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FINE Mortuary College
Funeral Service
 150 Kerry Place
 Norwood, MA 02062
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 Accredited Degree Offered: Associate in Applied Science
 Distance Education - YES (Limited)

PROGRAM INFORMATION - FINE

Year	Total enrolled	# of New Students	# of Grads	Timely Grad*	Graduation rate	Did not finish**	Overall % Employed	Employed in FS
2020	141	46	18	14/18	78%	21	100%	100%
2019	156	59	39	34/39	87%	23	100%	87%
2018	144	45	30	26/30	87%	10	93%	93%

* Timely graduation = complete program in 1/2 times designated program length.
 ** Graduation rate reflects cohort graduation rate (% of students from original cohort completing in the designated year)
 *** Left before completing the program; did not finish.

NATIONAL BOARD STATISTICS - FINE

Single Year	School Pass Rate	National Pass Rate	Single Year	School Pass Rate	National Pass Rate
2020 Arts	90%	73%	Sciences	67%	64%
2019 Arts	59%	72%	Sciences	59%	63%
2018 Arts	83%	77%	Sciences	90%	71%

Accreditation
 Program and Institution Accredited by ABFSE: Associate in Applied Science - Funeral Service
 Initial Accreditation 1997/Last comprehensive review 2019/Next comprehensive review 2026

Re-accreditation: October 2019 for period of 7 years.

Most recent Accreditation decision: October 2019 for period of 7 years with no stipulations. Important factors in the decision were the rapid response to suggestions of the site visit team, consistent student success on the national licensing examination, upgraded facilities since the last ABFSE visit and the opportunities for communication between all constituencies of the institution.

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