keio University	155
2	Chuo University	162	Chuo University	189	Chuo University	176	The University of Tokyo	194	The University of Tokyo	197	Chuo University	164	Keio University	158	Waseda University	152
3	Keio University	147	Keio University	179	Kyoto University	172	Keio University	186	Waseda University	184	The University of Tokyo	158	The University of Tokyo	149	The University of Tokyo	137
4	Kyoto University	145	Kyoto University	135	Keio University	164	Waseda University	155	Chuo University	177	Keio University	150	Waseda University	145	Chuo University	136
5	Waseda University	124	Waseda University	130	Waseda University	138	Kyoto University	152	Kyoto University	129	Kyoto University	130	Kyoto University	128	Kyoto University	105
6	Meiji University	96	Meiji University	85	Meiji University	90	Meiji University	82	Hitotsubashi University	67	Hitotsubashi University	64	Hitotsubashi University	79	Hitotsubashi University	63
7	Hitotsubashi University	83	Osaka University	70	Hitotsubashi University	82	Hitotsubashi University	77	Meiji University	65	Meiji University	63	Kobe University	72	Osaka University	42
8	Kobe University	73	Hitotsubashi University	69	Kobe University	69	Osaka University	74	Osaka University	51	Osaka University	55	Meiji University	53	Kobe University	41
9	Hokkaido University	63	Hokkaido University	62	Doshisha University	65	Kobe University	60	Hokkaido University	50	Kobe University	44	Osaka University	48	Kyushu University	36
10	Ritsumeikan University	60	Tohoku University	58	Tohoku University	54	Hokkaido University	54	Kobe University	46	Tohoku University	42	Hokkaido University	42	Meiji University	36
11	Osaka University	52	Doshisha University	55	Osaka University	49	Kyushu University	53	Sophia University	46	Hokkaido University	41	Kyushu University	40	Nagoya University	34
12	Kyushu University	46	Kobe University	49	Hokkaido University	48	Doshisha University	44	Doshisha University	42	Kyushu University	37	Nagoya University	37	Hokkaido University	30
13	Doshisha University	45	Nagoya University	49	Nagoya University	43	Nagoya University	44	Nagoya University	40	Ritsumeikan University	33	Tohoku University	35	Ritsumeikan University	29
14	Sophia University	40	Ritsumeikan University	47	Kyushu University	42	Ritsumeikan University	43	Ritsumeikan University	40	Sophia University	31	Doshisha University	33	Tokyo Metropolitan University	25
15	Nagoya University	40	Kyushu University	46	Ritsumeikan University	40	Tokyo Metropolitan University	40	Kyushu University	39	Nagoya University	30	Sophia University	29	Tohoku University	23
16	Kwansei Gakuin University	37	Kwansei Gakuin University	37	Sophia University	39	Sophia University	38	Tokyo Metropolitan University	39	Chiba University	26	Hosei University	29	Sophia University	19
17	Kansai University	35	Sophia University	33	Tokyo Metropolitan University	38	Tohoku University	38	Tohoku University	39	Doshisha University	26	Ritsumeikan University	27	Chiba University	17
18	Tokyo Metropolitan University	34	Kansai University	32	Kansai University	35	Kwansei Gakuin University	27	Osaka City University	35	Tokyo Metropolitan University	22	Tokyo Metropolitan University	26	Doshisha University	17
19	Tohoku University	30	Osaka City University	31	Hosei University	31	Kansai University	22	Kwansei Gakuin University	34	Nihon University	22	Osaka City University	22	Kansai University	15
20	Hosei University	25	Tokyo Metropolitan University	30	Osaka City University	30	Nihon University	22	Hosei University	30	Hosei University	21	Kansai University	22	Kwansei Gakuin University	15
	Rikkyo University	25	Chiba University	30											Hiroshima University	15
															Hosei University	15

