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 SUBJECT: Licensing Division Report

Licensing Division Update

A. Psychiatric Technician (PT) Program

1. **Current Application Processing Time** – The current processing time for PT applications is approximately 1.5 weeks.

Quarterly Application Processing Time	July 2015	August 2015	September 2015	Total Average Processing
	1.5 weeks	2 weeks	1 week	1.5 weeks
	April 2015	May 2015	June 2015	Total Average Processing
	0 week	2 weeks	0.5 weeks	1 week
	January 2015	February 2015	March 2015	Total Average Processing
	3 weeks	2 weeks	0.5 week	2 weeks
	October 2014	November 2014	December 2014	Total Average Processing
	4 weeks	3 weeks	1 week	2.5 weeks

2. **Statistics** – The table below shows the 2015/2016 fiscal year (July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016), first quarter examination statistics. A total of 305 applicants sat for the PT Licensure Examination. The pass percentage rate for first-time applicants was 77%.

PT Applicants	PT Applicants Tested	# Pass	% Pass	# Fail	% Fail
First-time Applicants	193	149	77%	44	23%
Repeat Applicants	112	17	15%	95	85%
Overall Totals	305	166	54%	139	46%

B. Vocational Nursing (VN) Program

1. Current Application Processing Time – The average processing time for VN applications is approximately 8.5 weeks.

Quarterly Application Processing Time	July 2015	August 2015	September 2015	Total Average Processing
	6 weeks	7 week	7.5 week	7 weeks
	April 2015	May 2015	June 2015	Total Average Processing
	5.5 weeks	6.5 weeks	7 weeks	6.5 weeks
	January 2015	February 2015	March 2015	Total Average Processing
	4.5 weeks	4.5 weeks	4.5 weeks	4.5 weeks
	October 2014	November 2014	December 2014	Total Average Processing
	8 weeks	7 weeks	7 weeks	7.5 weeks

2. Statistics – The table below shows the 2015/2016 fiscal year (July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016), first quarter examination statistics. A total of 3,442 applicants were scheduled to take the examination; however, 89 applicants failed to appear. A total of 2,072 first-time applicants sat for the VN Licensure Examination. The pass percentage rate for first-time applicants was 66%.

VN Applicants	VN Applicants Tested	# Pass	% Pass	# Fail	% Fail
First-time Applicants	2,072	1,362	66%	710	34%
Repeat Applicants	1,281	308	24%	973	76%
Overall Totals	3,353	1,670	50%	1,683	50%