

2005 AAPA Physician Assistant Census Report for Addiction Medicine PAs

Section I: Characteristics of 2005 AAPA Census Respondents

Table 1.1: Number and Percent Distribution of Census Respondents by whether in Addiction Medicine

	Count	Percent
Total	22502	100.0%
Addiction Medicine	88	.4%
All Others	22414	99.6%

Table 1.2: Number and Percent Distribution of Census Respondents by Sex

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Total	87	100.0%	22231	100.0%	22318	100.0%
Male	34	39.1%	8539	38.4%	8573	38.4%
Female	53	60.9%	13692	61.6%	13745	61.6%

Table 1.3: Number and Percent Distribution of Census Respondents by Race

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Total	81	100.0%	20307	100.0%	20388	100.0%
Asian/Pacific Islander	8	9.9%	717	3.5%	725	3.6%
Black (Not Hispanic)	8	9.9%	696	3.4%	704	3.5%
Hispanic/Latino Origin	6	7.4%	756	3.7%	762	3.7%
Amer Indian/Alaskan	3	3.7%	166	.8%	169	.8%
White (Not Hispanic)	56	69.1%	17972	88.5%	18028	88.4%

Table 1.4: Number and Percent Distribution of Census Respondents by PA Degrees Held

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	77	100.0%	20742	100.0%	20819	100.0%
Certificate from PA school	33	42.9%	6617	31.9%	6650	31.9%
Associate's degree from PA school	11	14.3%	1492	7.2%	1503	7.2%
Bachelor's degree from PA school	40	51.9%	9662	46.6%	9702	46.6%
Master's degree from PA school	11	14.3%	6202	29.9%	6213	29.8%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because some PAs received multiple degree types.

Table 1.5: Summary Measures of Age for Census Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Count	88	22354	22442
Mean	47.5	41.5	41.5
Standard deviation	10.7	10.9	10.9
10th p-tile	30.0	28.0	28.0
25th p-tile	39.5	32.0	32.0
Median	49.5	40.0	40.0
75th p-tile	56.8	50.0	50.0
90th p-tile	59.1	57.0	57.0

Table 1.6: Summary Measures of Age During Year of Graduation from PA School for Census Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Count	88	22355	22443
Mean	32.6	30.8	30.8
Standard deviation	8.5	6.9	6.9
10th p-tile	23.0	24.0	24.0
25th p-tile	26.0	26.0	26.0
Median	30.5	29.0	29.0
75th p-tile	38.8	34.0	34.0
90th p-tile	46.0	41.0	41.0

Table 1.7: Summary Measures of Years since Graduation from PA School for Census Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Count	88	22414	22502
Mean	14.9	10.7	10.8
Standard deviation	10.7	9.2	9.2
10th p-tile	1.9	1.0	1.0
25th p-tile	4.0	3.0	3.0
Median	15.0	7.0	7.0
75th p-tile	26.8	17.0	17.0
90th p-tile	29.0	26.0	26.0

Section II: Professional Status of Respondents

Table 2.1: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents by Clinical Practice Status

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Total	88	100.0%	22414	100.0%	22502	100.0%
In clinical practice	88	100.0%	19931	88.9%	20019	89.0%
Not in clinical practice			2483	11.1%	2483	11.0%

Table 2.2: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents by Current Professional Status*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	22414	100.0%	22502	100.0%
Clinically practicing PA	88	100.0%	19931	88.9%	20019	89.0%
Clinically practicing physician or resident			98	.4%	98	.4%
Clinically practicing NP			174	.8%	174	.8%
Other clinically practicing provider	1	1.1%	180	.8%	181	.8%
PA educator	5	5.7%	949	4.2%	954	4.2%
Other health professions educator			293	1.3%	293	1.3%
Health care professional-administrator	2	2.3%	395	1.8%	397	1.8%
Health care professional-researcher	3	3.4%	177	.8%	180	.8%
Health care professional-lawyer			5	.0%	5	.0%
Health care professional-public health			79	.4%	79	.4%
Health care professional-other			458	2.0%	458	2.0%
Other non-health professional	1	1.1%	269	1.2%	270	1.2%
Student in post-graduate PA program	1	1.1%	130	.6%	131	.6%
Medical student			36	.2%	36	.2%
Other student			70	.3%	70	.3%
Not employed by choice			519	2.3%	519	2.3%
Employed, seeking PA job			103	.5%	103	.5%
Unemployed, seeking PA job			210	.9%	210	.9%
Unemployed, seeking non-PA job			51	.2%	51	.2%
Retired			412	1.8%	412	1.8%
Other			270	1.2%	270	1.2%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Section III: Information about Respondents in Clinical Practice

