

Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy
Jurisdiction Licensure Reference Guide
Topic: Number of PTs and PTAs by State

The table below reports the number of Physical Therapists (PT) and Physical Therapist Assistants (PTA) residing in each jurisdiction as of the date listed below.

Summary	
Total number of active PTs residing in the jurisdiction in which they are licensed	175,712
Total number of active PTAs residing in the jurisdiction in which they are licensed	62,416

STATE	No. of PT Residents	As of	No. of PTA Residents	As of
AL	1,619	5/18/2009	1,550	5/18/2009
AK	482	3/27/2009	55	3/17/2009
AZ	2,824	4/30/2009	499	5/1/2009
AR	1,455	4/10/2009	756	4/17/2009
CA	17,639	5/18/2009	4,691	5/12/2009
CO	3,998	5/15/2009		
CT	3,265	5/4/2009	418	3/13/2009
DE	476	4/9/2009	198	2/17/2009
DC	220	3/12/2009		
FL	10,111	5/18/2009	5,244	5/14/2009
GA	3,994	5/18/2009	1,235	5/18/2009
HI	317	5/11/2009		
ID	954	4/3/2009	252	2/25/2009
IL	8,360	5/14/2009	3,563	5/14/2009
IN	3,532	5/12/2009	1,782	5/12/2009
IA	1,601	5/4/2009	752	5/4/2009
KS	1,504	3/20/2009	912	4/29/2009
KY	2,125	5/13/2009	1,283	5/19/2009
LA	2,230	5/18/2009	823	4/3/2009
ME	1,279	4/24/2009	265	5/4/2009
MD	3,789	5/14/2009	1,007	5/13/2009
MA	6,399	5/15/2009	2,605	5/11/2009
MI	6,542	5/15/2009		
MN	3,446	6/9/2010	1,212	6/9/2010
MS	1,193	5/14/2009	604	5/6/2009
MO	3,238	5/14/2009	1,367	5/4/2009
MT	735	2/9/2009	85	10/18/2007
NE	1,197	5/18/2009	424	5/18/2009
NV	902	5/13/2009	225	2/4/2009

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NH	1,137	3/13/2009	371	5/7/2009
NJ	6,674	5/14/2009	1,307	4/14/2009
NM	990	3/6/2009	215	1/21/2009
NY	14,152	5/14/2009	4,541	5/8/2009
NC	4,713	5/6/2009	2,338	5/13/2009
ND	469	5/5/2009	91	5/4/2009
OH	6,174	5/19/2009	4,722	5/18/2009
OK	1,641	5/13/2009	1,069	5/7/2009
OR	2,334	5/18/2009	612	4/30/2009
PA	9,621	5/14/2009	3,854	5/18/2009
PR				
RI	756	5/19/2009	325	5/11/2009
SC	2,006	5/11/2009	1,146	5/18/2009
SD	644	3/30/2009	148	4/30/2009
TN	4,372	5/18/2009	1,569	3/19/2009
TX	9,727	5/1/2009	4,674	5/14/2009
UT	1,190	5/19/2009		
VT	675	3/13/2009	96	5/13/2009
VI				
VA	4,211	5/14/2009	1,761	4/24/2009
WA	4,066	5/14/2009	135	5/7/2009
WV	796	1/21/2009	509	7/10/2008
WI	3,600	4/23/2009	1,012	2/17/2009
WY	338	2/20/2009	114	2/20/2009

UPDATE: Effective July 1, 2009, the following jurisdictions do NOT license (etc.) PTAs: Colorado and Hawaii. Because the District of Columbia, Michigan and Utah just changed their laws, their data do not reflect number of PTAs yet. No information is available from Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands.

Note: Only four jurisdictions tracked whether licensed PTs were foreign educated. Therefore, this information is not included.