### ◆Top 20 Universities by Pass Rate◆

Rank	FY2009		FY2010		FY2011		FY2012		FY2013		FY2014		FY2015		FY2016	
	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate	University	Pass Rate
1	Hitotsubashi University	62.9%	Keio University	50.4%	Hitotsubashi University	57.7%	Hitotsubashi University	57.0%	Keio University	56.8%	Kyoto University	53.1%	Hitotsubashi University	55.6%	Hitotsubashi University	49.6%
2	The University of Tokyo	55.5%	Hitotsubashi University	50.0%	Kyoto University	54.6%	Kyoto University	54.3%	The University of Tokyo	55.2%	The University of Tokyo	52.0%	Kyoto University	53.3%	The University of Tokyo	48.1%
3	Kyoto University	50.3%	The University of Tokyo	48.9%	The University of Tokyo	50.5%	Keio University	53.6%	Hitotsubashi University	54.5%	Hitotsubashi University	47.1%	The University of Tokyo	48.9%	Kyoto University	47.3%
4	Kobe University	49.0%	Kyoto University	48.7%	Keio University	48.0%	The University of Tokyo	51.2%	Kyoto University	52.4%	Keio University	44.6%	Kobe University	48.3%	Keio University	44.3%
5	Aichi University	48.8%	Chiba University	43.5%	Kobe University	46.6%	Kobe University	45.8%	Aichi University	42.9%	Osaka University	40.1%	Keio University	45.5%	Waseda University	35.8%
6	Keio University	46.4%	Hokkaido University	43.1%	Chiba University	39.2%	Osaka University	41.8%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	40.6%	Waseda University	35.2%	Aichi University	36.4%	Kobe University	32.3%
7	Chuo University	43.4%	Chuo University	43.1%	Chuo University	38.2%	Chuo University	41.3%	Chuo University	40.0%	Chuo University	34.5%	Chuo University	35.8%	Chuo University	29.4%
8	Hokkaido University	40.4%	Osaka University	38.9%	Waseda University	31.9%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	39.6%	Waseda University	38.4%	Chiba University	31.0%	Waseda University	30.8%	Kyushu University	28.8%
9	Tokyo Metropolitan University	39.1%	Tohoku University	36.5%	Tohoku University	31.8%	Aichi University	37.8%	Chiba University	36.9%	Kobe University	30.8%	Osaka University	29.1%	Osaka University	26.8%
10	Chiba University	37.5%	Nagoya University	35.3%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	31.7%	Hokkaido University	34.0%	Kobe University	36.8%	Tohoku University	26.4%	Hokkaido University	28.6%	Aichi University	26.7%
11	Osaka University	33.5%	Kobe University	34.0%	Nagoya University	31.6%	Waseda University	32.8%	Osaka University	36.4%	Aichi University	25.9%	Kyushu University	26.1%	Nagoya University	25.0%
12	Nagoya University	33.3%	Waseda University	32.7%	Okayama University	31.5%	Nagoya University	32.6%	Nagoya University	33.3%	Soka University	25.7%	Tohoku University	25.7%	Tohoku University	24.0%
13	Waseda University	32.6%	Aichi University	31.8%	Hokkaido University	30.0%	Chiba University	31.8%	Hokkaido University	33.3%	Hokkaido University	25.5%	Nagoya University	25.0%	Hokkaido University	23.4%
14	Meiji University	31.0%	Kanazawa University	31.5%	Osaka University	28.7%	Kyushu University	26.2%	Osaka City University	33.0%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	22.9%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	23.0%	Hiroshima University	20.3%
15	Nanzan University	30.5%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	29.7%	Hokkai-Gakuen University	27.0%	Kindai University	24.3%	Sophia University	26.4%	Kyushu University	22.8%	Kanagawa University	22.9%	Chiba University	19.8%
16	Hokkai-Gakuen University	29.2%	Yamanashi Gakuin University	27.5%	Nanzan University	26.3%	Tohoku University	22.0%	Soka University	25.0%	Nagoya University	22.6%	Osaka City University	18.6%	Tokyo Metropolitan University	19.5%
17	Sophia University	27.8%	Kyushu University	26.3%	Osaka City University	25.0%	Hiroshima University	20.9%	Okayama University	24.3%	Sophia University	19.6%	Okayama University	18.5%	Soka University	19.4%
18	Kyushu University	26.4%	Osaka City University	26.1%	Meiji University	24.0%	Sophia University	20.8%	Kyushu University	24.1%	Yokohama National University	19.4%	Kumamoto University	18.4%	Okayama University	18.0%
19	Yamanashi Gakuin University	26.1%	University of Tsukuba	25.6%	Doshisha University	23.5%	Meiji University	20.4%	Tohoku University	22.5%	Okayama University	18.1%	Soka University	17.9%	Shizuoka University	16.7%
20	Yokohama National University	25.3%	Meiji University	25.4%	Kanazawa University	23.4%	Chukyo University	19.5%	Doshisha University	22.1%	Osaka City University	17.4%	Doshisha University	17.9%	Kobe Gakuin University	15.4%
Outside ranking					Kyushu University (23rd)	21.0%										
Overall	Average	27.6%	Average	25.4%	Average	23.5%	Average	25.1%	Average	26.8%	Average	22.6%	Average	23.1%	Average	22.9%

