

Table 1. Practice Status Of Fellow Members*

All States		
Total.....	14106	100.0%
Unknown Status.....	130	.9%
Not Practicing.....	780	5.5%
Full-Time PA.....	11811	83.7%
Part-Time PA.....	1385	9.8%

*Percentages displayed in all tables may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

The statistics in the following tables are based on the responses to the 1995 AAPA Membership Census received from PAs who work in a clinical practice on a full-time or part-time basis.

Table 2. Gender

All States		
Total.....	12860	100.0%
Female.....	6066	47.2%
Male.....	6794	52.8%

Table 3. Race/Ethnicity

All States		
Total.....	12798	100.0%
Asian/Pacific Islander...	246	1.9%
Black (Not Hispanic).....	456	3.6%
Hispanic/Latino Origin...	416	3.3%
Amer Indian/Alaskan.....	122	1.0%
White (Not Hispanic).....	11558	90.3%

Table 4a. Age

All States		
Total.....	12544	100.0%
Under 26 Years.....	228	1.8%
26-30 Years.....	1507	12.0%
31-35 Years.....	2239	17.8%
36-40 Years.....	2602	20.7%
41-45 Years.....	2775	22.1%
46-50 Years.....	2066	16.5%
51-55 Years.....	729	5.8%
56-60 Years.....	250	2.0%
Over 60 Years.....	148	1.2%

Table 4b. Mean & Median Age At The Time Of Census

	All States
TOTAL.....	12544
Mean age.....	40.0
Standard deviation.....	8.2
Median age.....	40.0

Table 5. State

All States		
Total.....	13196	100.0%
Alabama.....	93	.7%
Alaska.....	112	.8%
Arkansas.....	25	.2%
Arizona.....	243	1.8%
California.....	982	7.4%
Colorado.....	298	2.3%
Connecticut.....	294	2.2%
District Of Columbia.....	71	.5%
Delaware.....	33	.3%
Florida.....	705	5.3%
Georgia.....	444	3.4%
Guam.....	7	.1%
Hawaii.....	49	.4%
Iowa.....	200	1.5%
Idaho.....	66	.5%
Illinois.....	225	1.7%
Indiana.....	83	.6%
Kansas.....	177	1.3%
Kentucky.....	157	1.2%
Louisiana.....	65	.5%
Massachusetts.....	337	2.6%
Maryland.....	381	2.9%
Maine.....	186	1.4%
Michigan.....	636	4.8%
Minnesota.....	202	1.5%
Missouri.....	112	.8%
Mississippi.....	12	.1%
Montana.....	64	.5%
North Carolina.....	732	5.5%
North Dakota.....	90	.7%
Nebraska.....	192	1.5%
New Hampshire.....	79	.6%
New Jersey.....	55	.4%
New Mexico.....	149	1.1%
Nevada.....	71	.5%
New York.....	1386	10.5%
Ohio.....	323	2.4%
Oklahoma.....	188	1.4%
Oregon.....	115	.9%
Pennsylvania.....	821	6.2%
Rhode Island.....	51	.4%
South Carolina.....	86	.7%
South Dakota.....	112	.8%
Tennessee.....	171	1.3%
Texas.....	900	6.8%
Utah.....	125	.9%
Vermont.....	49	.4%
Virginia.....	209	1.6%
Washington.....	413	3.1%
West Virginia.....	118	.9%
Wisconsin.....	369	2.8%
Wyoming.....	46	.3%
Other.....	80	.6%
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Table 6. Geographic Region

All States		

Total.....	13108	100.0%
NORTHEAST.....	3291	25.1%
SOUTHEAST.....	3167	24.2%
NORTH-CENTRAL.....	2544	19.4%
SOUTH-CENTRAL.....	1813	13.8%
WEST.....	2293	17.5%

Table 7. Military Status

All States		
Total.....	13096	100.0%
No Military Duty.....	9262	70.7%
Veteran.....	2702	20.6%
Reserves.....	588	4.5%
Active Duty.....	544	4.2%

Table 8a. Years In Clinical Practice As PA

All States		
Total.....	12817	100.0%
Under 1 Year.....	468	3.7%
1-3 Years.....	2877	22.4%
4-6 Years.....	1956	15.3%
7-9 Years.....	1519	11.9%
10-12 Years.....	1834	14.3%
13-15 Years.....	1583	12.4%
16-18 Years.....	1350	10.5%
Over 18 Years.....	1230	9.6%

Table 8b. Mean & Median Years In Clinical Practice As PA

All States	
TOTAL.....	12817
Mean years.....	9.2
Standard deviation.....	6.3
Median years.....	9.0

Table 9. Degree Awarded By PA Program

All States		
Total.....	11733	100.0%
Certificate.....	2892	24.6%
AA Degree.....	1519	12.9%
BA Degree.....	6747	57.5%
MA Degree.....	575	4.9%

Table 10. Type Of Government Employer

All States		
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Total.....	13002	100.0%
Not Govt Employed.....	11121	85.5%
Air Force.....	235	1.8%
Bureau Of Prisions.....	37	.3%
Navy.....	137	1.1%
VA.....	394	3.0%
Public Health Serv.....	122	.9%
Army.....	224	1.7%
Coast Guard.....	17	.1%
National Guard.....	14	.1%
Other Federal Agency.....	82	.6%
State Agency.....	396	3.0%
Local Agency.....	223	1.7%

