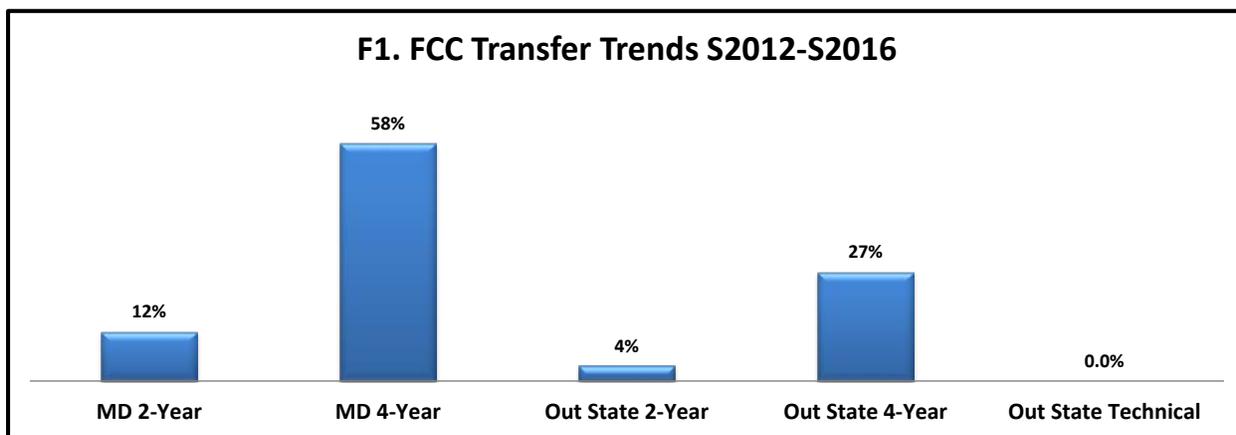


Student Transfer Report

Spring 2012-Spring 2016 Analysis

FCC regularly collects data from the National Student Clearinghouse on students who have transferred to higher education institutions nationwide. Examination across semesters for the period of spring 2012 through spring 2016 showed that **5,082** students transferred to either a Maryland (approximately 70%) or an out-of-state institution (approximately 30%). Specifically, 58% (n =2,944) transferred to Maryland four-year institutions, 12% (n = 606) transferred to Maryland two-year institutions, 27% (n =1,532) transferred to out-of-state four-year institutions and approximately 4% (n =185) transferred to out-of-state two-year institutions (see Figure 1). Approximately, 84% of FCC's transfer students moved on to a four-year educational institution. **Several institutions and students restricted gender and race data (n=21). These students are included in the total transfer count but not in the gender and race data at the end of the report.**



****Note: Percentages do not add up to 100% because of rounding.****

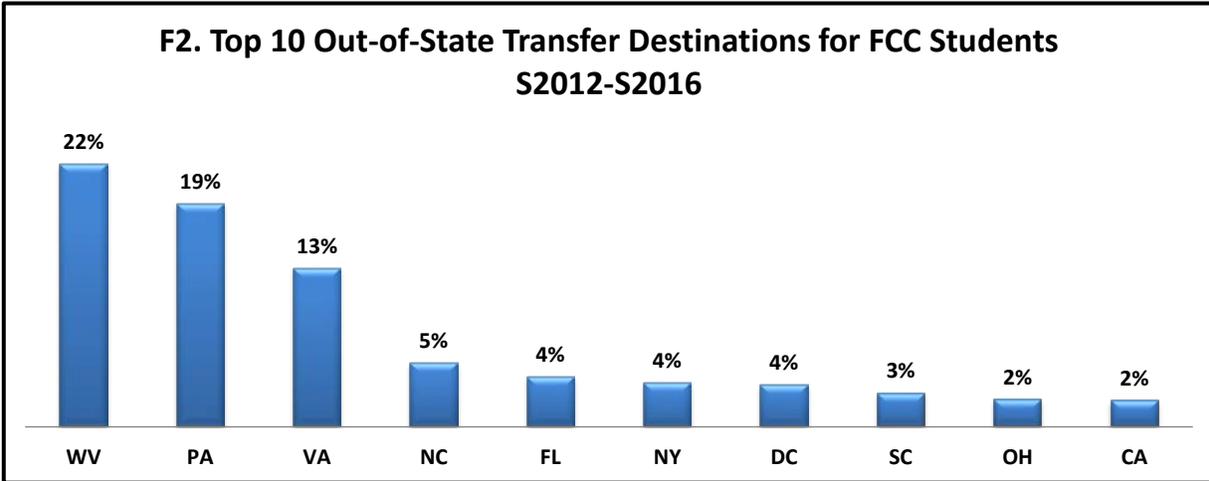
Transfers to Maryland Institutions: Approximately 70% (n= 3,550) of FCC's students transferred to Maryland institutions during this period. The following table shows the number of students who transferred to two and four-year institutions (See Table 1).