Table 3.1: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Number of Concurrent PA Jobs

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19931	100.0%	20019	100.0%
One	66	75.0%	16950	85.0%	17016	85.0%
Two	19	21.6%	2443	12.3%	2462	12.3%
Three	1	1.1%	346	1.7%	347	1.7%
More than three			77	.4%	77	.4%
Self-employed w/mult contracts	2	2.3%	115	.6%	117	.6%

Table 3.2: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Type of Primary Employer

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	87	100.0%	19900	100.0%	19987	100.0%
Self-employed	4	4.6%	616	3.1%	620	3.1%
Solo physician practice	1	1.1%	2690	13.5%	2691	13.5%
Single-specialty physician group	5	5.7%	6116	30.7%	6121	30.6%
Multi-specialty physician group	2	2.3%	2451	12.3%	2453	12.3%
University hospital	7	8.0%	1496	7.5%	1503	7.5%
Other hospital	28	32.2%	2960	14.9%	2988	14.9%
Freestanding urgent care center			366	1.8%	366	1.8%
Freestanding surgical center			22	.1%	22	.1%
Nursing home or LTC facility			47	.2%	47	.2%
Home health agency			3	.0%	3	.0%
Hospice			1	.0%	1	.0%
HMO			457	2.3%	457	2.3%
Community health center	16	18.4%	1199	6.0%	1215	6.1%
Medical staffing agency			66	.3%	66	.3%
Physician practice mngmt org			277	1.4%	277	1.4%
Integrated health system	2	2.3%	256	1.3%	258	1.3%
Corrections system	1	1.1%	217	1.1%	218	1.1%
Other	21	24.1%	660	3.3%	681	3.4%

Table 3.3: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Primary Employer's Government Affiliation

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19854	100.0%	19942	100.0%
Not government employed	66	75.0%	17935	90.3%	18001	90.3%
Air Force			107	.5%	107	.5%
Army			285	1.4%	285	1.4%
Navy			108	.5%	108	.5%
Coast Guard			14	.1%	14	.1%
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	14	15.9%	494	2.5%	508	2.5%
Federal Bureau of Prisons/DOJ			38	.2%	38	.2%
Indian Health Service			81	.4%	81	.4%
Federal Public Health Service	1	1.1%	74	.4%	75	.4%
Other Federal Government			74	.4%	74	.4%
State Government	4	4.5%	447	2.3%	451	2.3%
Local Government	3	3.4%	197	1.0%	200	1.0%

Table 3.4: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Primary Work Setting

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19863	100.0%	19951	100.0%
Intensive/critical care unit of hospital			403	2.0%	403	2.0%
Inpatient unit of hospital (not ICU/CCU)	23	26.1%	1825	9.2%	1848	9.3%
Outpatient unit of hospital	17	19.3%	1418	7.1%	1435	7.2%
Hospital emergency room			1863	9.4%	1863	9.3%
Hospital operating room			1350	6.8%	1350	6.8%
Other unit of hospital	1	1.1%	236	1.2%	237	1.2%
Federally Qualified Rural Health Center			778	3.9%	778	3.9%
Other FQHC	2	2.3%	304	1.5%	306	1.5%
Other community health center/facility	10	11.4%	516	2.6%	526	2.6%
Freestanding urgent care facility	1	1.1%	574	2.9%	575	2.9%
Freestanding surgical facility			82	.4%	82	.4%
Solo practice physician office	3	3.4%	2739	13.8%	2742	13.7%
Single-specialty physician group practice	6	6.8%	4281	21.6%	4287	21.5%
Multi-specialty physician group practice			1753	8.8%	1753	8.8%
HMO facility			332	1.7%	332	1.7%
Nursing home or LTC facility			167	.8%	167	.8%
University/college student health facility			120	.6%	120	.6%
School-based health facility			66	.3%	66	.3%
Other freestanding outpatient facility	10	11.4%	396	2.0%	406	2.0%
Correctional facility	1	1.1%	242	1.2%	243	1.2%
Industrial facility/work site			102	.5%	102	.5%
Mobile health unit			10	.1%	10	.1%
Patients' homes			29	.1%	29	.1%
Other	14	15.9%	277	1.4%	291	1.5%