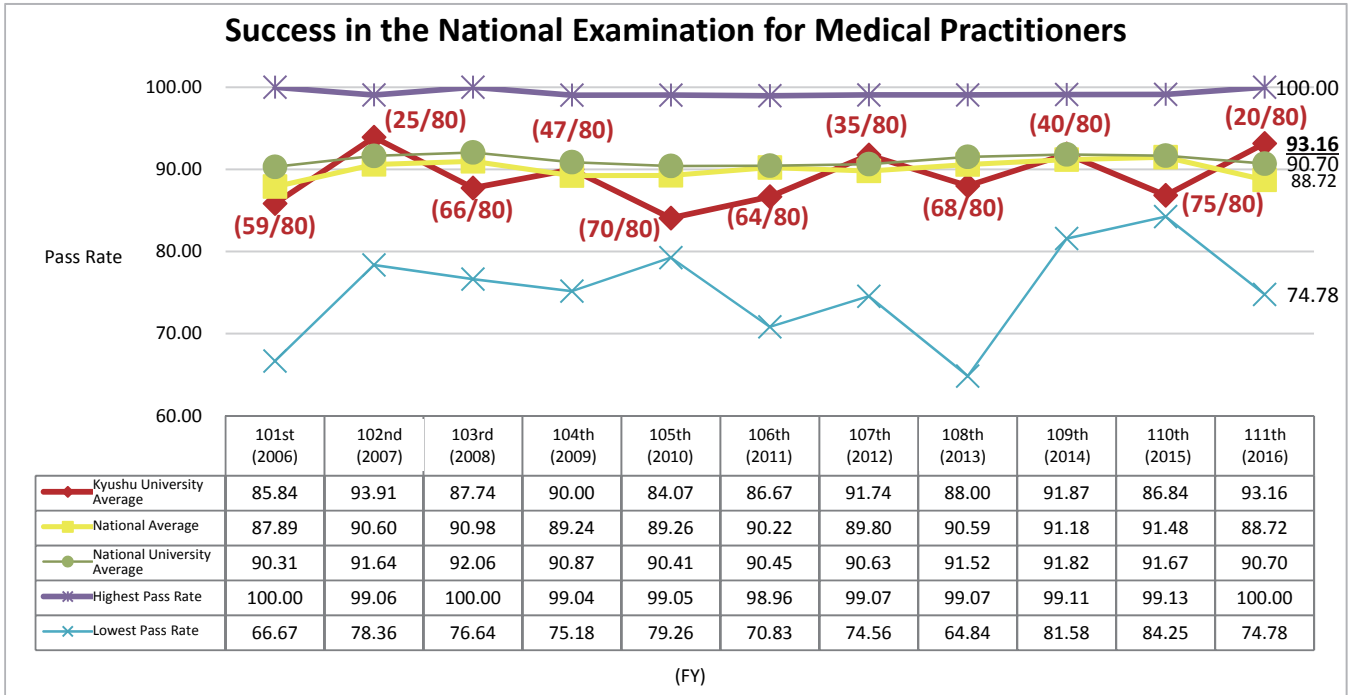
\*Number of entrants passing the bar examination by law school, etc. (does not include those passing the preparatory examination)

\*Source: MOJ website, Results of the Bar Examination Number of entrants passing the bar examination by law school, etc.

## 8-2. Success in Qualification and Employment Examinations

These charts show pass rates for each occupation. In the case of the National Examination for Medical Practitioners, the average pass rate at national universities is stable, but the pass rate at Kyushu University fluctuates considerably according to the year in which the examination is taken.

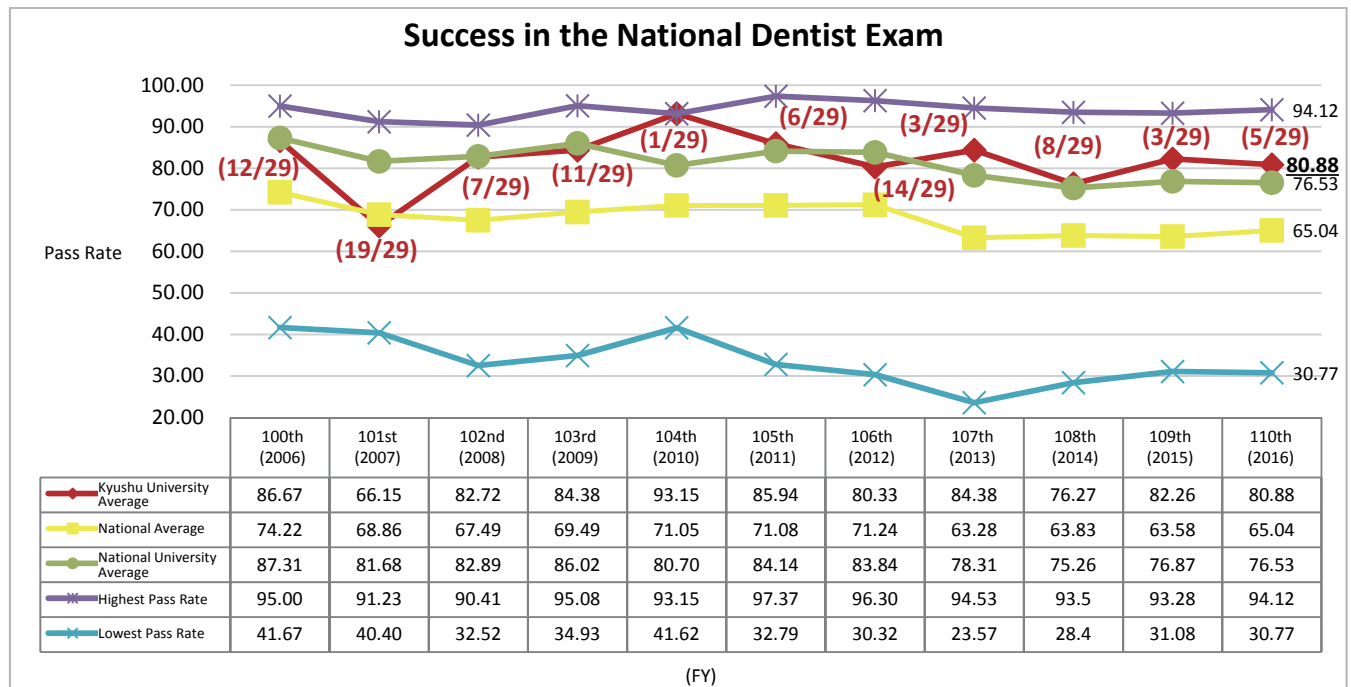
[National Examination for Medical Practitioners (Pass Rates)]



