

SB 423: Montana Marijuana Act
Registry Statistics
as of May 31, 2016

Statistics maintained by the Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) provide the following information about individuals registered as of March 31, 2016, to cultivate, manufacture, or possess marijuana for use for a debilitating medical condition as allowed under Senate Bill 423. A comparison with previous months shows changes that have occurred since SB 423 went into effect.

Registered Cardholders by Age

Age	Number of Cardholders			Percentage of Cardholders		
	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	5/31/2016	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	5/31/2016
Under 18	54	1	6	0.17%	0.01%	0.05%
18-20	1,238	81	269	3.93%	1.14%	2.02%
21-30	7,885	967	2,089	25.01%	13.62%	15.72%
31-40	6,504	1,380	2,692	20.63%	19.43%	20.25%
41-50	6,010	1,414	2,155	19.07%	19.91%	16.21%
51-60	7,024	2,110	3,223	22.28%	29.72%	24.25%
61-70	2,378	1,017	2,404	7.54%	14.32%	18.09%
71-80	335	111	376	1.06%	1.56%	2.82%
81-90	81	17	66	0.26%	0.23%	0.49%
Over 90	13	1	8	0.04%	0.01%	0.06%
Total	31,522	7,099	13,288	100%	100%	100%

Registered Cardholders by Medical Condition

Debilitating Medical Condition	Number of Cardholders		
	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	5/31/2016
** Newly specified in SB 423			
Admittance Into Hospice Care**		3	12
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	946	405	550
Cancer, Glaucoma, or HIV (AIDS)	1,023	449	878
Central Nervous System Disorder with Spasticity**		571	1,193
Crohn's Disease**		80	162
Multiple Sclerosis	39	118	193
Epilepsy/Intractable Seizure Disorder**		207	401
Painful peripheral neuropathy**		755	1,766
Intractable nausea or vomiting**		908	1,283
Seizures	355		
Severe Nausea	727		
Severe Chronic Pain	23,015	4,503	8,288
Severe or Chronic Pain/Muscle Spasms	3,899		
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea	1,985		
Severe or Chronic Pain/Seizures	249		
Severe or Chronic Pain/Nausea/Muscle Spasms	678		
Severe or Persistent Muscle Spasms	858		
Severe Seizures and/or Nausea and/or Muscle Spasms	36		

Number of Patients Per Caregiver and Certifying Physician, 2010

Number of Patients	Number of Caregivers		Number of Physicians	
	3/31/2010	6/30/2010	3/31/2010	6/30/2010
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

# of Cardholders	# of Providers		# of Physicians	
	5/31/2011	5/31/2016	5/31/2011	5/31/2016
1	2,254	72	104	72
2	670	52	51	34
3	364	42	21	20
4	251	32	26	21
5	175	36	23	6
6	95	16	13	7
7	99	13	11	10
8	72	17	9	1
9	64	13	8	2
10	61	14	8	1
11 to 20	269	67	27	10
21 to 30	99	36	13	4
31 to 40	41	17	4	1
41 to 50	27	9	6	2
51 to 60	23	3	2	2
61 to 70	18	8	1	0
71 to 80	14	2	2	2
81 to 90	9	2	0	0
91 to 100	10	4	0	0
More than 100	35	27	33	11
Total	4,650	482	362	206

Registered Providers and Cardholders by County

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population (2012 estimate)	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	5/31/2016	5/31/2011	5/31/2016		5/31/2011	5/31/2016
Beaverhead	19	3	241	184	9,346	2.71%	1.97%
Big Horn	16	0	263	51	13,061	2.05%	0.39%
Blaine	5	1	93	42	6,683	1.43%	0.63%
Broadwater	36	2	171	64	5,756	3.64%	1.11%
Carbon	46	12	284	118	10,127	2.94%	1.17%
Carter	0	0	3	4	1,177	0.24%	0.34%
Cascade	240	9	1,614	476	81,723	1.97%	0.58%
Chouteau	7	0	61	19	5,904	1.17%	0.32%
Custer	24	1	311	135	11,888	2.79%	1.14%
Daniels	1	0	12	10	1,786	0.73%	0.56%
Dawson	19	1	111	40	9,249	1.31%	0.43%
Deer Lodge	14	1	301	189	9,227	3.40%	2.05%
Fallon	0	0	20	10	3,024	0.74%	0.33%
Fergus	38	0	187	54	11,435	1.67%	0.47%
Flathead	680	71	3,671	1,531	91,633	4.15%	1.67%
Gallatin	647	124	4,196	2,777	92,614	4.67%	3.00%
Garfield	1	0	10	2	1,261	0.84%	0.16%
Glacier	5	0	165	103	13,711	1.24%	0.75%
Golden Valley	1	0	23	13	839	2.13%	1.55%
Granite	12	0	61	26	3,109	2.16%	0.84%
Hill	33	4	417	126	16,366	2.53%	0.77%
Jefferson	40	2	355	177	11,401	3.15%	1.55%
Judith Basin	5	0	13	6	2,024	0.65%	0.30%
Lake	110	5	694	248	28,986	2.42%	0.86%
Lewis and Clark	270	31	2,257	1,067	64,876	3.70%	1.64%
Liberty	4	0	15	6	2,392	0.87%	0.25%
Lincoln	158	16	699	332	19,491	3.68%	1.70%
Madison	52	10	401	321	7,733	5.34%	4.15%
McCone	2	0	6	2	1,701	0.36%	0.03%
Meagher	4	0	54	39	1,924	2.89%	2.03%
Mineral	42	4	252	76	4,167	6.53%	1.82%

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	5/31/2016	5/31/2011	5/31/2016		5/31/2011	5/31/2016
Missoula	704	57	4,531	1,122	110,977	4.22%	1.01%
Musselshell	20	4	154	75	4,665	3.42%	1.61%
Park	184	19	834	440	15,567	5.15%	2.83%
Petroleum	3	0	11	4	511	2.52%	0.78%
Phillips	7	1	53	36	4,128	1.36%	0.87%
Pondera	19	0	80	33	6,165	1.37%	0.54%
Powder River	0	0	18	4	1,763	1.06%	0.23%
Powell	30	2	194	84	7,096	2.76%	1.18%
Prairie	2	0	10	13	1,157	0.94%	1.12%
Ravalli	329	15	1,667	493	40,617	4.10%	1.21%
Richland	10	0	223	44	10,810	2.41%	0.41%
Roosevelt	6	0	95	69	10,927	0.94%	0.63%
Rosebud	10	1	257	54	9,396	2.80%	0.57%
Sanders	87	10	386	193	11,408	3.50%	1.69%
Sheridan	8	1	76	52	3,580	2.31%	1.45%
Silver Bow	124	19	1,354	789	34,403	4.13%	2.29%
Stillwater	20	3	146	66	9,195	1.68%	0.72%
Sweet Grass	9	3	75	43	3,605	1.98%	1.19%
Teton	13	0	91	21	6,053	1.52%	0.35%
Toole	6	0	65	18	5,220	1.26%	0.34%
Treasure	1	0	14	2	736	2.20%	0.27%
Valley	19	1	109	55	7,505	1.58%	0.73%
Wheatland	4	0	33	13	2,104	1.64%	0.62%
Wibaux	1	0	8	2	1,057	0.92%	0.19%
Yellowstone	503	49	3,887	1,315	151,882	2.73%	0.87%
Total	4,650	482	31,332	13,288	1,005,141	3.24%	1.32%

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