

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 | 705 | 206 | 911 |
| US/Canada Graduate | 147 | 39 | 186 |
| International Graduate | 131 | 12 | 143 |
| * Uncertified or Unknown School | 63 | 16 | 79 |
| TOTAL | 1046 | 273 | 1319 |

| METHOD OF LICENSURE | IN STATE | OUT OF STATE | TOTAL |
|---------------------|----------|--------------|-------|
| AUTOMATIC | 89 | 5 | 94 |
| EXAM | 921 | 261 | 1182 |
| RECIPROCITY | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| UNKNOWN | 31 | 4 | 35 |
| TOTAL | 1046 | 273 | 1319 |

| GENDER | IN STATE | OUT OF STATE | TOTAL |
|---------|----------|--------------|-------|
| FEMALE | 705 | 199 | 904 |
| MALE | 341 | 74 | 415 |
| UNKNOWN | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 1046 | 273 | 1319 |

* 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 | 453 | 0 | 455 |
| Black or African American | 1 | 12 | 0 | 13 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Other | 42 | 30 | 0 | 72 |
| Unknown | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| White | 55 | 445 | 0 | 500 |
| TOTAL | 100 | 946 | 0 | 1046 |

| 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 | 116 | 0 | 116 |
| Black or African American | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other | 8 | 6 | 0 | 14 |
| Unknown | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| White | 16 | 117 | 0 | 133 |
| TOTAL | 24 | 249 | 0 | 273 |