- Figures show the number of new and previous graduates who passed the examination, divided by the total number who took the examination.
- Figures in parentheses indicate the following: (Kyushu University's ranking / Total number)

\*Source: Tecom (preparatory school for the National Examination for Medical Practitioners) website (<https://www.tecomgroup.jp/igaku/topics/111.asp>)

[National Dentist Exam (Pass Rates)]

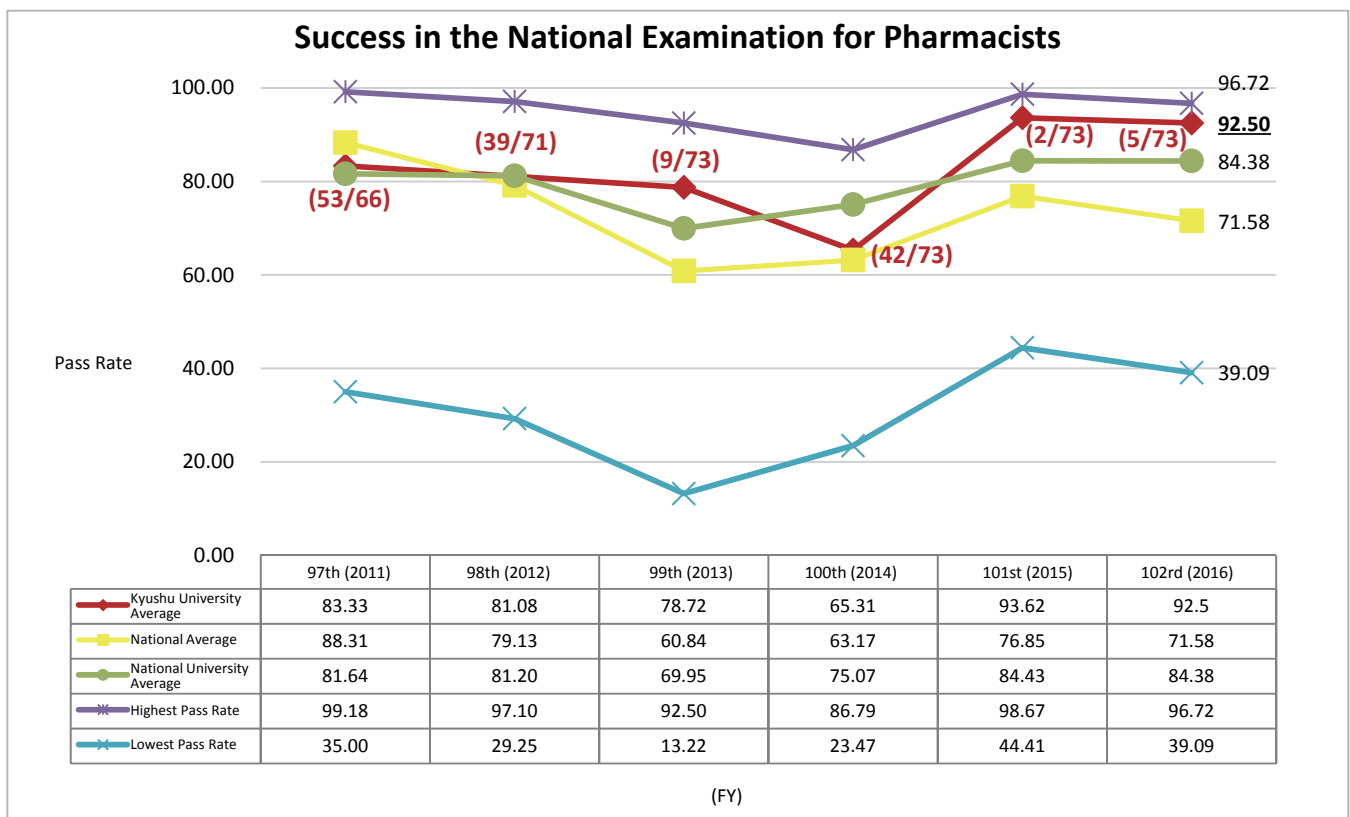


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- Figures in parentheses indicate the following: (Kyushu University's ranking / Total number)

