

SB 423: Montana Marijuana Act
Registry Statistics
as of May 31, 2012

Statistics maintained by the Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) provide the following information about individuals registered as of May 31, 2012, to cultivate, manufacture, or possess marijuana for use for a debilitating medical condition as allowed under Senate Bill 423.

Registered Cardholders by Age

Age	Number of Cardholders			Percentage of Cardholders		
	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	5/31/2012	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	5/31/2012
Under 18	54	44	6	0.17%	0.17%	0.07%
18-20	1,238	940	137	3.93%	3.47%	1.56%
21-30	7,885	6,392	1,408	25.01%	23.90%	16.21%
31-40	6,504	5,569	1,665	20.63%	20.98%	19.06%
41-50	6,010	5,093	1,820	19.07%	19.19%	20.83%
51-60	7,024	6,042	2,547	22.28%	22.76%	29.16%
61-70	2,378	2,152	1,009	7.54%	8.11%	11.55%
71-80	335	307	127	1.06%	1.16%	1.45%
81-90	81	65	14	0.26%	0.24%	0.16%
Over 90	13	9	1	0.04%	0.03%	0.01%
Total	31,522	26,492	8,734	100%	100%	100%

Registered Cardholders by Medical Condition

Debilitating Medical Condition	Number of Cardholders		
	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	5/31/2012
Admittance Into Hospice Care**			5
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	946	947	507
Cancer, Glaucoma, or HIV (AIDS)	1,023	968	553
Central Nervous System Disorder with Spasticity**		64	832
Crohn's Disease**		6	86
Multiple Sclerosis	39	44	127
Epilepsy/Intractable Seizure Disorder**		10	234
Painful peripheral neuropathy**		29	718
Intractable nausea or vomiting**		38	990
Seizures	355	332	15
Severe Nausea	727	771	68
Severe or Chronic Pain	23,015	18,368	5,230
Severe or Chronic Pain/Muscle Spasms	3,899	3,618	218
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea	1,985	1,876	83
Severe or Chronic Pain/Seizures	249	221	7
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea/Muscle Spasms	678	656	48
Severe or Persistent Muscle Spasms	858	915	94
Severe Seizures and/or Nausea and/or Muscle Spasms	36	24	1

** Newly specified in SB 423

Number of Patients Per Caregiver and Certifying Physician, 2010

Number of Patients	Number of Caregivers		Number of Physicians	
	3/31/2010	6/3020/10	3/31/2010	6/3020/10
No caregiver identified	776	1,024		
1 patient	1,554	2,054	106	98
2 to 4 patients	746	1,072	83	99
5 to 9 patients	258	409	53	52
10 to 14 patients	83	146	9	18
15 to 19 patients	47	79	7	9
20 or more patients	109	180	23	26
More than 100 patients			14	20
Total Caregivers	2,797	3,940	295	322

Since June 2010, DPHHS has tracked providers and physicians by the following breakdown:

Registered Cardholders Per Registered Provider and Certifying Physician, 2011

# of Cardholders	# of Providers		# of Physicians	
	5/31/2011	5/31/2012	5/31/2011	5/31/2012
1	2,254	60	104	79
2	670	53	51	46
3	364	49	21	28
4	251	27	26	13
5	175	13	23	7
6	95	15	13	10
7	99	14	11	4
8	72	15	9	3
9	64	14	8	5
10	61	11	8	2
11 to 20	269	60	27	10
21 to 30	99	27	13	8
31 to 40	41	12	4	1
41 to 50	27	4	6	0
51 to 60	23	8	2	1
61 to 70	18	7	1	1
71 to 80	14	2	2	2
81 to 90	9	0	0	1
91 to 100	10	1	0	0
More than 100	35	8	33	13
Total	4,650	400	362	235

