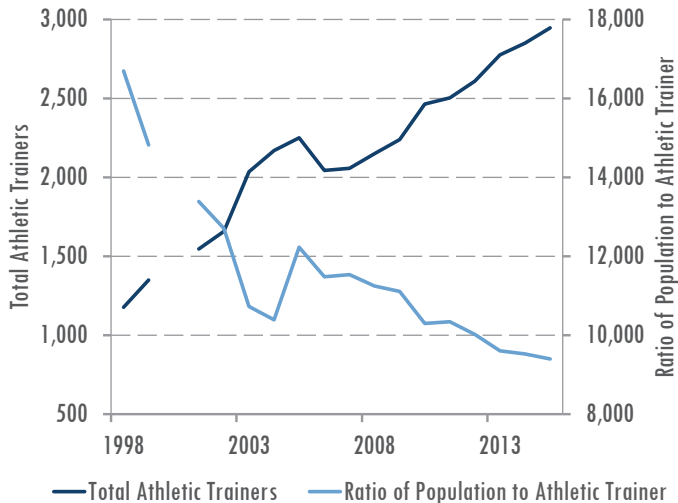




## Athletic Trainers

# 2015

### AT Growth Trends



In 2015, there were 2,947 actively licensed athletic trainers (AT) providing care in Texas.

- This number represented a 19.6% increase since 2010 and a 30.9% increase since 2005.
- Despite these improvements, Texas still had fewer athletic trainers than the national average.

Note: Data were unavailable in 2000.

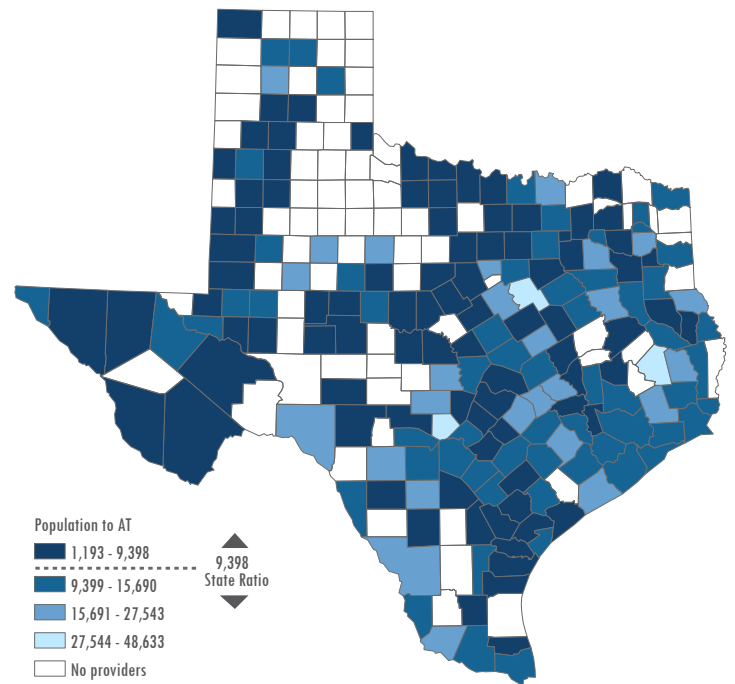
### Age Distribution of ATs

Age Group	#AT	%AT
≤25	378	12.8
26-30	660	22.4
31-35	525	17.8
36-40	389	13.2
41-45	332	11.3
46-50	247	8.4
51-55	172	5.8
56-60	135	4.6
61-65	65	2.2
>65	44	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>2947</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Within ten years, 8.3% of athletic trainers will be at or past retirement age.

- 1.5% of ATs were over 65 years of age in 2015.
- 25.5% were between 41 and 55 years of age.
- 66.2% of ATs were 40 years of age or younger in 2015.

### Ratio of Texas Population to AT, by County



### Geographic Distribution of ATs

Athletic Trainers were not evenly distributed throughout the state.

- There was a 2.3% difference between the number of athletic trainers in metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas even after controlling for population differences.
- Between border and non-border areas the percent difference was 26.5%.

Geographic Designation	Ratio of population to AT
Metropolitan	9,373
Non-metropolitan	9,594
Border	11,964
Non-border	9,169
<b>Texas</b>	<b>9,398</b>