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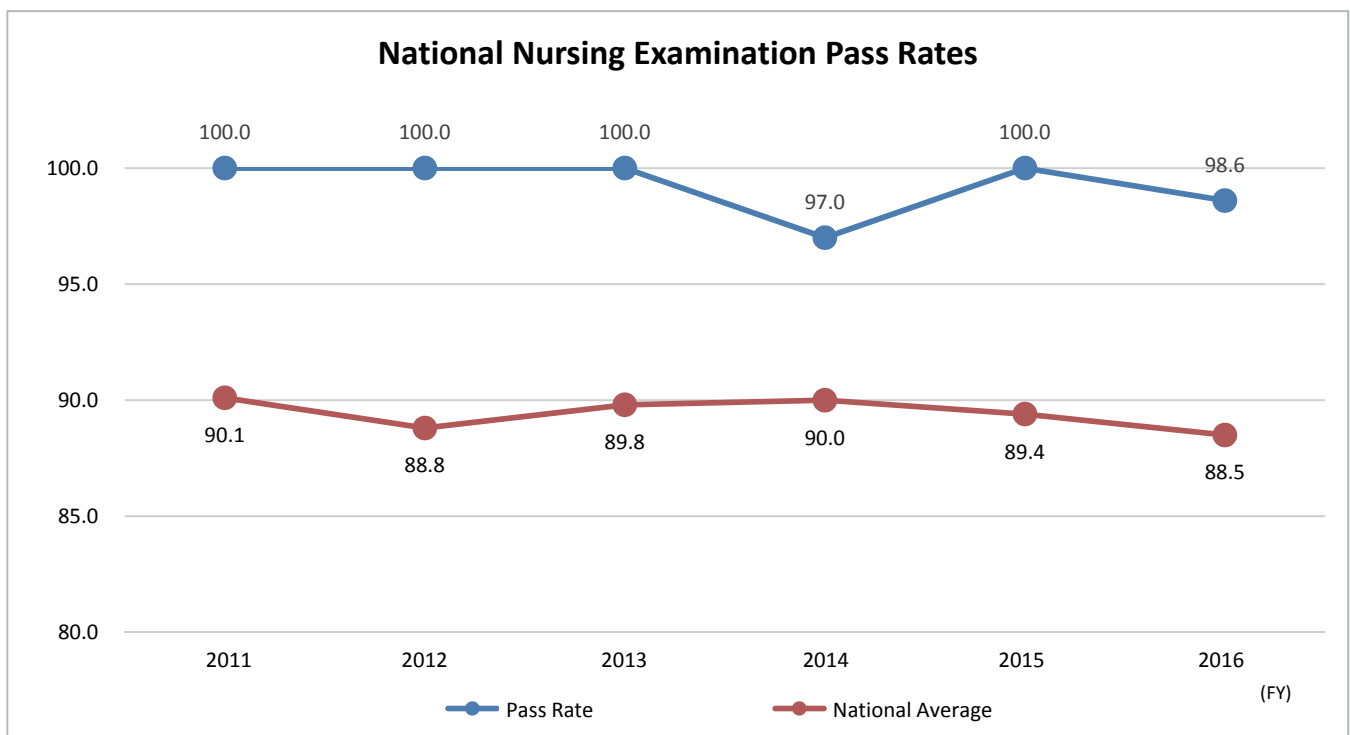
### [National Examination for Pharmacists (Pass Rates)]



- The National Examination for Pharmacists is open to those who have graduated from a six-year program, so the figures below cover the period from FY2011.
- Figures show the number of new and previous graduates who passed the examination, divided by the total number who took the examination.
- Figures in parentheses indicate the following: (Kyushu University's ranking / Total number)