Table 3.5: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Types of Practice Settings where Time is Spent For Primary Employer*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19884	100.0%	19972	100.0%
Intensive/critical care unit of hospital			4459	22.4%	4459	22.3%
Inpatient unit of hospital (not ICU/CCU)	33	37.5%	6683	33.6%	6716	33.6%
Outpatient unit of hospital	22	25.0%	4315	21.7%	4337	21.7%
Hospital emergency room	2	2.3%	6065	30.5%	6067	30.4%
Hospital operating room			4463	22.4%	4463	22.3%
Other unit of hospital	3	3.4%	1710	8.6%	1713	8.6%
Federally Qualified Rural Health Center			1052	5.3%	1052	5.3%
Other FQHC	4	4.5%	468	2.4%	472	2.4%
Other community health center/facility	14	15.9%	787	4.0%	801	4.0%
Freestanding urgent care facility	1	1.1%	961	4.8%	962	4.8%
Freestanding surgical facility			1081	5.4%	1081	5.4%
Solo practice physician office	3	3.4%	3172	16.0%	3175	15.9%
Single-specialty physician group practice	6	6.8%	5690	28.6%	5696	28.5%
Multi-specialty physician group practice	2	2.3%	2413	12.1%	2415	12.1%
HMO facility			492	2.5%	492	2.5%
Nursing home or LTC facility	1	1.1%	1228	6.2%	1229	6.2%
University/college student health facility			252	1.3%	252	1.3%
School-based health facility			192	1.0%	192	1.0%
Other freestanding outpatient facility	13	14.8%	654	3.3%	667	3.3%
Correctional facility	2	2.3%	372	1.9%	374	1.9%
Industrial facility/work site	1	1.1%	180	.9%	181	.9%
Mobile health unit			71	.4%	71	.4%
Patients' homes	1	1.1%	401	2.0%	402	2.0%
Other	15	17.0%	513	2.6%	528	2.6%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 3.6: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by General Specialty Practiced for Primary Employer

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19796	100.0%	19884	100.0%
Family/general medicine			5639	28.5%	5639	28.4%
General internal medicine			1518	7.7%	1518	7.6%
Emergency medicine			1927	9.7%	1927	9.7%
General pediatrics			505	2.6%	505	2.5%
General surgery			563	2.8%	563	2.8%
Internal medicine subspecialties			2055	10.4%	2055	10.3%
Pediatric subspecialties			296	1.5%	296	1.5%
Surgical subspecialties			4345	21.9%	4345	21.9%
Obstetrics and gynecology			485	2.4%	485	2.4%
Industrial/occupational medicine			457	2.3%	457	2.3%
Other	88	100.0%	2006	10.1%	2094	10.5%

Table 3.7: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Specialty Practiced for Primary Employer