University of MD College Park, Hood College, University of MD University College, Towson University, and **Mount Saint Mary's University** attracted the most FCC transfer students.

T1. FCC Students Transferring to Maryland Public and Private Institutions S2012-S2016

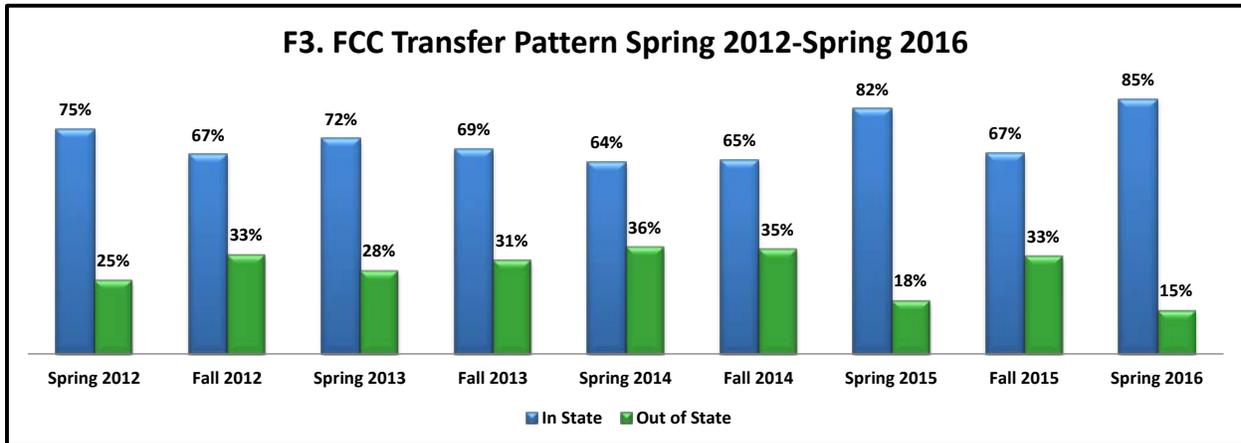
Two-Year Institutions		Four-Year Institutions	
Hagerstown C.C.	163	Univ. of MD-College Park	562
Montgomery College	149	Hood College	419
C.C. of Baltimore County	110	Univ. of MD- University College	413
Caroll C.C.	53	Towson University	331
Howard	46	Mt. St. Mary's University	303
Allegany College of MD	19	Frostburg State University	276
Anne Arundel C.C.	16	Univ. of MD-Baltimore County	228
Prince Georges C.C.	14	Salisbury University	185
Baltimore City C.C.	11	Mc Daniel College	42
College of Southern MD	7	Univ. of MD-Baltimore	35
Wor-Wic C.C.	5	Stevenson University	35
Garrett College	4	Univ. of Baltimore	23
Harford C.C.	4	St. Mary's College of MD	18
Cecil C.C.	3	Univ. of MD- Eastern Shore	18
Chesapeake College	2	Bowie State University	9
		Coppin State University	9
		Notre Dame of MD Univ.	9
		Morgan State	8
		Loyola University	7
		Johns Hopkins University	4
		MD Institute, College of Art	3
		Kaplan Univ. - Hagerstown	2
		Washington Adventist College	2
		Washington College	2
		Goucher College	1
Total 2 year institutions:	606	Total 4 year institutions:	2,944