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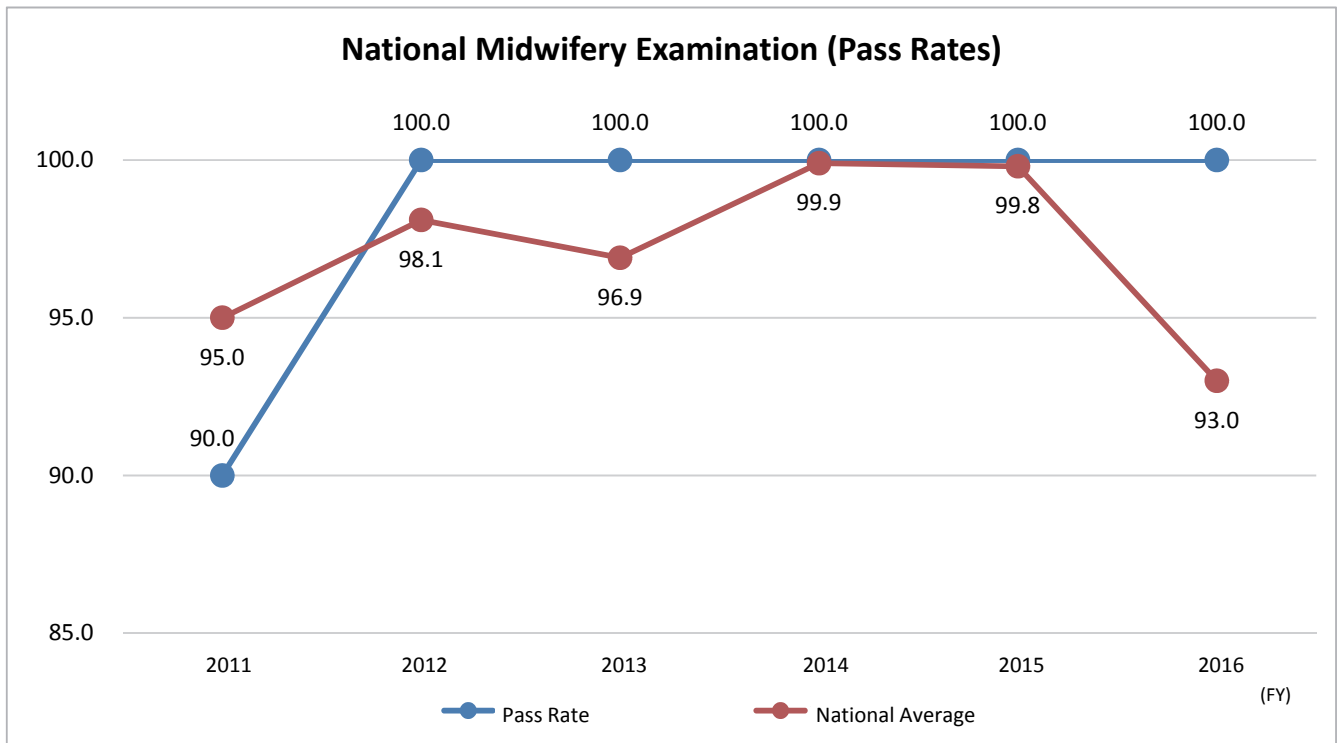
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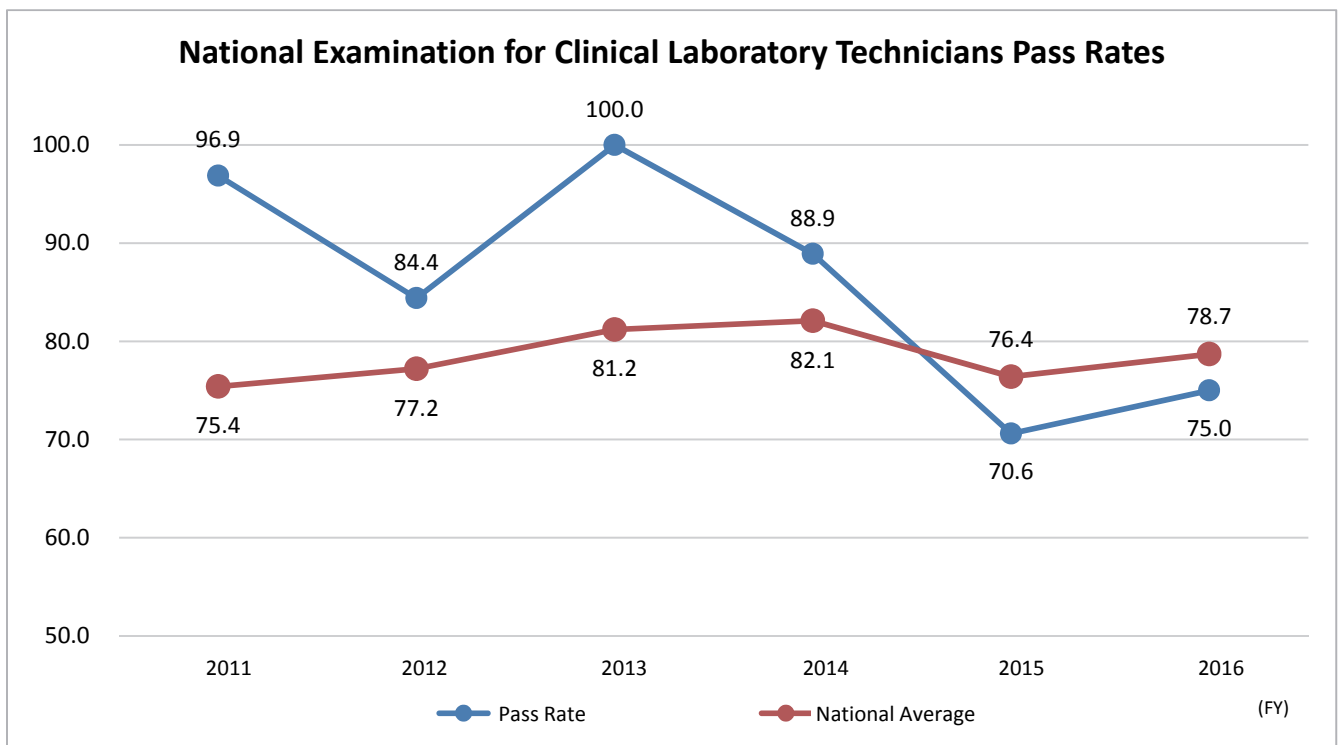
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[National Midwifery Examination (Pass Rates)]