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19796	100.0%	19884	100.0%
Addiction medicine	88	100.0%			88	.4%
Allergy			116	.6%	116	.6%
Anesthesiology			40	.2%	40	.2%
Dermatology			659	3.3%	659	3.3%
Emergency medicine			1927	9.7%	1927	9.7%
Family practice w/o urgent care			2152	10.9%	2152	10.8%
Family practice wt urgent care			3487	17.6%	3487	17.5%
Genetics			8	.0%	8	.0%
Geriatrics			124	.6%	124	.6%
Obstetrics/gynecology			485	2.4%	485	2.4%
Occupational medicine			457	2.3%	457	2.3%
Ophthalmology			19	.1%	19	.1%
Pain management			215	1.1%	215	1.1%
Pathology			3	.0%	3	.0%
Physical med rehab			149	.8%	149	.7%
Psychiatry			195	1.0%	195	1.0%
Public health			42	.2%	42	.2%
Radiation oncology			47	.2%	47	.2%
Radiology			141	.7%	141	.7%
General surgery			563	2.8%	563	2.8%
Surg: cardiovascular/cardiothoracic			666	3.4%	666	3.3%
Surg: colon & rectal			16	.1%	16	.1%
Surg: hand			43	.2%	43	.2%
Surg: neurology			430	2.2%	430	2.2%
Surg: oncology			58	.3%	58	.3%
Surg: orthopedics			2066	10.4%	2066	10.4%
Surg: otorhinolaryngology			161	.8%	161	.8%
Surg: pediatric			24	.1%	24	.1%
Surg: plastic			142	.7%	142	.7%
Surg: thoracic			32	.2%	32	.2%
Surg: transplant			46	.2%	46	.2%
Surg: trauma			85	.4%	85	.4%
Surg: urology			257	1.3%	257	1.3%
Surg: vascular			133	.7%	133	.7%
Surg: bariatric			46	.2%	46	.2%
Surg: other			140	.7%	140	.7%
General pediatrics			505	2.6%	505	2.5%
Ped: adolescent medicine			43	.2%	43	.2%
Ped: allergy			4	.0%	4	.0%
Ped: cardiology			15	.1%	15	.1%
Ped: critical care			15	.1%	15	.1%
Ped: endocrinology			8	.0%	8	.0%
Ped: gastroenterology			10	.1%	10	.1%
Ped: hematology/oncology			7	.0%	7	.0%
Ped: infectious disease			4	.0%	4	.0%
Ped: neonatal-perinatal			72	.4%	72	.4%
Ped: nephrology			3	.0%	3	.0%
Ped: neurology			12	.1%	12	.1%
Ped: pulmonology			7	.0%	7	.0%
Ped: rheumatology			3	.0%	3	.0%
Ped: oncology			19	.1%	19	.1%
Ped: other			74	.4%	74	.4%
General internal medicine			1518	7.7%	1518	7.6%
IM: cardiology			691	3.5%	691	3.5%
IM: critical care			62	.3%	62	.3%
IM: endocrinology			84	.4%	84	.4%
IM: gastroenterology			326	1.6%	326	1.6%
IM: hematology/oncology			27	.1%	27	.1%
IM: infectious disease			115	.6%	115	.6%
IM: nephrology			126	.6%	126	.6%
IM: neurology			114	.6%	114	.6%
IM: pulmonology			70	.4%	70	.4%
IM: rheumatology			74	.4%	74	.4%
IM: oncology			272	1.4%	272	1.4%
IM: other			94	.5%	94	.5%
Other			248	1.3%	248	1.2%

Table 3.8: Summary Measures of Years in Clinical Practice as PA for Clinically Practicing Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	88	19893	19981
Mean	14.0	9.2	9.2
Standard deviation	10.7	8.7	8.7
10th percentile	.0	.0	.0
25th percentile	3.0	3.0	3.0
Median	14.5	6.0	6.0
75th percentile	24.8	14.0	14.0
90th percentile	28.0	24.0	24.0

Table 3.9: Summary Measures of Years in Current Position for Clinically Practicing Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	88	19863	19951
Mean	7.6	4.8	4.8
Standard deviation	8.2	5.7	5.7
10th percentile	.0	.0	.0
25th percentile	1.0	1.0	1.0
Median	3.0	3.0	3.0
75th percentile	13.0	6.0	6.0
90th percentile	21.1	12.0	12.0

Table 3.10: Summary Measures of Years in Current Specialty for Clinically Practicing Respondents

