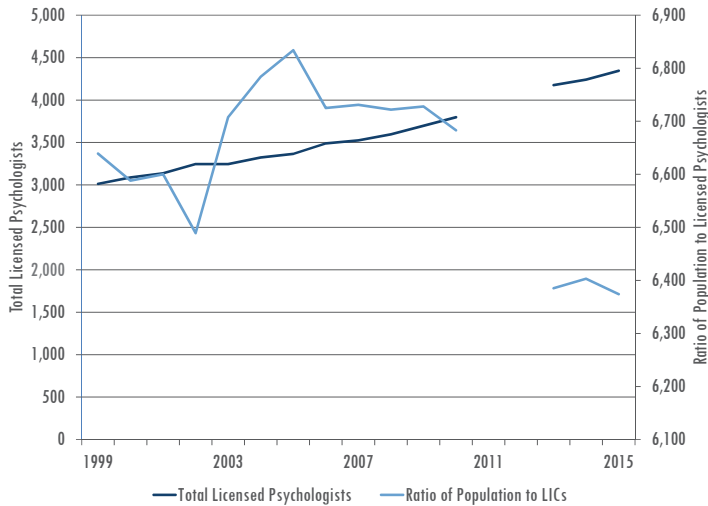




## Licensed Psychologists

# 2015

### LP Growth Trends



Note: Data were unavailable in 2011 and 2012.

In 2015, there were 4,345 active licensed psychologists (LPs) practicing in Texas.

- This number represented a 14.4% increase since 2010 and a 29.1% increase since 2005.

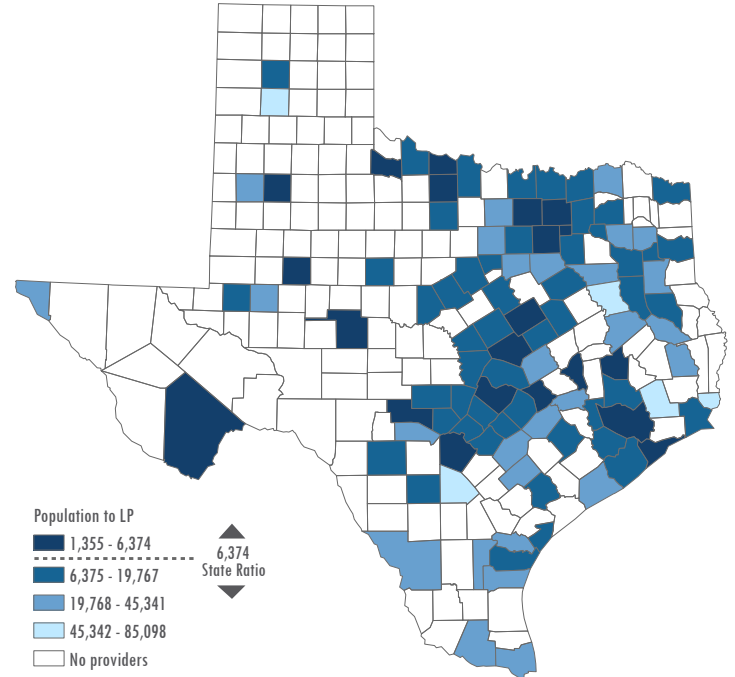
Despite these improvements, Texas still had fewer LPs than the national average.

### Primary Practice Setting of LPs

Type of Practice Setting	Number of LPs	Percent of LPs
Private Office	1,904	56.4%
Hospital	301	8.9%
Public College	253	7.5%
Government Facility	236	7.0%
Public School	123	3.6%
Nursing Home	122	3.6%
Military Facility	49	1.5%
Other	386	11.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,374</b>	<b>100%</b>

Primary practice setting data were unavailable for 971 LPs.

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



Geographic Designation	Ratio of Population to LP
Metropolitan	5,819
Non-metropolitan	24,095
Border	28,403
Non-border	5,844
<b>Texas</b>	<b>6,374</b>

LPs were not evenly distributed throughout the state.

- There was a 122.2% difference between the number of LPs in metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas even after controlling for population differences.
- Between border and non-border areas the percent difference was 131.7%.

### Gender of LPs

- Among the 4,025 LPs for whom data were available in 2014, 63.3% were female and 36.7% were male.
- Among LPs aged 40 years or younger for whom data were available in 2014, 81.2% were female and 18.8% were male.



