The COVID-19 pandemic has caused major disruption in the lives of Texans; college students are no exception. The Texas Association of Community Colleges created a survey to better understand how community college students are handling the COVID-19 outbreak, what challenges they are facing, and whether or not these students will persist towards their academic goals.

### Delay Graduation

- **26%** of students are **VERY LIKELY** to delay graduation
- **19%** of students are **SOMEWHAT LIKELY** to delay graduation

### Challenges

- **16%** of students lack regular **ACCESS TO A COMPUTER**
- **57%** of students struggle to find a **QUIET PLACE/TIME TO STUDY**
- **47%** of students cannot always **ACCESS THE INTERNET**
- **57%** of students reported losing income and/or work hours
- **73%** of students would have difficulty **ACQUIRING $500 IN CASH/CREDIT** within 30 days
44% of students are likely to experience some level of **FOOD INSECURITY** within 30 days.

47% of students report having household **HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE**.

**RESPONDENT DEMOGRAPHICS**

**RACE**
- 37.3% White
- 45.5% African-American
- 9% Other
- 3.2% Hispanic
- 5% Asian or Pacific Islander

**AGE**
- 56.5% 18 to 24
- 18.1% 25 to 30
- 15.7% 21 to 35
- 9.7% 31 to 35
- 18.1% Older than 35

**GENDER**
- 75.0% Female
- 24.2% Male

Total student responses: 27,630

Infographic Data Source: TACC Student Needs Survey 2020