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	87	19828	19915
Mean	8.0	6.5	6.5
Standard deviation	8.3	7.1	7.1
10th percentile	.0	.0	.0
25th percentile	1.0	1.0	1.0
Median	4.0	4.0	4.0
75th percentile	15.0	9.0	9.0
90th percentile	20.4	17.0	17.0

Table 3.11: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by AAPA Region in Which Employed

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	87	100.0%	19460	100.0%	19547	100.0%
Northeast	42	48.3%	4458	22.9%	4500	23.0%
Southeast	14	16.1%	4610	23.7%	4624	23.7%
North Central	8	9.2%	4011	20.6%	4019	20.6%
South Central	7	8.0%	2702	13.9%	2709	13.9%
West	16	18.4%	3679	18.9%	3695	18.9%

Table 3.12: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by State/Geographic Location in Which Employed

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	87	100.0%	19460	100.0%	19547	100.0%
Alaska			136	.7%	136	.7%
Alabama	1	1.1%	93	.5%	94	.5%
Arkansas			20	.1%	20	.1%
Arizona	1	1.1%	456	2.3%	457	2.3%
California	12	13.8%	1561	8.0%	1573	8.0%
Colorado	2	2.3%	529	2.7%	531	2.7%
Connecticut	2	2.3%	404	2.1%	406	2.1%
District Of Columbia			67	.3%	67	.3%
Delaware			67	.3%	67	.3%
Florida	2	2.3%	1086	5.6%	1088	5.6%
Georgia	1	1.1%	577	3.0%	578	3.0%
Guam			4	.0%	4	.0%
Hawaii			52	.3%	52	.3%
Iowa	2	2.3%	303	1.6%	305	1.6%
Idaho			135	.7%	135	.7%
Illinois	1	1.1%	538	2.8%	539	2.8%
Indiana			205	1.1%	205	1.0%
Kansas	1	1.1%	273	1.4%	274	1.4%
Kentucky	1	1.1%	251	1.3%	252	1.3%
Louisiana			146	.8%	146	.7%
Massachusetts	5	5.7%	458	2.4%	463	2.4%
Maryland	3	3.4%	455	2.3%	458	2.3%
Maine	1	1.1%	179	.9%	180	.9%
Michigan	2	2.3%	908	4.7%	910	4.7%
Minnesota			374	1.9%	374	1.9%
Missouri			186	1.0%	186	1.0%
Mississippi			37	.2%	37	.2%
Montana			125	.6%	125	.6%
North Carolina	2	2.3%	1019	5.2%	1021	5.2%
North Dakota			86	.4%	86	.4%
Nebraska			263	1.4%	263	1.3%
New Hampshire			123	.6%	123	.6%
New Jersey			271	1.4%	271	1.4%
New Mexico	2	2.3%	147	.8%	149	.8%
Nevada			134	.7%	134	.7%
New York	29	33.3%	1693	8.7%	1722	8.8%
Ohio	1	1.1%	466	2.4%	467	2.4%
Oklahoma	1	1.1%	312	1.6%	313	1.6%
Oregon			257	1.3%	257	1.3%
Pennsylvania	5	5.7%	1132	5.8%	1137	5.8%
Rhode Island			68	.3%	68	.3%
South Carolina			184	.9%	184	.9%
South Dakota			162	.8%	162	.8%
Tennessee	2	2.3%	304	1.6%	306	1.6%
Texas	1	1.1%	1238	6.4%	1239	6.3%
Utah			191	1.0%	191	1.0%
Virginia			395	2.0%	395	2.0%
Vermont			63	.3%	63	.3%
Washington	3	3.4%	554	2.8%	557	2.8%
Wisconsin	2	2.3%	520	2.7%	522	2.7%
West Virginia	2	2.3%	179	.9%	181	.9%
Wyoming			74	.4%	74	.4%

Table 3.13: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Metropolitan Status and Degree of Rurality of County of Primary Work Site*

		Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents		86	100.0%	19264	100.0%	19350	100.0%
Not metro	NonMetro, with urban pop >20K and adjacent to metro area	2	2.3%	901	4.7%	903	4.7%
	NonMetro, with urban pop >20K, not adjacent to metro area	4	4.7%	480	2.5%	484	2.5%
	NonMetro, with urban pop 2.5K-20K, adjacent to metro area	1	1.2%	829	4.3%	830	4.3%
	NonMetro, with urban pop 2.5K-20K, not adjacent to metro area			611	3.2%	611	3.2%
	NonMetro, with urban pop < 2,500, adjacent to metro area			110	.6%	110	.6%
	NonMetro, with urban pop <2,500, not adjacent to metro area			258	1.3%	258	1.3%
	Metro	Metro, >1M Population	57	66.3%	9066	47.1%	9123
	Metro, 250K-1M Population	16	18.6%	4734	24.6%	4750	24.5%
	Metro, <250K Population	6	7.0%	2275	11.8%	2281	11.8%

Zip Code of primary work site was linked to County Rural-Urban Continuum Code from the Area Resource File obtained through the Bureau of Health Professions, US-DHHS.

Table 3.14: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents Who Perform Select Functions at Primary Clinical Job*

		Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents		88	100.0%	19903	100.0%	19991	100.0%
Minor surgical procedures		8	9.1%	12091	60.7%	12099	60.5%
First assisting at surgery				4839	24.3%	4839	24.2%
Manage the care of patients in an inpatient setting		39	44.3%	7367	37.0%	7406	37.0%
Serve on the quality assurance committee		13	14.8%	1614	8.1%	1627	8.1%
Serve on the utilization review committee		3	3.4%	606	3.0%	609	3.0%
Participate in the conduct of clinical trials		13	14.8%	2246	11.3%	2259	11.3%
Serve on formulary/pharmaceutical selection committee		4	4.5%	531	2.7%	535	2.7%
Decision making about procurement of medical/surgical equipment/supplies		17	19.3%	3972	20.0%	3989	20.0%
Supervisory/managerial responsibilities for other PAs		5	5.7%	1798	9.0%	1803	9.0%
Supervisory/managerial responsibilities for clinical staff other than PAs		18	20.5%	3843	19.3%	3861	19.3%
Supervisory/managerial responsibilities for non-clinical staff		13	14.8%	1745	8.8%	1758	8.8%
Precept PA students		15	17.0%	7061	35.5%	7076	35.4%
Precept students of other health professions		13	14.8%	4840	24.3%	4853	24.3%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 3.15: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents By Whether Primary Employer Receives Grants To Provide Medical Care To Populations In Underserved Communities

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19931	100.0%	20019	100.0%
Employer does not receive grants	22	25.0%	10258	51.5%	10280	51.4%
PHS Migrant Health Service grant			165	.8%	165	.8%
PHS Health Care for the Homeless grant	4	4.5%	185	.9%	189	.9%
PHS Public Housing Primary Care Program grant			34	.2%	34	.2%
PHS School Based Health Center grant			139	.7%	139	.7%
Other PHS Community Health Center grant	8	9.1%	592	3.0%	600	3.0%
Indian Health Service grant	1	1.1%	131	.7%	132	.7%
Other PHS grant	3	3.4%	218	1.1%	221	1.1%
Other federal grant	14	15.9%	881	4.4%	895	4.5%
State-funded grant	22	25.0%	820	4.1%	842	4.2%
Local-level grant	12	13.6%	327	1.6%	339	1.7%
Private grant	8	9.1%	297	1.5%	305	1.5%
Don't know whether employer receives grant	41	46.6%	7896	39.6%	7937	39.6%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 3.16: Number and Percent Distribution of Clinically Practicing Respondents by Hours Worked per Week at Primary Clinical Job

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	88	100.0%	19931	100.0%	20019	100.0%
32 or more hours	65	73.9%	17273	86.7%	17338	86.6%
Less than 32 hours	22	25.0%	2575	12.9%	2597	13.0%
Hours not reported	1	1.1%	83	.4%	84	.4%

Section IV: Information about Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Their Primary Clinical Job

Table 4.1: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Types of Patients Treated*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	43	100.0%	11059	100.0%	11102	100.0%
See some inpatients	23	53.5%	4460	40.3%	4483	40.4%
See some outpatients	26	60.5%	9462	85.6%	9488	85.5%
See some nursing home patients			638	5.8%	638	5.7%
See some other patients**	3	7.0%	871	7.9%	874	7.9%

*Data represent only respondents who reported complete information about both hours and visits for all patient types. Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents may see multiple types of patients.

