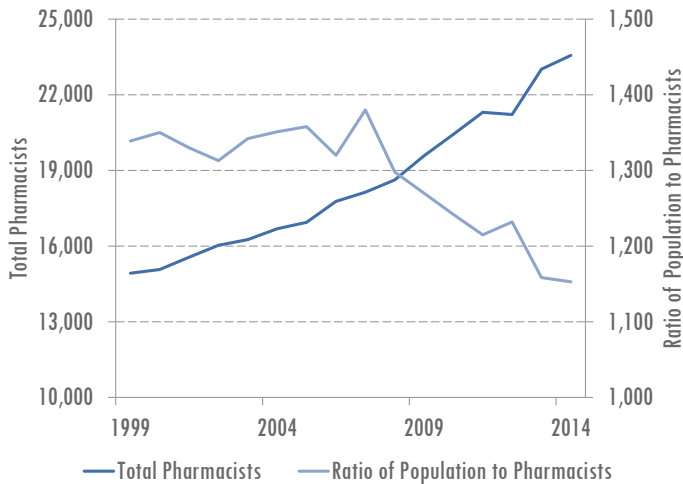




Pharmacists

2014

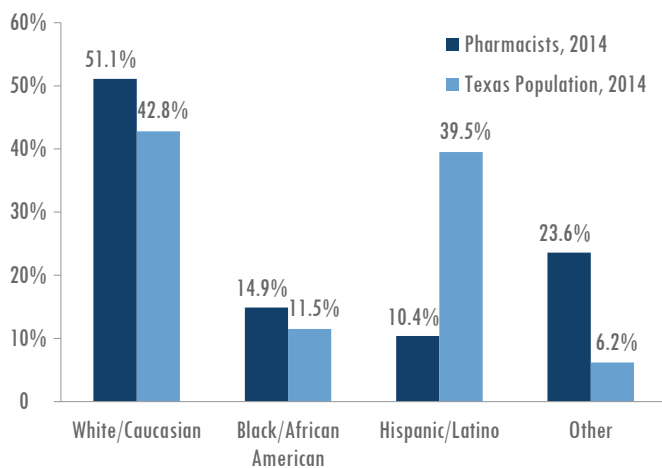
Pharmacist Growth Trends



In 2014, there were 23,561 actively licensed pharmacists in Texas.

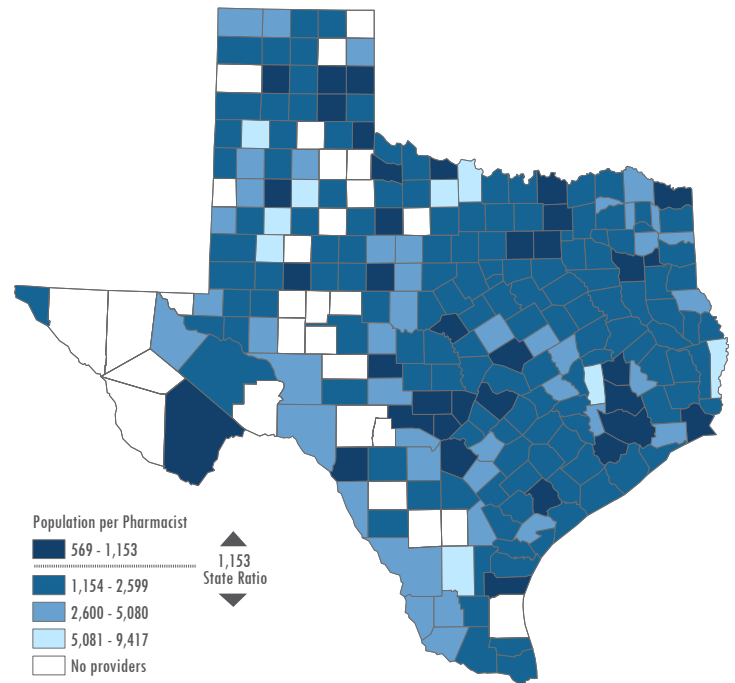
- This number represented a 20.3% increase since 2009 and a 41.2% increase since 2004.
- Despite these improvements, Texas still had fewer pharmacists than the national average.

Race/Ethnicity of Pharmacists



The racial/ethnic distribution of Texas pharmacists differed from that of the Texas population.

Ratio of Texas Population to Pharmacist, by County



Geographic Designation	Ratio of population to pharmacist
Metropolitan	1,103
Non-metropolitan	1,757
Border	2,051
Non-border	1,097
Texas	1,153

Pharmacists were not evenly distributed throughout the state.

- There was a 45.7% difference between the number of pharmacists in metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas even after controlling for population differences.
- Between border and non-border areas the percent difference was 60.6%.

