

**National Summary Report: Descriptive Statistics of PRAXIS Examination Scores for the  
Audiology Specialty Test for Test Administration Years 2012-2013 through 2022-2023**

The following tables present descriptive statistics on the PRAXIS audiology test for all exam participants (Table 1) and for those individuals who have earned a bachelor’s degree plus additional credits, earned a master’s degree, earned a master’s degree plus additional credits, or earned a doctoral degree (Table 2) for test administration years 2012-2013 through 2022-2023 and who have identified ASHA as a score recipient.

**Table 1. Audiology – All Exam Participants (Includes all scores from multiple test takers)**

| Test Year  | Count   | Mean    | Standard Deviation | Pass    |             | Fail   |             |
|------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|-------------|--------|-------------|
|            |         |         |                    | Count   | Percentage  | Count  | Percentage  |
| 2022-2023  | 679     | 166     | 11                 | 464     | 68.3%       | 215    | 31.7%       |
| 2021-2022  | 598     | 167     | 11                 | 441     | 73.8%       | 157    | 26.3%       |
| 2020-2021* | 239/376 | 176/167 | 10/11              | 190/275 | 79.5%/73.1% | 49/101 | 20.5%/26.9% |
| 2019-2020  | 632     | 176     | 10                 | 509     | 80.5        | 123    | 19.5        |
| 2018-2019  | 576     | 177     | 9                  | 470     | 81.6%       | 106    | 18.4%       |
| 2017-2018  | 733     | 177     | 10                 | 602     | 82.1%       | 131    | 17.9%       |
| 2016-2017  | 730     | 178     | 9                  | 636     | 87.1%       | 94     | 12.9%       |
| 2015-2016  | 712     | 179     | 9                  | 645     | 90.6%       | 67     | 9.4%        |
| 2014-2015  | 672     | 178     | 10                 | 575     | 85.6%       | 97     | 14.4%       |
| 2013-2014  | 653     | 176     | 10                 | 555     | 85.0%       | 98     | 15.0%       |
| 2012-2013  | 539     | 175     | 10                 | 434     | 80.5%       | 105    | 19.5%       |

**Table 2. Audiology – Only exam participants who reported their educational level and who have earned a bachelor’s degree plus additional credits, earned a master’s degree, earned a master’s degree plus additional credits, or earned a doctoral degree (Includes all scores from multiple test takers)**

| Test Year  | Count   | Mean       | Standard Deviation | Pass   |             | Fail  |             |
|------------|---------|------------|--------------------|--------|-------------|-------|-------------|
|            |         |            |                    | Count  | Percentage  | Count | Percentage  |
| 2022-2023  | 245     | 165        | 11                 | 166    | 67.8%       | 79    | 32.2%       |
| 2021-2022  | 289     | 168        | 12                 | 220    | 76.1%       | 69    | 23.9%       |
| 2020-2021* | 101/184 | 175/166    | 11/12              | 78/135 | 77.2%/73.4% | 23/49 | 22.8%/26.6% |
| 2019-2020  | 281     | 177        | 11                 | 233    | 82.9%       | 48    | 17.1%       |
| 2018-2019  | 270     | 177        | 9                  | 226    | 83.7%       | 44    | 16.3%       |
| 2017-2018  | 290     | 177        | 10                 | 239    | 82.4%       | 51    | 17.6%       |
| 2016-2017  | 293     | 178        | 10                 | 248    | 84.6%       | 45    | 15.4%       |
| 2015-2016  | 330     | 179        | 9                  | 301    | 91.2%       | 29    | 8.8%        |
| 2014-2015  | 327     | 177        | 10                 | 270    | 82.6%       | 57    | 17.4%       |
| 2013-2014  | 212     | 177        | 10                 | 187    | 88.2%       | 25    | 11.8%       |
| 2012-2013  | 453     | 630/172*** | 111/12***          | 264    | 58.3%       | 189   | 41.7%       |

\*\*\*The Praxis Audiology 5342 test was regenerated and replaced by the Praxis Audiology 5343 test to align with the 2020 Standards and Implementation Procedures for the Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology. The scaled score range of 100-200 has a passing score of 162 for the Audiology test (5343) effective September 1, 2020. Although most licensing entities moved to the new test starting September 1, 2020, the Audiology test (5342) was available through August 2021. The table presents 2020-2021 scores for both versions of the Audiology test (i.e., 5342/5343).

\*\*\*ETS implemented a new scaled score range for the audiology exam in January 2013. The new scaled score range of 100-200 has a passing score of 170. The old score range was 250 to 990 with a passing score of 600. The means and standard deviations for both exams administered during the 2012-2013 test year are presented in this report. Beginning with the 2013-2014 test year, the means and standard deviations only reflect the new scaled score range of 100-200.

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