

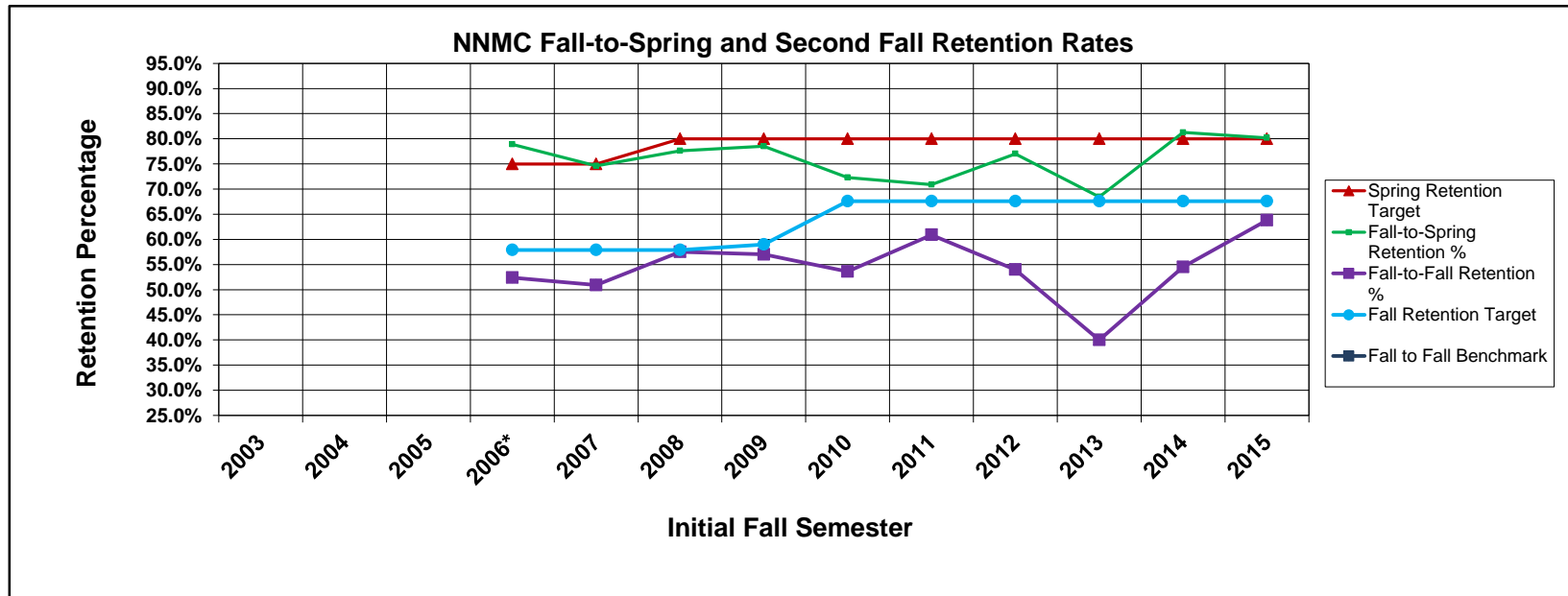
Northern New Mexico College

Retention Measure: Percent of First-Time, Full-Time NNMC Freshmen Who Re-enroll the 2nd (spring) and 3rd (fall) Semesters

	2003	2004	2005	2006*	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Class Size				147	173	174	186	220	220	202	149	112	116
# Retained to Spring				116	129	135	146	159	156	156	102	91	93
Spring Retention Target				75.0%	75.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80.0%	80%
Fall-to-Spring Retention %				78.9%	74.6%	77.6%	78.5%	72.3%	70.9%	77.0%	68.5%	81.3%	80.2%
Fall-to-Fall Retention %				52.4%	50.9%	57.5%	57.0%	53.6%	60.9%	54.0%	40.0%	54.5%	63.8%
Fall Retention Target				57.9%	57.9%	57.9%	59.0%	67.6%	67.6%	67.6%	67.6%	67.6%	67.6%
Fall to Fall Benchmark										**	**	**	**

*Baseline year for NNMC first BA program 2005-08. HLC formally approved 5 new baccalaureate programs on December 15, 2006.

**Note: CSRDE benchmarks are not included since Northern is not currently a member of the Consortium for Student Retention Data Exchar



Northern New Mexico College continues to develop and pursue initiatives that will support and improve student retention. Recognizing that the need for individualized student support may be contributing to the low retention rates of our students, the college is committed to the following strategies (1) Support and implementation of our EXITO project (designed to increase persistence to graduation), (2) Analysis and improvement of student satisfaction and engagement, and (3) Development and expansion of a Student Advisement Initiative.