## Age Distribution of LPs, by Gender

Age Group	Female	Male	Total
≤30	49	10	59
31-35	344	61	405
36-40	375	107	482
41-45	344	122	466
46-50	293	128	421
51-55	346	129	375
56-60	258	158	416
61-65	257	297	554
>65	382	465	847
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,548</b>	<b>1,477</b>	<b>4,025</b>

Within ten years, 45.1% of current Texas LPs for whom data were available will be at or past retirement age.

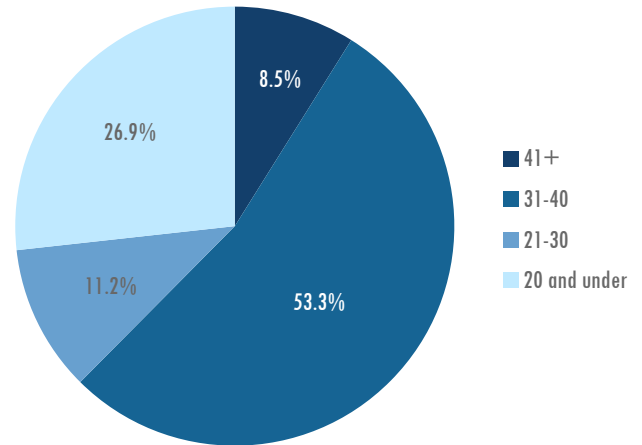
- 21.0% of active LPs in Texas were older than 65 years of age in 2014.
- 23.9% were between the ages of 56 and 65.
- Among LICs over 55 years of age, males comprised 50.6% of Texas' LP workforce.

## Practice Specialty of LPs

Practice Specialty	Number of LPs	Percent of LPs
Clinical Psychology	1,856	55.4%
Counseling	534	15.9%
Neuropsychology	249	7.4%
Child Clinical Psychology	241	7.2%
School Psychology	169	5.0%
Forensic Psychology	99	3.0%
Teaching	49	1.5%
Industrial Psychology	45	1.3%
Other	109	3.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,351</b>	<b>100%</b>

- Practice specialty data were unavailable for 994 LPs.

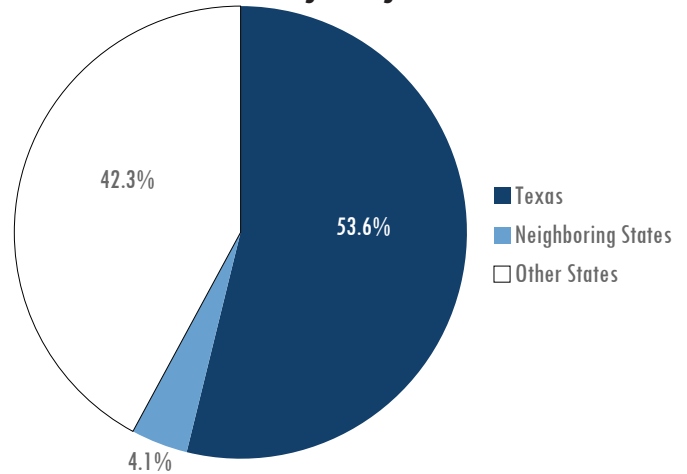
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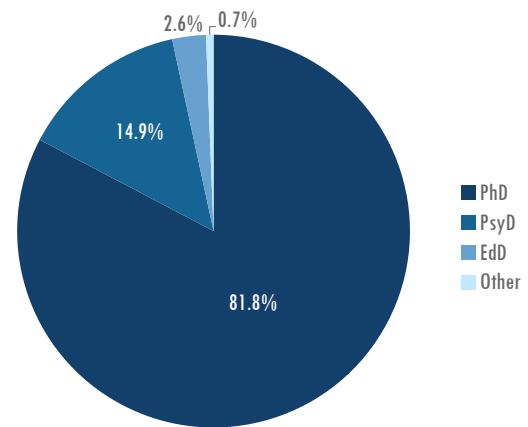
- Time data were unavailable for 995 LPs.

## Training of LPs

### State in which Highest Degree Was Obtained



### Degree Type of Texas LPs



- Degree data were unavailable for 490 LPs.