Transfers to Out-of-State Institutions: Approximately 30% (N= 1,532) of students transferred to out-of-state institutions (see F2). During this period, the top ten states to which these students transferred were West Virginia (22%, N=336), Pennsylvania (19%, N=286), Virginia (13%, N=203), North Carolina (5%, N=82), Florida (4%, N=64), New York (4%, N=57), District of Columbia (4%, N=54), South Carolina (3%, N=43), Ohio (2%, N=35) and California (2%, N=34).



Other transfer destinations made up approximately 21% of Out-of -State Transfer Destinations (n=1077).

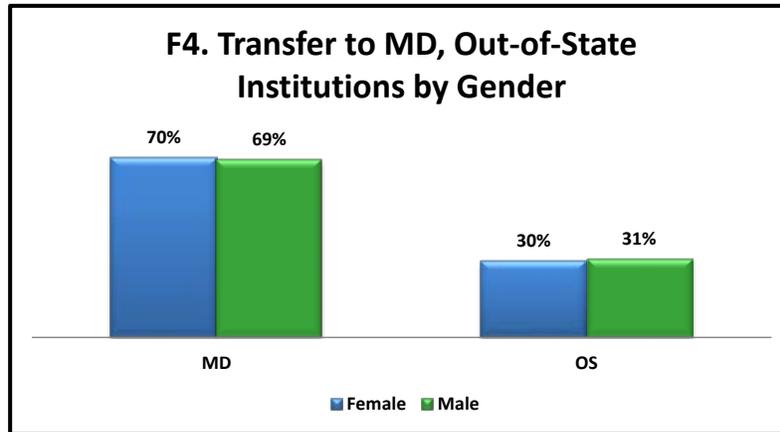
Transfer Trend by Semester: Figure 3 and Table 2 show FCC’s transfer trends by semester from spring 2012 to spring 2016. The majority of FCC students tend to transfer and enroll in Maryland institutions during the fall semesters. Out-of-State transfers decrease during the spring. In fall semesters, an average of 894 FCC students transferred to new institutions. During the spring, an average of 301 FCC students transferred.



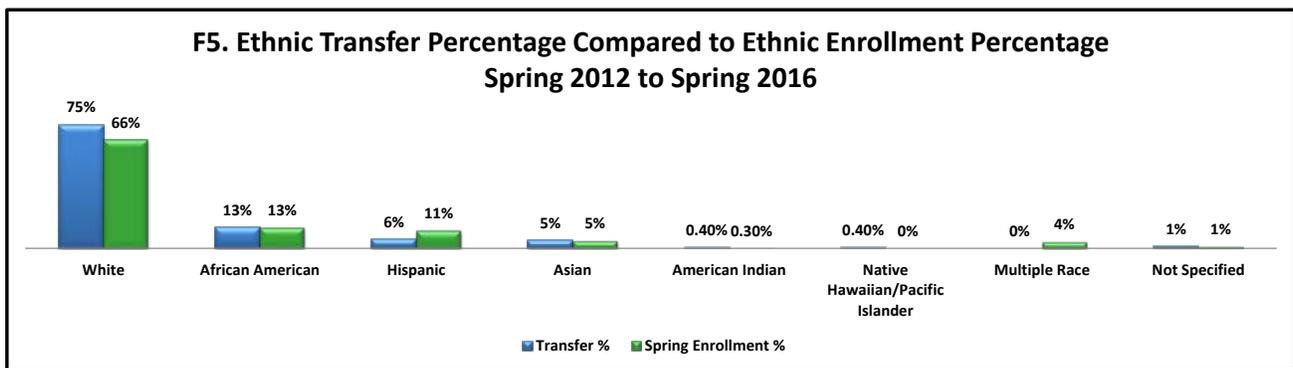
T2. FCC Transfer Rate by Semester S2012-S2016