**Other patients are those who were not classified as either outpatients, inpatients, or nursing home patients.

Table 4.2: Summary Measures of Total Hours Worked per Week for Primary Clinical Employer by Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	65	17273	17338
Mean	40.5	44.3	44.3
Standard deviation	6.7	7.8	7.8
10th percentile	35.0	36.0	36.0
25th percentile	40.0	40.0	40.0
Median	40.0	42.0	42.0
75th percentile	40.0	50.0	50.0
90th percentile	45.0	55.0	55.0

Table 4.3: Summary Measures of Hours Providing Direct Inpatient Care per Week for Respondents Who See Inpatients Exclusively for a Minimum of 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job*

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	10	979	989
Mean	38.9	43.3	43.3
Standard deviation	4.2	7.3	7.3
10th percentile	32.3	36.0	36.0
25th percentile	35.0	40.0	40.0
Median	40.0	40.0	40.0
75th percentile	41.3	48.0	48.0
90th percentile	45.0	50.0	50.0

*Excludes time spent performing tasks other than providing direct patient care to inpatients.

Table 4.4: Summary Measures of Inpatient Encounters per Week for Respondents Who See Inpatients Exclusively for a Minimum of 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	10	979	989
Mean	68.1	67.3	67.3
Standard deviation	40.4	44.9	44.8
10th percentile	21.0	20.0	20.0
25th percentile	34.5	40.0	40.0
Median	67.5	60.0	60.0
75th percentile	88.8	90.0	90.0
90th percentile	149.5	120.0	120.0

Table 4.5: Summary Measures of Hours Providing Direct Outpatient Care per Week for Respondents Who See Outpatients Exclusively for a Minimum of 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job*

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	8	4672	4680
Mean	36.6	39.2	39.2
Standard deviation	3.5	5.5	5.5
10th percentile	32.0	33.0	33.0
25th percentile	34.3	35.0	35.0
Median	35.0	40.0	40.0
75th percentile	40.0	40.0	40.0
90th percentile	.	45.0	45.0

*Excludes time spent performing tasks other than providing direct patient care to outpatients.

Table 4.6: Summary Measures of Outpatient Visits per Week for Respondents Who See Outpatients Exclusively for a Minimum of 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	8	4672	4680
Mean	76.4	96.5	96.5
Standard deviation	23.6	39.3	39.3
10th percentile	30.0	50.0	50.0
25th percentile	60.8	72.0	72.0
Median	80.0	100.0	100.0
75th percentile	97.5	120.0	120.0
90th percentile	.	150.0	150.0

Table 4.7: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Source of Hospital Privileges

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	22	100.0%	4696	100.0%	4718	100.0%
Hospital privileges granted by medical staff	19	86.4%	4460	95.0%	4479	94.9%
Hospital privileges granted by HR	3	13.6%	236	5.0%	239	5.1%

Table 4.8 Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Whether Call is Taken

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	65	100.0%	17273	100.0%	17338	100.0%
Do not take call	52	80.0%	10277	59.5%	10329	59.6%
Take some call	10	15.4%	6035	34.9%	6045	34.9%
Take call, hours unknown	1	1.5%	149	.9%	150	.9%
Always on call	2	3.1%	812	4.7%	814	4.7%

Table 4.9 Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Types of Call Taken*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	65	100.0%	17273	100.0%	17338	100.0%
Emergency department call	1	1.5%	1848	10.7%	1849	10.7%
Surgical assisting call			2097	12.1%	2097	12.1%
In-house call	6	9.2%	2055	11.9%	2061	11.9%
Other call	7	10.8%	3672	21.3%	3679	21.2%
Do not take call	52	80.0%	10277	59.5%	10329	59.6%
Call taken, type not indicated			61	.4%	61	.4%

*Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 4.10: Summary Measures of Call Hours per Month for Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job*

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	10	6035	6045
Mean	135.7	96.1	96.2
Standard deviation	108.3	89.6	89.6
10th percentile	12.4	12.0	12.0
25th percentile	37.8	30.0	30.0
Median	148.0	72.0	72.0
75th percentile	188.0	130.0	130.0
90th percentile	346.4	200.0	200.0

*Includes only PAs who report taking call, but are not always on call.