Registered Providers and Cardholders by County

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	5/31/2012	5/31/2011	5/31/2012		5/31/2011	5/31/2012
Beaverhead	19	1	241	97	8,903	2.71%	1.09%
Big Horn	16	1	263	58	12,841	2.05%	0.45%
Blaine	5	0	93	24	6,491	1.43%	0.37%
Broadwater	36	3	171	62	4,704	3.64%	1.32%
Carbon	46	7	284	90	9,657	2.94%	0.93%
Carter	0	0	3	2	1,234	0.24%	0.16%
Cascade	240	14	1,614	258	82,026	1.97%	0.31%
Chouteau	7	0	61	10	5,225	1.17%	0.19%
Custer	24	2	311	146	11,149	2.79%	1.31%
Daniels	1	0	12	3	1,643	0.73%	0.18%
Dawson	19	2	111	48	8,490	1.31%	0.57%
Deer Lodge	14	1	301	137	8,843	3.40%	1.55%
Fallon	0	0	20	3	2,716	0.74%	0.11%
Fergus	38	2	187	42	11,195	1.67%	0.38%
Flathead	680	60	3,671	873	88,473	4.15%	0.99%
Gallatin	647	64	4,196	1,426	89,824	4.67%	1.59%
Garfield	1	0	10	4	1,184	0.84%	0.34%
Glacier	5	0	165	48	13,297	1.24%	0.36%
Golden Valley	1	0	23	8	1,081	2.13%	0.74%
Granite	12	1	61	22	2,821	2.16%	0.78%
Hill	33	7	417	121	16,454	2.53%	0.74%
Jefferson	40	5	355	111	11,255	3.15%	0.99%
Judith Basin	5	0	13	5	2,014	0.65%	0.25%
Lake	110	5	694	180	28,690	2.42%	0.63%
Lewis and Clark	270	28	2,257	528	60,925	3.70%	0.87%
Liberty	4	0	15	3	1,725	0.87%	0.17%
Lincoln	158	13	699	199	18,971	3.68%	1.05%
Madison	52	7	401	138	7,509	5.34%	1.84%
McCone	2	0	6	2	1,676	0.36%	0.12%
Meagher	4	1	54	17	1,868	2.89%	0.91%
Mineral	42	2	252	60	3,862	6.53%	1.55%

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	5/31/2011	5/31/2012	5/31/2011	5/31/2012		5/31/2011	5/31/2012
Missoula	704	59	4,531	954	107,320	4.22%	0.89%
Musselshell	20	3	154	46	4,498	3.42%	1.02%
Park	184	18	834	359	16,189	5.15%	2.22%
Petroleum	3	0	11	3	436	2.52%	0.69%
Phillips	7	0	53	16	3,904	1.36%	0.41%
Pondera	19	0	80	15	5,852	1.37%	0.26%
Powder River	0	0	18	4	1,694	1.06%	0.24%
Powell	30	3	194	74	7,041	2.76%	1.05%
Prairie	2	0	10	6	1,064	0.94%	0.56%
Ravalli	329	22	1,667	546	40,664	4.10%	1.34%
Richland	10	0	223	21	9,270	2.41%	0.23%
Roosevelt	6	0	95	27	10,089	0.94%	0.27%
Rosebud	10	1	257	37	9,190	2.80%	0.40%
Sanders	87	7	386	141	11,034	3.50%	1.28%
Sheridan	8	0	76	33	3,283	2.31%	1.01%
Silver Bow	124	19	1,354	656	32,803	4.13%	2.00%
Stillwater	20	1	146	43	8,687	1.68%	0.49%
Sweet Grass	9	1	75	26	3,790	1.98%	0.69%
Teton	13	0	91	25	5,992	1.52%	0.42%
Toole	6	0	65	14	5,141	1.26%	0.27%
Treasure	1	0	14	2	637	2.20%	0.31%
Valley	19	1	109	41	6,892	1.58%	0.59%
Wheatland	4	0	33	11	2,010	1.64%	0.55%
Wibaux	1	0	8	3	866	0.92%	0.35%
Yellowstone	503	39	3,887	906	142,348	2.73%	0.64%
Totals	4,650	400	31,332	8,734	967,440	3.24%	0.90%

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