

SB 423: Montana Marijuana Act
Registry Statistics
as of March 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	3/31/2016	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	3/31/2016
Under 18	54	1	6	0.17%	0.01%	0.04%
18-20	1,238	81	282	3.93%	1.14%	2.06%
21-30	7,885	967	2,211	25.01%	13.62%	16.17%
31-40	6,504	1,380	2,759	20.63%	19.43%	20.18%
41-50	6,010	1,414	2,203	19.07%	19.91%	16.11%
51-60	7,024	2,110	3,311	22.28%	29.72%	24.22%
61-70	2,378	1,017	2,433	7.54%	14.32%	17.80%
71-80	335	111	389	1.06%	1.56%	2.84%
81-90	81	17	66	0.26%	0.23%	0.48%
Over 90	13	1	8	0.04%	0.01%	0.05%
Total	31,522	7,099	13,668	100%	100%	100%

Registered Cardholders by Medical Condition

Debilitating Medical Condition	Number of Cardholders		
	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	3/31/2016
** Newly specified in SB 423			
Admittance Into Hospice Care**		3	11
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	946	405	574
Cancer, Glaucoma, or HIV (AIDS)	1,023	449	920
Central Nervous System Disorder with Spasticity**		571	1,219
Crohn's Disease**		80	157
Multiple Sclerosis	39	118	198
Epilepsy/Intractable Seizure Disorder**		207	411
Painful peripheral neuropathy**		755	1,778
Intractable nausea or vomiting**		908	1,333
Seizures	355		
Severe Nausea	727		
Severe Chronic Pain	23,015	4,503	8,572
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	3/31/2016	5/31/2011	3/31/2016
1	2,254	58	104	73
2	670	43	51	38
3	364	49	21	19
4	251	33	26	18
5	175	23	23	7
6	95	17	13	10
7	99	26	11	8
8	72	15	9	2
9	64	7	8	2
10	61	16	8	0
11 to 20	269	73	27	10
21 to 30	99	23	13	5
31 to 40	41	26	4	1
41 to 50	27	9	6	1
51 to 60	23	3	2	2
61 to 70	18	6	1	1
71 to 80	14	4	2	2
81 to 90	9	4	0	0
91 to 100	10	4	0	0
More than 100	35	28	33	9
Total	4,650	468*	362	208

* Total for March varied in DPHHS reports; this total reflects the one used by DPHHS.

Registered Providers and Cardholders by County

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population (2012 estimate)	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	3/31/2016	5/31/2011	3/31/2016		5/31/2011	3/31/2016
Beaverhead	19	2	241	185	9,346	2.71%	1.98%
Big Horn	16	0	263	54	13,061	2.05%	0.41%
Blaine	5	1	93	39	6,683	1.43%	0.58%
Broadwater	36	2	171	57	5,756	3.64%	0.99%
Carbon	46	12	284	111	10,127	2.94%	1.10%
Carter	0	0	3	3	1,177	0.24%	0.25%
Cascade	240	8	1,614	488	81,723	1.97%	0.60%
Chouteau	7	0	61	21	5,904	1.17%	0.36%
Custer	24	1	311	138	11,888	2.79%	1.16%
Daniels	1	0	12	10	1,786	0.73%	0.56%
Dawson	19	1	111	39	9,249	1.31%	0.42%
Deer Lodge	14	2	301	200	9,227	3.40%	2.17%
Fallon	0	0	20	10	3,024	0.74%	0.33%
Fergus	38	0	187	59	11,435	1.67%	0.52%
Flathead	680	66	3,671	1,565	91,633	4.15%	1.71%
Gallatin	647	121	4,196	2,846	92,614	4.67%	3.07%
Garfield	1	0	10	5	1,261	0.84%	0.40%
Glacier	5	0	165	103	13,711	1.24%	0.75%
Golden Valley	1	0	23	12	839	2.13%	1.43%
Granite	12	0	61	30	3,109	2.16%	0.96%
Hill	33	4	417	130	16,366	2.53%	0.79%
Jefferson	40	2	355	179	11,401	3.15%	1.57%
Judith Basin	5	0	13	8	2,024	0.65%	0.40%
Lake	110	4	694	255	28,986	2.42%	0.88%
Lewis and Clark	270	33	2,257	1,079	64,876	3.70%	1.66%
Liberty	4	0	15	6	2,392	0.87%	0.25%
Lincoln	158	16	699	339	19,491	3.68%	1.74%
Madison	52	9	401	341	7,733	5.34%	4.41%
McCone	2	0	6	2	1,701	0.36%	0.03%
Meagher	4	0	54	37	1,924	2.89%	1.92%
Mineral	42	3	252	84	4,167	6.53%	2.02%

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	3/31/2016	5/31/2011	3/31/2016		5/31/2011	3/31/2016
Missoula	704	58	4,531	1,193	110,977	4.22%	1.07%
Musselshell	20	3	154	76	4,665	3.42%	1.63%
Park	184	20	834	464	15,567	5.15%	2.98%
Petroleum	3	0	11	3	511	2.52%	0.59%
Phillips	7	1	53	34	4,128	1.36%	0.82%
Pondera	19	0	80	37	6,165	1.37%	0.60%
Powder River	0	0	18	4	1,763	1.06%	0.23%
Powell	30	2	194	85	7,096	2.76%	1.20%
Prairie	2	0	10	14	1,157	0.94%	1.21%
Ravalli	329	16	1,667	509	40,617	4.10%	1.25%
Richland	10	0	223	41	10,810	2.41%	0.38%
Roosevelt	6	0	95	75	10,927	0.94%	0.69%
Rosebud	10	1	257	56	9,396	2.80%	0.60%
Sanders	87	8	386	188	11,408	3.50%	1.65%
Sheridan	8	1	76	54	3,580	2.31%	1.51%
Silver Bow	124	21	1,354	841	34,403	4.13%	2.44%
Stillwater	20	2	146	64	9,195	1.68%	0.70%
Sweet Grass	9	2	75	44	3,605	1.98%	1.22%
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	61	7,505	1.58%	0.81%
Wheatland	4	0	33	12	2,104	1.64%	0.57%
Wibaux	1	0	8	2	1,057	0.92%	0.19%
Yellowstone	503	45	3,887	1,335	151,882	2.73%	0.88%
Total	4,650	467	31,332	13,668	1,005,141	3.24%	1.36%

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