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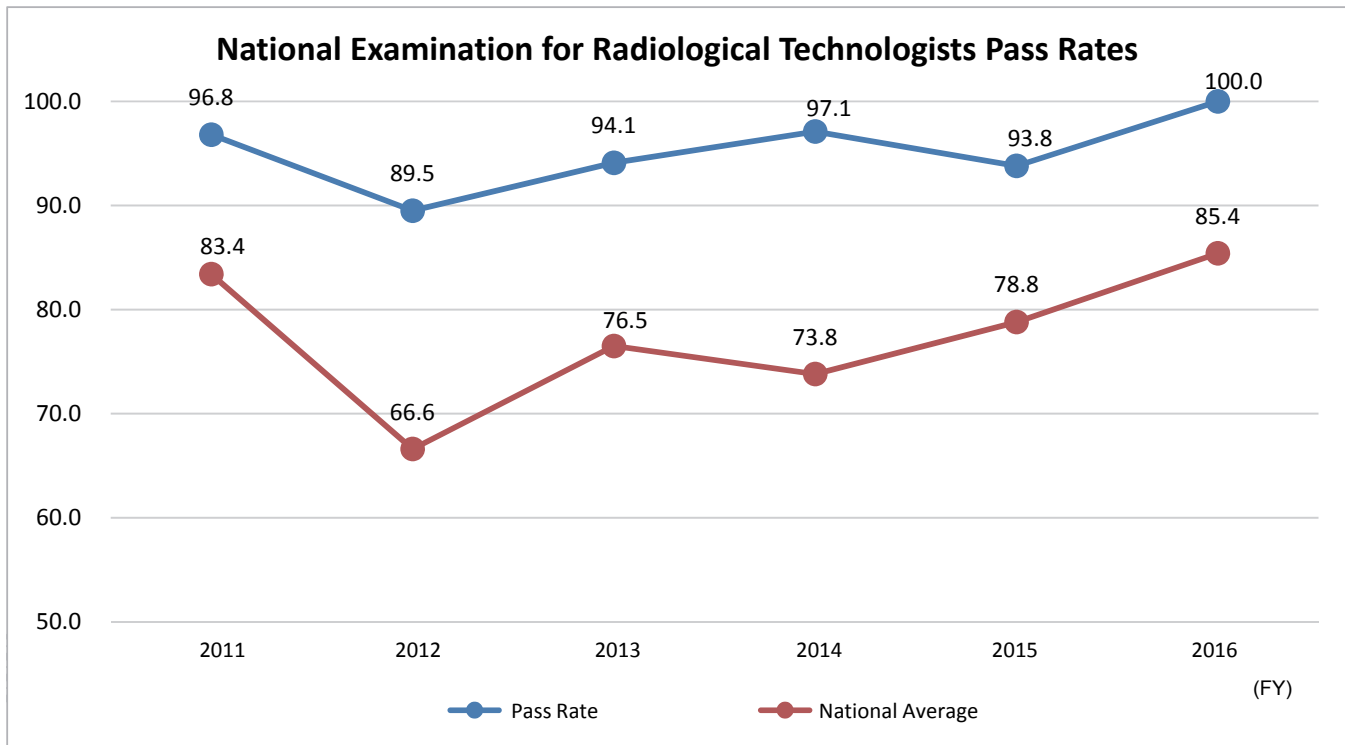
[National Examination for Clinical Laboratory Technicians (Pass Rates)]



