

**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE FACT SHEET  
CALENDAR YEARS 2014 & 2015**

**Doctor of Chiropractic- 3 years, 3 months**

**On-Time Completion Rates (Graduation Rates)**

*Includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting.*

| Calendar Year | Number of Students Who Began the Program | Students Available for Graduation | Number of On- Time Graduates | On-Time Completion Rate |
|---------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2014          | 99                                       | 99                                | 61                           | 62%                     |
| 2015          | 126                                      | 125                               | 81                           | 64%                     |

Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Initial only after you have had sufficient time to read and understand the information.

**Students Completing Within 150% of the Published Program Length**

| Calendar Year | Number of Students Who Began the Program | Students Available for Graduation | 150% Graduates | 150% Completion Rate |
|---------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| 2012          | 108                                      | 108                               | 95             | 88%                  |
| 2013          | 88                                       | 88                                | 72             | 82%                  |
| 2014          | 99                                       | 99                                | 82             | 83%                  |
| 2015          | 126                                      | 125                               | 57**           | 46%**                |

\*\* Complete data not available until 7/1/2017

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**Job Placement Rates (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

| Calendar Year | Number of Students Who Began the Program | Number of Graduates | Graduates Available for Employment | Graduates Employed in the Field* | Placement Rate % Employed in the Field* |
|---------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 2014          | 99                                       | 85                  | 85                                 | 0*                               | 0*                                      |
| 2015          | 126                                      | 57**                | 57**                               | 0*                               | 0*                                      |

\*Data not reported because the college was exempt in 2014/2015 & newly approved in February, 2016

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You may obtain from the institution a list of the employment positions determined to be in the field for which a student received education and training. Palmer College of Chiropractic West was exempt for the reporting period.

**Gainfully Employed Categories (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

**Part-Time vs. Full-Time Employment**

| Calendar Year | Graduate Employed in the Field 20-29 Hours Per Week | Graduates Employed in the Field at Least 30 Hours Per Week | Total Graduates Employed in the Field |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2014          | 0*                                                  | 0*                                                         | 0*                                    |
| 2015          | 0*                                                  | 0*                                                         | 0*                                    |

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**Single Position vs. Concurrent Aggregated Position**

| Calendar Year | Graduates Employed in the Field in a Single Position | Graduates Employed in the Field in Concurrent Aggregated Positions | Total Graduates Employed in the Field |
|---------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2014          | 0*                                                   | 0*                                                                 | 0*                                    |
| 2015          | 0*                                                   | 0*                                                                 | 0*                                    |

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**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

| Calendar Year | Graduates Employed who are Self-Employed or Working Freelance | Total Graduates Employed in the Field |
|---------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2014          | 0*                                                            | 0*                                    |
| 2015          | 0*                                                            | 0*                                    |

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**Institutional Employment**

| Calendar Year | Graduates Employed in the Field who are Employed by the Institution, an Employer Owned by the Institution, or an Employer who Shares Ownership with the Institution. | Total Graduates Employed in the Field |
|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2014          | 0*                                                                                                                                                                   | 0*                                    |
| 2015          | 0*                                                                                                                                                                   | 0*                                    |

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**National Board of Chiropractic Examiners Part IV Pass Rates**

| Calendar Year | Number of Graduates in Calendar | Number of Graduates Taking Exam | Number Who Passed First Available Exam | Number Who Failed First Available | Passage Rate |
|---------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| 2014          | 85                              | 0*                              | 0*                                     | 0*                                | 0*           |
| 2015          | 106                             | 0*                              | 0*                                     | 0*                                | 0*           |

Licensure examination passage data is not available from the state agency administering the examination.

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**Salary and Wage Information (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

Annual salary and wages reported for graduates employed in the field.

| Calendar Year | Graduates Available for Employment | Graduates Employed in the Field | Salary and Wage Information |                     |                     |                     |                     |                      |                     |
|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
|               |                                    |                                 | \$0 - \$5,000               | \$5,001 - \$10,000  | \$10,001 - \$15,000 | \$15,001 - \$20,000 | \$20,001 - \$25,000 | \$25,001 - \$30,000  | \$30,001 - \$35,000 |
| 2014          | 85                                 | 0*                              | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |
|               |                                    |                                 | \$35,001 - \$40,000         | \$40,001 - \$45,000 | \$45,001 - \$50,000 | \$50,001 - \$55,000 | \$55,001 - \$60,000 | \$60,001 - \$65,000  | \$65,001 - \$70,000 |
|               |                                    |                                 | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |
|               |                                    |                                 | \$70,001 - \$75,000         | \$75,001 - \$80,000 | \$80,001 - \$85,000 | \$85,001 - \$90,000 | \$90,001 - \$95,000 | \$95,001 - \$100,000 | \$100,001 +         |
|               |                                    |                                 | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |
| Calendar Year | Graduates Available for Employment | Graduates Employed in the Field | Salary and Wage Information |                     |                     |                     |                     |                      |                     |
|               |                                    |                                 | \$0 - \$5,000               | \$5,001 - \$10,000  | \$10,001 - \$15,000 | \$15,001 - \$20,000 | \$20,001 - \$25,000 | \$25,001 - \$30,000  | \$30,001 - \$35,000 |
| 2015          | 106                                | 0*                              | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |
|               |                                    |                                 | \$35,001 - \$40,000         | \$40,001 - \$45,000 | \$45,001 - \$50,000 | \$50,001 - \$55,000 | \$55,001 - \$60,000 | \$60,001 - \$65,000  | \$65,001 - \$70,000 |
|               |                                    |                                 | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |
|               |                                    |                                 | \$70,001 - \$75,000         | \$75,001 - \$80,000 | \$80,001 - \$85,000 | \$85,001 - \$90,000 | \$90,001 - \$95,000 | \$95,001 - \$100,000 | \$100,001 +         |
|               |                                    |                                 | 0*                          | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                  | 0*                   | 0*                  |

A list of sources used to substantiate salary disclosures is available from the school. Palmer College of Chiropractic West was exempt for the reporting period.

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**Cost of Educational Program**

Total charges for the program for students completing on-time in 2015: \$107,963. Additional charges may be incurred if the program is not completed on-time.

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**Federal Student Loan Debt**

| Most recent three year cohort default rate, as reported by the United States Department of Education. <sup>1</sup> | The percentage of enrolled students in 2015 receiving federal student loans to pay for this program. | The average amount of federal student loan debt of 2015 graduates who took out federal student loans at this institution. | The percentage of graduates in 2015 with federal student loans as calculated by the institution. |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2.1%                                                                                                               | 73.6%                                                                                                | \$168,211                                                                                                                 | 75.2%                                                                                            |

<sup>1</sup>The percentage of students who defaulted on their federal student loans is called the Cohort Default Rate (CDR). It shows the percentage of this school's students who were more than 270 days (9 months) behind on their federal student loans within three years of when the first payment was due. This is the most recent CDR reported by the U.S. Department of Education.

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This fact sheet is filed with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education. Regardless of any information you may have relating to completion rates, placement rates, starting salaries, or license exam passage rates, this fact sheet contains the information as calculated pursuant to state law.

Any questions a student may have regarding this fact sheet that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education at 2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 400, Sacramento, CA 95833, [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov), toll-free telephone number (888) 370-7589 or by fax (916) 263-1897.

Student Name – Print

Date

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Student Signature

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School Official

Date

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Palmer College of Chiropractic West was approved by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education on 02/19/2016. The data required in this fact sheet reflects calendar years 2014 & 2015, a time when the College was exempt from reporting. Information regarding general salary and placement statistics may be available from government sources or from the institution, but is not equivalent to actual performance data.

### **Definitions**

- “Number of Students Who Began the Program” means the number of students who began a program who were scheduled to complete the program within 100% of the published program length within the reporting calendar year and excludes all students who cancelled during the cancellation period.
- “Students Available for Graduation” is the number of students who began the program minus the number of students who have died, been incarcerated, or been called to active military duty.
- “Number of On-time Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 100% of the published program length within the reporting calendar year.
- “On-time Completion Rate” is the number of on-time graduates divided by the number of students available for graduation.
- “150% Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 150% of the program length (includes on-time graduates).
- “150% Completion Rate” is the number of students who completed the program in the reported calendar year within 150% of the published program length, including on-time graduates, divided by the number of students available for graduation.
- “Graduates Available for Employment” means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment.
- “Graduates Unavailable for Employment” means the graduates who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education in an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution.
- “Graduates Employed in the Field” means graduates who beginning within six months after a student completes the applicable educational program are gainfully employed, whose employment has been reported, and for whom the institution has documented verification of employment. For occupations for which the state requires passing an examination, the six-month period begins after the announcement of the examination results for the first examination available after a student completes an applicable educational program.
- “Placement Rate Employed in the Field” is calculated by dividing the number of graduates gainfully employed in the field by the number of graduates available for employment.
- “Number of Graduates Taking Exam” is the number of graduates who took the first available exam in the reported calendar year.



- "First Available Exam Date" is the date for the first available exam after a student completed a program.
- "Passage Rate" is calculated by dividing the number of graduates who passed the exam by the number of graduates who took the reported licensing exam.
- "Number Who Passed First Available Exam" is the number of graduates who took and passed the first available licensing exam after completing the program.
- "Salary" is as reported by graduate or graduate's employer.
- "No Salary Information Reported" is the number of graduates for whom, after making reasonable attempts, the school was not able to obtain salary information.

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## STUDENT'S RIGHT TO CANCEL

Prior to or on the first day of instruction you may cancel this enrollment agreement and receive a refund by providing a written notice to the Registrar PALMER COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC SAN JOSE CAMPUS, 90 E. TASMAN DRIVE, SAN JOSE, CA 95134.

Refund Information: The student has a right to a full refund of all charges less the current amount paid for the current quarter's registration if he or she cancels this agreement prior to or on the first day of instruction. The charges not refunded as a result of being paid for the current quarter's registration may not exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00). In addition, if a student withdraws from a class during the current quarter after instruction has started he or she may receive a pro rata refund for the unused portion of the tuition and other refundable charges if the student has completed 60% or less of the hours in the current quarter.

Withdrawal from the College requires written notification to the College Registrar. That refund shall be the amount the student paid for the instruction multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of hours of quarterly instruction for which the student has paid. (For example, if the student completes only 32 hours within a single quarter out of a total of 384 hours and paid \$5,130 in tuition, the student would receive a refund of \$4,702.50). The school will also refund money collected for sending to a third party on the student's behalf such fees such as license or application fees applicable to the current quarter. No first time application fees shall be refunded. If the school cancels or discontinues an educational program during the current quarter, the school will make a full refund of all charges. Refunds will be paid within 45 days of cancellation or withdrawal. If the student has completed more than 60% of the number of class hours within the current quarter, no refund will be made. The pro-rata refund will be available if the student fails to complete the period of enrollment for any reason, including dismissal or other forms of termination.