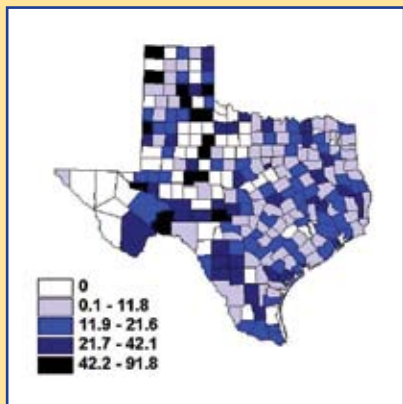
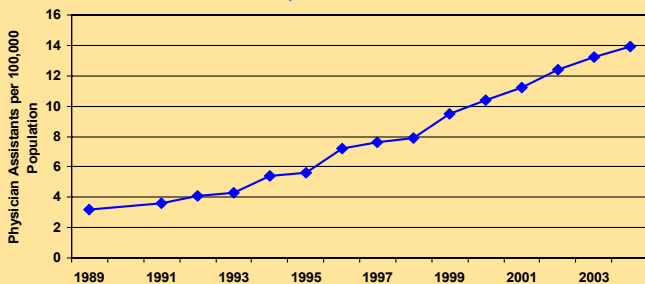


Examples of uses for HPRC data

Physician Assistants per 100,000 Population by County of Employment, Texas 2004



Physician Assistants per 100,000 Population, Texas, 1989 to 2004

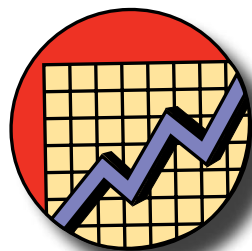


2004 Texas Physician Assistant Facts

Race/Ethnicity	Gender	Median Age
White 77.1%	Male 46.5%	45
Black 5.2%	Female 53.5%	36
Hispanic 12.1%		
Other 5.6%		

Trends

Year	Number	Providers / 100,000 Population
1991	622	3.6
1995	1,052	5.6
2000	2,106	10.4
2004	3,128	13.9



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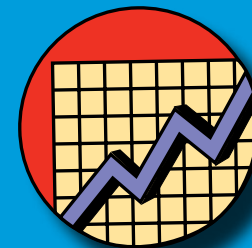
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About HPRC

The Health Professions Resource Center (HPRC) is located at the Center for Health Statistics (CHS) at the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) and is part of the Health Provider Resources Branch. HPRC was established in 1989 (Texas Health & Safety Code, Chapters 104/ 105). It was transferred from the Texas Department of Health (now DSHS) to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council (SHCC) in 1997, however, administrative oversight remains through DSHS.

Among other functions, HPRC collects, analyzes, and disseminates data concerning the supply of health care professionals, along with educational and employment trends. To accomplish this, HPRC collects databases each year from the licensing boards of approximately 40 different health professions.

The data collected by HPRC are used to prepare various reports and data tables which are available on the HPRC website. However, there are other types of studies that HPRC has not yet undertaken that could be performed using the available data. HPRC wishes to make known that these databases can be provided to individuals who would like to use them to develop their own studies or reports, such as a Master's thesis, or collaborate with HPRC in doing so.

The purpose of this brochure is to identify what HPRC has to offer. Our databases are available to the public free of charge. Data can be provided on CD-Rom or over the Internet using our FTP server. Questions may be directed to HPRC.

Professions for which data are available:

Acupuncturists
Athletic Trainers
Audiologists
Chiropractors
Chiropractic Radiology Technologists
Contact Lens Dispensers
Counselors, Licensed Professional
Counselors, Licensed Chemical Dependency
Dentists
Dental Hygienists
Dietitians
Emergency Medical Services Personnel
Fitters & Dispensers of Hearing Instruments
Marriage and Family Therapists
Massage Therapists
Medical Physicists
Medical Radiologic Technologists
Medication Aides
Midwives, Direct Entry
Nurses, Licensed Vocational
Nurses, Registered
Nurse Aides, Certified
Occupational Therapists
Optometrists
Orthotists & Prosthetists
Perfusionists
Pharmacists
Physical Therapists
Physicians
Physician Assistants
Podiatrists
Promotor(a) [Community Health Workers]
Psychologists
Respiratory Care Practitioners
Sanitarians
Sex Offender Treatment Providers
Social Workers
Speech-Language Pathologists
Veterinarians

Types of data available:

ID Number
License Number
Full Name
Mailing Address
Practice Address
Foreign Address
Date of Birth/ Age
Birthplace
Primary Specialty
Secondary Specialty
Medical School
Medical School Graduation
Year
Type of Degree
License Issuance Date
Method of Licensure
Reciprocity (State/ Country)
Permit Expiration Date
Practice Type
Practice Setting
Practice Time
Registration Status
Registration Status Date
Employment Status
Employment Field
Position Type
Work Area
Highest Degree
Basic Education
County Name
Gender
Race/ Ethnicity

Note: The actual data available varies among professions and some databases may have other data fields available than those listed here. HPRC has historical data available for various years, depending on the profession. More information is available on our website: <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/CHS/hprc/>.