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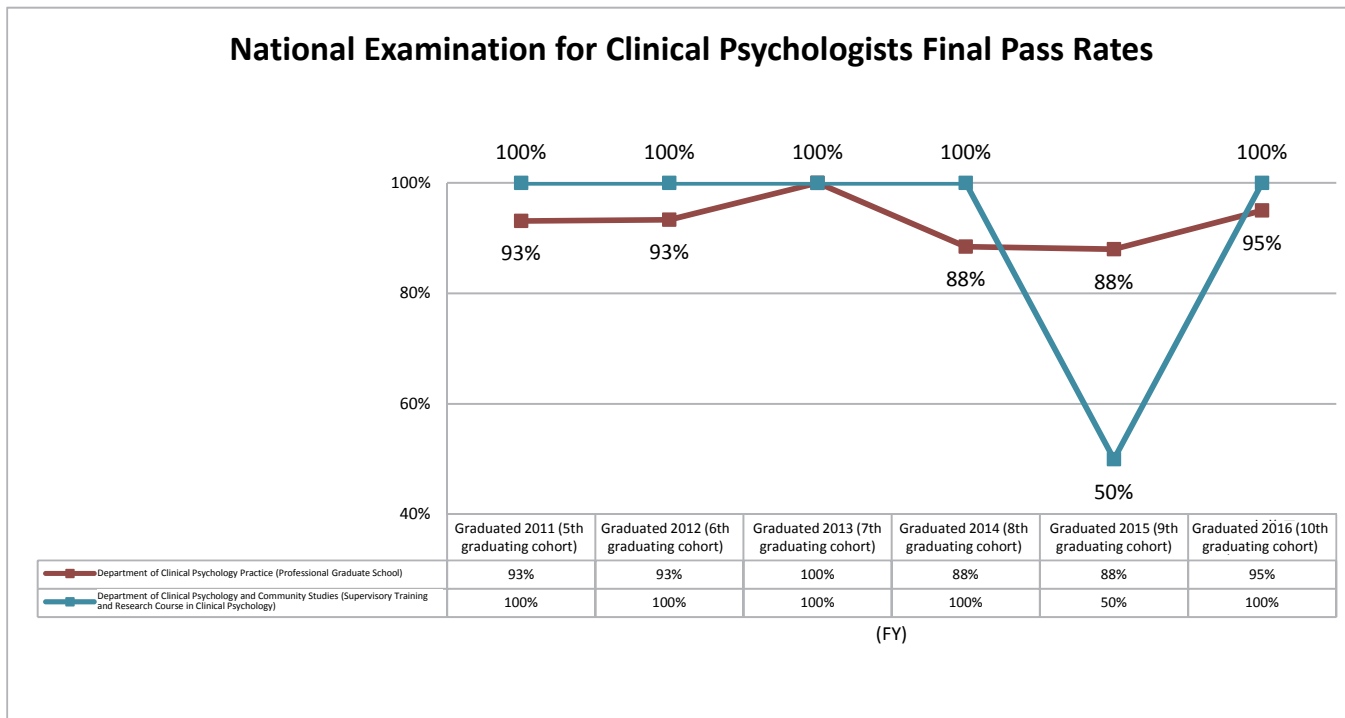
8-2. Success in Qualification and Employment Examinations (continued)

[National Examination for Radiological Technologists (Pass Rates)]



\*Source: Kango Iryo Shingaku Net (<http://www.ishin.jp/support/kokka/>)

[National Examination for Clinical Psychologists (Pass Rates)]



\*Source: Graduate School of Human-Environment Studies Department of Clinical Psychology Practice (Professional Graduate School)  
 Graduate School of Human-Environment Studies Department of Clinical Psychology and Community Studies (Supervisory Training and Research Course in Clinical Psychology (Graduate School) admissions guide

## 8-2. Success in Qualification and Employment Examinations (continued)

### ◆ Success in Civil Service Examinations ◆

[National Public Servant  
(Regular Position)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	433
2	Kyoto University	183
3	Waseda University	133
4	Keio University	98
5	Tohoku University	85
6	Osaka University	83
6	Hokkaido University	82
8	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>63</b>
8	Chuo University	51
10	Tokyo Institute of Technology	49

[National Public Servant  
(Non-managerial)]

Rank	University	Number
1	Waseda University	277
2	Chuo University	224
3	Okayama University	189
4	Doshisha University	177
5	Ritsumeikan University	174
6	Tohoku University	170
6	Meiji University	170
8	Kobe University	160
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12	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>138</b>

[Foreign Service Specialist Officer]

Rank	University	Number
1	Osaka University	8
2	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	7
3	Sophia University	6
4	Kobe University	4
4	Waseda University	4
6	The University of Tokyo	3
7	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>2</b>
7	Hokkaido University	2
7	Soka University	2
7	Doshisha University	2

### ◆ National Examination Passes ◆

[Patent Attorney]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	37
2	Kyoto University	29
3	Tohoku University	16
3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	15
3	Tokyo University of Science	12
6	Osaka University	9
7	Keio University	9
7	Waseda University	9
	⋮	
17	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>4</b>

[Professional Engineer]

Rank	University	Number
1	Hokkaido University	150
2	Kyoto University	146
3	The University of Tokyo	126
4	Nihon University	126
5	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>105</b>
6	Waseda University	102
7	Tohoku University	89
8	Osaka University	86
9	Tokyo Institute of Technology	84
10	Tokyo University of Science	67

[First-class Qualified Architect]

Rank	University	Number
1	Nihon University	180
2	Tokyo University of Science	123
3	Shibaura Institute of Technology	90
4	Waseda University	81
5	Kindai University	69
6	Kobe University	65
7	<b>Kyushu University</b>	<b>61</b>
7	Kogakuin University	61
9	Hosei University	57
10	Meiji University	52

\*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings