

**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE FACT SHEET  
CALENDAR YEARS 2019 & 2020**

**Psy.D. in Clinical Psychology – 133 Credits**

**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
2019	2	2	1	50%
2020	8	8	0	0%

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

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

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2019	2	1	1	1	100%
2020	8	0	0	0	0%

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**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
2019	0	1	1
2020	0	0	0

**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
2019	1	0	1
2020	0	0	0

**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

Calendar Year	Graduates Employed who are Self-Employed or Working Freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2019	0	1
2020	0	0

**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
2019	0	1
2020	0	0

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**License Examination Passage Rates (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

Calendar Year	Number of Graduates in Calendar Year	Number of Graduates Taking Exam	Number Who Passed First Available Exam	Number Who Failed First Available Exam	Passage Rate
2019	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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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 Field	\$20,001	\$35,001	\$40,001	\$45,001	No Salary Information Reported
			-	-	-	-	
			\$25,000	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$50,000	
2019	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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**Cost of Educational Program**

Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2019: \$83,533  
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Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2020: \$83,533  
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**Federal Student Loan Debt**

Calendar Year(s)	Most recent three year cohort default rate, as reported by the United State Department of Education. <sup>1</sup>	The percentage of enrolled students in 2019/20 receiving federal student loans to pay for this program.	The percentage of graduates in 2019/20 who took out federal student loans to pay for this program.	The average amount of federal student loan debt of 2019/20 graduates who took out federal student loans at this institution.
2019	0	46%	0%	\$0
2020	0	87%	0%	\$0

<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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 Student Name - Print

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 Student Signature

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 Date

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 School Official

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 Date

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### Definitions

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- “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 months 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.
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- “Salary” is as reported by graduate or graduate’s employer.
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**STUDENT'S RIGHT TO CANCEL**

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- The student notifies the University, in writing, of the student's withdrawal. (See Refundable Tuition Policy below)
- The University terminates the student's enrollment for failure to maintain satisfactory progress; failure to abide by the rules and regulations of the University; absences in excess of maximum set forth by the University; and/or failure to meet financial obligations to the University. (See the Student Handbook for a full description of Administrative Withdrawal.)
- The student fails to return from a Leave of Absence.

**Refundable Tuition Policy**

The student has a right to a full refund of all charges for instruction less the amount of \$250 for application or deposit if the student cancels this Enrollment Agreement prior to the first day of class or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later. In addition, the student may withdraw or take an approved Leave of Absence (in accordance with the University's Leave of Absence policy) from the program after instruction has started and receive a prorated/partial refund for the unused portion of the tuition and other refundable charges (through 60% of class of each quarter).

**Tuition Refund Calculation**

- On or before the first day of class of the quarter\* ..... 100% refunded
- Day 2 to day 29 of class of the quarter ..... \*\*See note
- Day 30 and beyond of class of the quarter ..... 0% refunded

\*Or within 7 days of signing the Enrollment Agreement.

\*\*Note: Refund calculations from day 2 to day 29 of class of the quarter are calculated as follows: The number of days of class of the quarter that the student was enrolled is divided by the total number of scheduled days of class per quarter, in accordance with Meridian academic policy. This calculation produces the percentage of tuition that the student owes, and therefore their refund amount is the complementary percentage.

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## **STUDENT'S RIGHT TO CANCEL (CONTINUED)**

### Doctoral Project Refund Policy

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### Continuation Fee Refund Policy

Continuation students who graduate or withdraw from Meridian University will receive a refund of the Continuation Fee, prorated on a quarterly basis, based on their date of degree conferral or effective date of withdrawal. Continuation students who complete their program or withdraw on or after June 1 of an academic year will not receive a prorated Continuation Fee refund. The proration calculation will include charges for the current quarter as of the effective date.

### ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORM AND REFUND POLICY

At Meridian, courses are either fully online or include a residency requirement in addition to online coursework. Once login credentials are provided to the student, it is the student's responsibility to engage course materials on a timely basis.

Students have the right to cancel the Enrollment Agreement and receive a full refund as long as the student cancels prior to receiving the online credentials and the launch of the courses in the Online Learning Platform where lessons and materials are found. Cancellation is effective on the date that written notice of cancellation is received.

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**Ed.D. in Organizational Leadership – 92 Credits**

**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
2019	0	0	0	0%
2020	4	4	0	0%

\* This program is new. Therefore, the number of students who graduate, the number of students who are placed, or the starting salary you can earn after finishing the educational program are unknown at this time. 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. This program began on 2/1/2014. As of 2/1/2024, two full years of data for this program will be available.

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2020	4	0	0	0	0%

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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
2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

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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
2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

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2019	0	0
2020	0	0

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2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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<b>2019</b>	0	19%	0%	\$0
<b>2020</b>	0	33%	0%	\$0

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**M.A. in Counseling Psychology – 103 Credits**

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

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Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began the Program	Students Available for Graduation	Number of On-Time Graduates	On-Time Completion Rate
2019	7	7	4	57%
2020	2	2	2	100%

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2019	4	4	1	2	0	0	1
2020	6	1	0	0	0	1	0

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**Federal Student Loan Debt**

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<b>2019</b>	0	58%	0%	\$0
<b>2020</b>	0	83%	83%	\$9,530

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### **Refundable Tuition Policy**

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### **Tuition Refund Calculation**

- On or before the first day of class of the quarter\* .....100% refunded
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**M.A. in Psychology – 64 Credits**

**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
2019	2	2	1	50%
2020	9	9	3	33%

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

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2019	2	2	0	0	0%
2020	9	3	3	0	0%

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

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2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

**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
2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

Calendar Year	Graduates Employed who are Self-Employed or Working Freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2019	0	0
2020	0	0

**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
2019	0	0
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**License Examination Passage Rates (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

Calendar Year	Number of Graduates in Calendar Year	Number of Graduates Taking Exam	Number Who Passed First Available Exam	Number Who Failed First Available Exam	Passage Rate
2019	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Licensure examination passage data is not available from the state agency administering the examination. We are unable to collect data from 5 graduates. This program is not designed to prepare students for a licensure examination.

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

Calendar Year	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in Field	\$20,001	\$35,001	\$40,001	\$45,001	No Salary Information Reported
			-	-	-	-	
			\$25,000	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$50,000	
2019	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	5	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<b>2019</b>	0	60%	67%	\$85,990
<b>2020</b>	0	21%	60%	\$19,629

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**MBA in Creative Enterprise – 64 Credits**

**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
2019	2	2	0	0%
2020	0	0	0	0%

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2020	0	0	0

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2019	0	0	0
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2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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**Tuition Refund Calculation**

- On or before the first day of class of the quarter\* .....100% refunded
- Day 2 to day 29 of class of the quarter ..... \*\*See note
- Day 30 and beyond of class of the quarter .....0% refunded

\*Or within 7 days of signing the Enrollment Agreement.

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**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE FACT SHEET  
CALENDAR YEARS 2019 & 2020**

**M.Ed. in Educational Leadership – 64 Credits**

**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
2019	0	0	0	0%
2020	6	6	3	50%

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

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

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2019	0	0	0	0	0%
2020	6	3	3	0	0%

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

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

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2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

**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
2019	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0

**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

Calendar Year	Graduates Employed who are Self-Employed or Working Freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2019	0	0
2020	0	0

**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
2019	0	0
2020	0	0

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**License Examination Passage Rates (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

Calendar Year	Number of Graduates in Calendar Year	Number of Graduates Taking Exam	Number Who Passed First Available Exam	Number Who Failed First Available Exam	Passage Rate
2019	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Licensure examination passage data is not available from the state agency administering the examination. We are unable to collect data from 1 graduate. This program is not designed to prepare students for a licensure examination.

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

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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 Field	\$20,001	\$35,001	\$40,001	\$45,001	No Salary Information Reported
			-	-	-	-	
			\$25,000	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$50,000	
2019	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

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

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**Cost of Educational Program**

Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2019: \$43,264  
 Total charges may be higher for students that do not complete on time.

Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2020: \$43,264  
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**Student's Initials:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Federal Student Loan Debt**

Calendar Year(s)	Most recent three year cohort default rate, as reported by the United State Department of Education. <sup>1</sup>	The percentage of enrolled students in 2019/20 receiving federal student loans to pay for this program.	The percentage of graduates in 2019/20 who took out federal student loans to pay for this program.	The average amount of federal student loan debt of 2019/20 graduates who took out federal student loans at this institution.
<b>2019</b>	0	0%	75%	\$60,161
<b>2020</b>	0	0%	0%	\$0

<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.

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

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- “Graduates Available for Employment” means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment.
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- “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 months period begins after the announcement of the examination results for the first examination available after a student completes an applicable educational program.
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**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE FACT SHEET  
CALENDAR YEARS 2019 & 2020**

**Ph.D. in Psychology – 133 Credits**

**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
2019	5	5	0	0%
2020	14	14	1	7%

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

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

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2019	5	0	0	0	0%
2020	14	1	1	1	100%

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**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
2019	0	0	0
2020	1	0	1

**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
2019	0	0	0
2020	0	1	1

**Self-Employed / Freelance Positions**

Calendar Year	Graduates Employed who are Self-Employed or Working Freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2019	0	0
2020	1	1

**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
2019	0	0
2020	0	1

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

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This program may result in freelance or self-employment.

- The work available to graduates of this program is usually for freelance or self-employment.
- This type of work may not be consistent.
- The period of employment can range from one day to weeks to several months.
- Hours worked in a day or week may be more or less than the traditional 8 hour work day or 40 hour work week.
- You can expect to spend unpaid time expanding your networks, advertising, promoting your services, or honing your skills.
- Once graduates begin to work freelance or are self-employed, they will be asked to provide documentation that they are employed as such so that they may be counted as placed for our job placement records.
- Students initialing this disclosure understand that either a majority or all of this school's graduates are employed in this manner and understand what comprises this work style.

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

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**License Examination Passage Rates (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)**

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2019	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2020	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Meridian students in this program are not required to pass any licensing exams in order to graduate and become employed in the field. Some students may choose to take a licensing exam. Statistics regarding Meridian student licensure pass rates are available at <https://meridianuniversity.edu/admissions/studentsuccess>.

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			- \$25,000	- \$40,000	- \$45,000	- \$50,000	
2019	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	1	1	0	0	0	1	0

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

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**Cost of Educational Program**

Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2019: \$93,283  
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Total charges for the program for students completing on time in 2020: \$93,283  
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Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Federal Student Loan Debt**

<b>Calendar Year(s)</b>	<b>Most recent three year cohort default rate, as reported by the United State Department of Education.<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>The percentage of enrolled students in 2019/20 receiving federal student loans to pay for this program.</b>	<b>The percentage of graduates in 2019/20 who took out federal student loans to pay for this program.</b>	<b>The average amount of federal student loan debt of 2019/20 graduates who took out federal student loans at this institution.</b>
<b>2019</b>	0	40%	0%	\$0
<b>2020</b>	0	55%	0%	\$0

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