

## Acupuncturists In and Out of State

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Statistics are included for location (based on practice address), degree, and number of licensees who are Texas, U.S. or foreign medical graduates, method of licensure, gender, type of license held, and race/Hispanic origin.

Note: to promote consistency across agency reports, the demographic reports now include licensees whose permits are expired but whose licenses have not yet been cancelled.

ACUPUNCTURE SCHOOL	IN STATE	OUT OF STATE	TOTAL
Texas Graduate	702	188	890
US/Canada Graduate	139	48	187
International Graduate	121	14	135
* Uncertified or Unknown School	61	13	74
TOTAL	1023	263	1286

METHOD OF LICENSURE	IN STATE	OUT OF STATE	TOTAL
AUTOMATIC	69	4	73
EXAM	920	252	1172
RECIPROCITY	3	4	7
UNKNOWN	31	3	34
TOTAL	1023	263	1286

GENDER	IN STATE	OUT OF STATE	TOTAL
FEMALE	700	190	890
MALE	323	73	396
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL	1023	263	1286

\* Acupuncturists who were licensed by automatic licensure were not required to have graduated from a certified acupuncture school.

RACE	IN STATE			TOTAL
	<i>of Hispanic origin</i>	<i>non Hispanic origin</i>	<i>unknown origin</i>	<i>unknown origin</i>
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	2	0	2
Asian	2	458	0	460
Black or African American	2	13	0	15
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	4	0	4
Other	40	28	0	68
White	53	421	0	474
TOTAL	97	926	0	1023

RACE	OUT OF STATE			TOTAL
	<i>of Hispanic origin</i>	<i>non Hispanic origin</i>	<i>unknown origin</i>	<i>unknown origin</i>
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	2	0	2
Asian	0	114	0	114
Black or African American	0	9	0	9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0
Other	10	7	0	17
White	16	105	0	121
TOTAL	26	237	0	263