Gender of Pharmacists

- In 2014, 54.6% of pharmacists were female, and 45.5% were male.
- In 2004, 47.2% of pharmacists were female, and 52.8% were male.
- Among pharmacists age 40 or younger in 2014, 65.2% were female and 34.8% were male.



Age Distribution of Pharmacists, by Gender

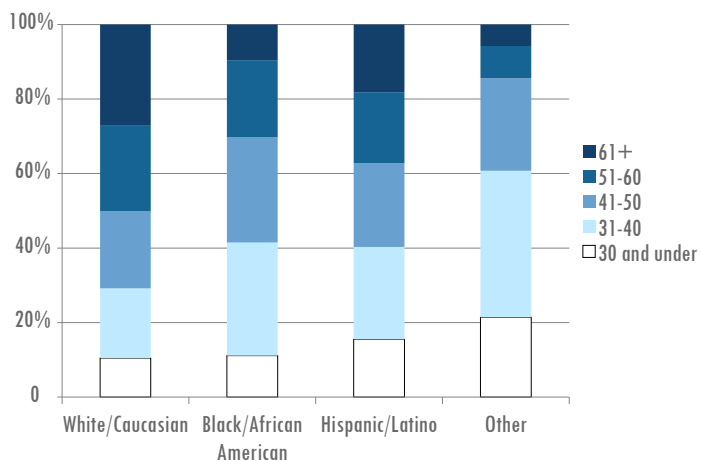
Age Group	Female	Male	Total
≤30	2,105	1,141	3,246
31-35	2,052	982	3,034
36-40	1,951	1,131	3,082
41-45	1,877	1,115	2,992
46-50	1,466	892	2,358
51-55	1,226	925	2,151
56-60	1,101	1,123	2,224
61-65	640	1,401	2,041
>65	356	1,891	2,247
Total	12,774	10,601	23,375¹

Only 27.9% of the population will be at or past retirement age in ten years.

- Among pharmacists between 46 and 50 years old, females comprised 62.2% of the workforce.
- Among pharmacists over 55 years of age, males comprised 67.8% of the workforce.

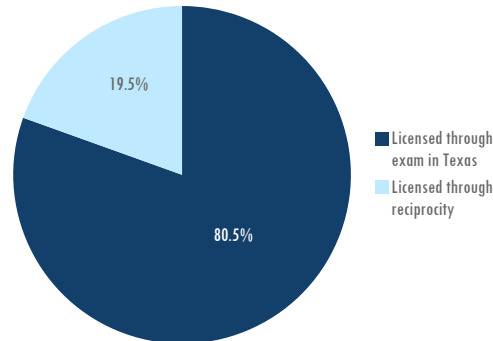
¹ Gender data were available for only 23,375 of the state's 23,561 pharmacists.

Age Distribution of Pharmacists, by Race/Ethnicity



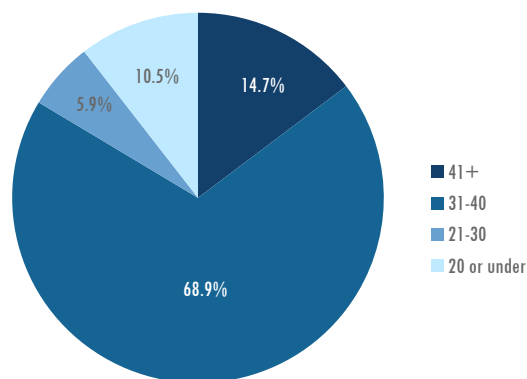
- Among Whites/Caucasians, 50.1% of pharmacists were over 50 years of age.
- 41.5% of Black/African American pharmacists were under 40 years of age.
- 15.5% of Hispanic/Latino pharmacists were under 30 years of age.
- Among Other pharmacists, 60.8% were under 40 years of age.

Training of Pharmacists



Employment Characteristics of Pharmacists

Hours Worked²



² Among pharmacists indicating hours worked.

Employment Setting

Setting	#Pharmacists	%Pharmacists
Community (Chain)	9,166	38.9%
Hospital (Non-government)	4,472	19.0%
Community (Independent)	2,998	12.7%
Hospital (Government)	1,266	5.4%
Mail Service	767	3.3%
Long Term Care	568	2.4%
Pharmacy Management	346	1.5%
Community (Government)	263	1.1%
Government	248	1.1%
Education	237	1.0%
Manufacturer or Wholesale	132	0.6%
Home Health	111	0.5%
Nuclear	117	0.5%
Sterile Pharmaceuticals	114	0.5%
HMO	87	0.4%
Other ³	2,659	11.3%

³ Other refers to all other employment, including the armed services, unemployed, and retired.