Table 4.11: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Type of Base Pay Received*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	61	100.0%	16070	100.0%	16131	100.0%
No base pay	1	1.6%	220	1.4%	221	1.4%
Salary	50	82.0%	12816	79.8%	12866	79.8%
Hourly wage	10	16.4%	2916	18.1%	2926	18.1%
Other base pay			118	.7%	118	.7%

*Excludes self-employed PAs.

Table 4.12: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job by Types of Additional Compensation Received*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	60	100.0%	15803	100.0%	15863	100.0%
No additional pay	32	53.3%	5162	32.7%	5194	32.7%
Surgical assisting fees			310	2.0%	310	2.0%
Overtime pay	11	18.3%	2681	17.0%	2692	17.0%
Administrative pay			407	2.6%	407	2.6%
Pay for on-call availability	1	1.7%	1320	8.4%	1321	8.3%
Pay for on-call services/events	3	5.0%	1304	8.3%	1307	8.2%
Bonus not based on performance	5	8.3%	2883	18.2%	2888	18.2%
Bonus based on performance of practice	2	3.3%	2042	12.9%	2044	12.9%
Bonus based on performance of PA	6	10.0%	3798	24.0%	3804	24.0%
Bonus based on something else	3	5.0%	1048	6.6%	1051	6.6%

*Excludes self-employed PAs. Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 4.13: Number and Percent Distribution of Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job and Receive Incentive Pay Based on Productivity or Performance by Measures on Which Incentive is Based*

	Addiction Medicine		All Others		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Respondents	8	100.0%	4977	100.0%	4985	100.0%
Bonus based on charges	1	12.5%	1030	20.7%	1031	20.7%
Bonus based on revenues	3	37.5%	2188	44.0%	2191	44.0%
Bonus based on relative value units	1	12.5%	636	12.8%	637	12.8%
Bonus based on profit	1	12.5%	1289	25.9%	1290	25.9%
Bonus based on number of visits or panel size	1	12.5%	913	18.3%	914	18.3%
Bonus based on quality of care	2	25.0%	717	14.4%	719	14.4%
Bonus based on patient satisfaction	2	25.0%	717	14.4%	719	14.4%
Bonus based on other factors	2	25.0%	402	8.1%	404	8.1%

*Excludes self-employed PAs. Percentages sum to more than 100 because respondents were instructed to mark all that apply.

Table 4.14: Summary Measures of Total Annual Income from Primary Employer for Respondents Who Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job*

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	61	16244	16305
Mean	\$75,504	\$81,150	\$81,129
Standard deviation	\$13,671	\$21,275	\$21,254
10th percentile	\$60,857	\$60,177	\$60,184
25th percentile	\$67,277	\$67,127	\$67,128
Median	\$74,615	\$77,409	\$77,402
75th percentile	\$83,832	\$90,476	\$90,402
90th percentile	\$89,836	\$106,783	\$106,705

*Excludes self-employed PAs.

Table 4.15: Summary Measures of Total Annual Income from Primary Employer for Respondents Who Graduated in 2004 and Work at Least 32 Hours per Week at Primary Clinical Job*

	Addiction Medicine	All Others	Total
Respondents	7	1859	1866
Mean		\$68,123	\$68,116
Standard deviation		\$13,093	\$13,077
10th percentile		\$54,710	\$54,716
25th percentile		\$60,575	\$60,571
Median		\$66,602	\$66,591
75th percentile		\$73,895	\$73,891
90th percentile		\$83,576	\$83,555

*Excludes self-employed PAs.