	MD Institutions		Out-of-State Institutions		Total Transferred
	# Students	Total %	# Students	Total %	
Spring 2012	319	75%	105	25%	424
Fall 2012	593	67%	295	33%	888
Spring 2013	181	72%	70	28%	251
Fall 2013	707	69%	324	31%	1031
Spring 2014	129	64%	72	36%	201
Fall 2014	444	65%	240	35%	684
Spring 2015	343	82%	75	18%	418
Fall 2015	654	67%	320	33%	974
Spring 2016	180	85%	31	15%	211

Reminder: Several institutions and students restricted gender and race data (n=20). These students are included in the total transfer count but not in all gender and race data.

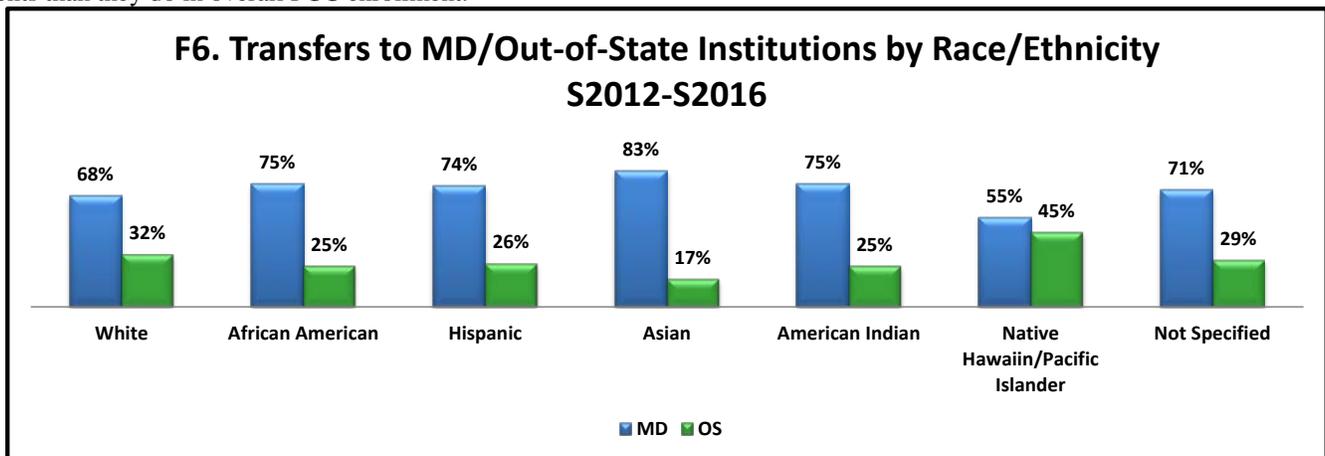


Gender: There were 2,929 (58%) female and 2,113 (42%) male students who transferred to Maryland and out-of-state institutions from spring 2012 to spring 2016. The rate of transfer and enrollment at FCC by gender is similar. Among females, 70% (n = 2,054) transferred to Maryland institutions and 30% (n = 874) transferred to out-of-state institutions. Among males, 69% (n = 1,465) transferred to Maryland institutions and 31% (n = 648) transferred to out-of-state institutions (see F4).



****Note:** Decimals were not rounded up for this figure to help compare FCC Race/Ethnicity percentage.

Race/Ethnicity: Examination of transfer students by ethnicity showed that most were Caucasian (75%, n = 3,818) followed by African Americans (13%, n = 636), Hispanics (6%, n = 291), Asians (5%, n = 245), Native Americans (0.4%, n = 20), Hawaiian/Pacific Islander (0.4%, n=22) and Other/Not Specified (n = 1). White students make up a greater percentage of transfer students than they do in overall FCC enrollment.



Transfer to Institutions based on Race/Ethnicity: Figure 6 shows the percentage of each ethnic group that transferred to Maryland or Out-of-State Institutions from spring 2012 to spring 2016. The data shows that for each ethnic group, a consistently larger percent of students transferred to MD institutions than to out-of-state institutions.