

# SB 423 Monitoring: Montana Marijuana Act

## Registry Statistics

as of August 31, 2011

Statistics maintained by the Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) provide the following information about individuals registered, as of August 31, 2011, 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		
	3/31/2010	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	3/31/2010	5/31/2011	8/31/2011
Under 18	22	54	44	0.18%	0.17%	0.17%
18-20	397	1,238	940	3.29%	3.93%	3.47%
21-30	2,981	7,885	6,392	24.68%	25.01%	23.90%
31-40	2,503	6,504	5,569	20.72%	20.63%	20.98%
41-50	2,476	6,010	5,093	20.49%	19.07%	19.19%
51-60	2,762	7,024	6,042	22.86%	22.28%	22.76%
61-70	917	2,378	2,152	6.76%	7.54%	8.11%
71-80	105	335	307	0.87%	1.06%	1.16%
81-90	16	81	65	0.13%	0.26%	0.24%
Over 90	2	13	9	0.02%	0.04%	0.03%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,081</b>	<b>31,522</b>	<b>26,492</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Registered Cardholders by Medical Condition

Debilitating Medical Condition	Number of Cardholders		
	3/31/2010	5/31/2011	8/31/2011
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	400	946	947
Cancer, Glaucoma, or HIV (AIDS)	355	1,023	968
Central Nervous System Disorder with Spasticity**			64
Crohn's Disease**			6
Multiple Sclerosis	23	39	44
Epilepsy/Intractable Seizure Disorder**			10
Painful peripheral neuropathy*^			29
Intractable nausea or vomiting**			38
Seizures	116	355	332
Severe Nausea	218	727	771
Severe or Chronic Pain	6,988	23,015	18,368
Severe or Chronic Pain/Muscle Spasms	2,634	3,899	3,618
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea	616	1,985	1,876
Severe or Chronic Pain/Seizures	106	249	221
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea/Muscle Spasms	372	678	656
Severe or Persistent Muscle Spasms	211	858	915
Severe Seizures and/or Nausea and/or Muscle Spasms	42	36	24

\*\* 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
2-4 patients	746	1,072	83	99
5-9 patients	258	409	53	52
10-14 patients	83	146	9	18
15-19 patients	47	79	7	9
20 or more patients	109	180	23	26
More than 100 patients			14	20
<b>Total Caregivers</b>	<b>2,797</b>	<b>3,940</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>322</b>

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	8/31/2011	5/31/2011	8/31/2011
1	2,254	93	104	109
2	670	22	51	48
3	364	14	21	31
4	251	13	26	25
5	175	8	23	14
6	95	12	13	14
7	99	12	11	11
8	72	6	9	12
9	64	8	8	9
10	61	4	8	4
11 to 20	269	48	27	28
21 to 30	99	22	13	11
31 to 40	41	5	4	3
41 to 50	27	3	6	6
51 to 60	23	3	2	2
61 to 70	18	5	1	3
71 to 80	14	1	2	1
81 to 90	9	2	0	0
91 to 100	10	1	0	1
More than 100	35	3	33	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,650</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>363</b>

### Registered Providers and Cardholders by County

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	5/31/2011	8/31/2011		5/31/2011	8/31/2011
Beaverhead	19	1	241	217	8,903	2.71%	2.44%
Big Horn	16	0	263	246	12,841	2.05%	1.92%
Blaine	5	0	93	82	6,491	1.43%	1.26%
Broadwater	36	3	171	144	4,704	3.64%	3.06%
Carbon	46	2	284	261	9,657	2.94%	2.70%
Carter	0	0	3	3	1,234	0.24%	0.24%
Cascade	240	11	1,614	1,264	82,026	1.97%	1.54%
Chouteau	7	0	61	50	5,225	1.17%	0.96%
Custer	24	2	311	284	11,149	2.79%	2.55%
Daniels	1	0	12	9	1,643	0.73%	0.55%
Dawson	19	2	111	87	8,490	1.31%	1.02%
Deer Lodge	14	0	301	243	8,843	3.40%	2.75%
Fallon	0	0	20	19	2,716	0.74%	0.70%
Fergus	38	0	187	158	11,195	1.67%	1.41%
Flathead	680	41	3,671	2,954	88,473	4.15%	3.34%
Gallatin	647	42	4,196	3,616	89,824	4.67%	4.03%
Garfield	1	0	10	8	1,184	0.84%	0.68%
Glacier	5	0	165	137	13,297	1.24%	1.03%
Golden Valley	1	0	23	18	1,081	2.13%	1.67%
Granite	12	1	61	52	2,821	2.16%	1.84%
Hill	33	6	417	315	16,454	2.53%	1.91%
Jefferson	40	3	355	294	11,255	3.15%	2.61%
Judith Basin	5	0	13	14	2,014	0.65%	0.70%
Lake	110	2	694	556	28,690	2.42%	1.94%
Lewis and Clark	270	26	2,257	1,800	60,925	3.70%	2.95%
Liberty	4	0	15	13	1,725	0.87%	0.75%
Lincoln	158	7	699	605	18,971	3.68%	3.19%
Madison	52	3	401	365	7,509	5.34%	4.86%
McCone	2	0	6	5	1,676	0.36%	0.30%
Meagher	4	1	54	45	1,868	2.89%	2.41%
Mineral	42	3	252	216	3,862	6.53%	5.59%

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	8/31/2011	5/31/2011	8/31/2011		5/31/2011	8/31/2011
Missoula	704	52	4,531	3,755	107,320	4.22%	3.50%
Musselshell	20	1	154	133	4,498	3.42%	2.96%
Park	184	8	834	718	16,189	5.15%	4.44%
Petroleum	3	0	11	11	436	2.52%	2.52%
Phillips	7	0	53	49	3,904	1.36%	1.26%
Pondera	19	1	80	62	5,852	1.37%	1.06%
Powder River	0	0	18	15	1,694	1.06%	0.89%
Powell	30	2	194	174	7,041	2.76%	2.47%
Prairie	2	0	10	10	1,064	0.94%	0.94%
Ravalli	329	23	1,667	1,481	40,664	4.10%	3.64%
Richland	10	0	223	176	9,270	2.41%	1.90%
Roosevelt	6	0	95	77	10,089	0.94%	0.76%
Rosebud	10	2	257	230	9,190	2.80%	2.50%
Sanders	87	0	386	353	11,034	3.50%	3.20%
Sheridan	8	1	76	68	3,283	2.31%	2.07%
Silver Bow	124	11	1,354	1,155	32,803	4.13%	3.52%
Stillwater	20	0	146	127	8,687	1.68%	1.46%
Sweet Grass	9	0	75	62	3,790	1.98%	1.64%
Teton	13	0	91	75	5,992	1.52%	1.25%
Toole	6	0	65	43	5,141	1.26%	0.84%
Treasure	1	0	14	11	637	2.20%	1.73%
Valley	19	1	109	92	6,892	1.58%	1.33%
Wheatland	4	0	33	26	2,010	1.64%	1.29%
Wibaux	1	0	8	5	866	0.92%	0.58%
Yellowstone	503	27	3,887	3,289	142,348	2.73%	2.31%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4,650</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>31,332</b>	<b>26,277***</b>	<b>967,440</b>	<b>3.24%</b>	<b>2.72%</b>

\*\*\* Totals to less than the 26,492 registered cardholders because 215 cardholders are out-of-state residents. In February 2011, 121 of the 28,739 registered cardholders were out-of-state residents; in June 2011, 237 cardholders were out-of-state residents.

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