Table 11. Type Of Employer

All States		
Total.....	12899	100.0%
Clinic.....	1266	9.8%
Group MD Practice.....	3805	29.5%
Solo MD Practice.....	1311	10.2%
HMO.....	876	6.8%
Other Managed Care Org...	158	1.2%
Home Health Agency.....	6	.0%
University Hospital.....	905	7.0%
Hospital (Non-Univ).....	2125	16.5%
Inner City Clinic.....	87	.7%
Military Facility.....	549	4.3%
Corrections Facility.....	154	1.2%
Nursing Home.....	27	.2%
Rural Clinic.....	309	2.4%
Self-Employed.....	137	1.1%
VA Facility.....	379	2.9%
Industrial Facility.....	95	.7%
Academic Facility.....	135	1.0%
PA Program.....	68	.5%
Pub Health Facility.....	124	1.0%
Other Government.....	176	1.4%
Other Clin Setting.....	207	1.6%

Table 12. Population Of Service Area

All States		
Total.....	12923	100.0%
Over 5 Million.....	922	7.1%
1-5 Million.....	1767	13.7%
500,000-999,999.....	1642	12.7%
250,000-499,999.....	1557	12.0%
50,000-249,999.....	2851	22.1%
10,000-49,999.....	2040	15.8%
5,000-9,999.....	908	7.0%
Under 5,000.....	1236	9.6%

Table 13a. Number Of PAs Supervised By Respondent*

All States		
Total.....	1460	100.0%
1.....	501	34.3%
2.....	266	18.2%
3.....	186	12.7%
4-5.....	201	13.8%
6-10.....	229	15.7%
11-15.....	52	3.6%
16-20.....	25	1.7%

Table 13b. Mean & Median Number Of PAs Supervised*

	All States
TOTAL.....	1460
Mean.....	3.7
Standard deviation.....	3.6
Median.....	2.0

*Includes only PAs supervising other PAs.

Table 14. Source Of Malpractice Insurance

All States		
Total.....	12619	100.0%
AAPA/NPG.....	909	7.2%
MaGinnis.....	482	3.8%
McDonough.....	245	1.9%
Rider-Employer Policy....	8238	65.3%
Federal Govt.....	1191	9.4%
No Insurance.....	96	.8%
Dont Know.....	581	4.6%
Other Source.....	877	6.9%

Table 15a. Number Of PA Co-workers*

All States		
Total.....	7716	100.0%
1.....	1834	23.8%
2.....	1202	15.6%
3.....	954	12.4%
4-5.....	1213	15.7%
6-10.....	1055	13.7%
Over 10.....	1458	18.9%

Table 15b. Mean & Median Number Of PA Co-workers*

All States	
TOTAL.....	7716
Mean.....	8.8
Standard deviation....	22.9
Median.....	3.0

*Includes only PAs working with PAs.

Table 16a. Years In Current Position

All States		
Total.....	11623	100.0%
Less Than 1.....	1217	10.5%
1-3.....	5784	49.8%
4-6.....	2168	18.7%
7-9.....	879	7.6%
10-12.....	652	5.6%
13-15.....	441	3.8%
16-18.....	280	2.4%
Over 18.....	202	1.7%

Table 16b. Mean & Median Years In Current Position

All States	

TOTAL.....	11623
Mean years.....	4.2
Standard deviation.....	4.6
Median years.....	2.0

Table 17a. Inpatient Encounters Per Day*

All States		
Total.....	963	100.0%
1-10.....	360	37.4%
11-20.....	406	42.2%
21-30.....	143	14.8%
31-40.....	31	3.2%
Over 40.....	23	2.4%

Table 17b. Mean & Median Inpatient Encounters Per Day*

All States	
TOTAL.....	963
Mean.....	16.0
Standard deviation....	10.5
Median.....	15.0

*Includes PAs reporting some inpatient encounters but no outpatient visits or nursing home encounters.

Table 18a. Outpatient Visits Per Day*

All States		
Total.....	5106	100.0%
1-10.....	559	10.9%
11-20.....	2447	47.9%
21-30.....	1651	32.3%
31-40.....	301	5.9%
Over 40.....	148	2.9%

Table 18b. Mean & Median Outpatient Visits Per Day*

All States	
TOTAL.....	5106
Mean.....	21.3
Standard deviation....	9.8
Median.....	20.0

*Includes PAs reporting some outpatient visits but no inpatient or nursing home encounters.

Table 19a. Outpatient Hours Per Week*

All States		
Total.....	5326	100.0%
1-20.....	509	9.6%
21-30.....	424	8.0%
31-40.....	2829	53.1%
41-50.....	1363	25.6%
Over 50.....	201	3.8%

Table 19b. Mean & Median Outpatient Hours Per Week*

All States	
TOTAL.....	5326
Mean.....	38.0
Standard deviation.....	10.7
Median.....	40.0

*Includes PAs reporting some outpatient hours but no inpatient or nursing home hours.

Table 20a. Inpatient Hours Per Week*

All States		
Total.....	1278	100.0%
1-20.....	68	5.3%
21-30.....	56	4.4%
31-40.....	528	41.3%
41-50.....	455	35.6%
Over 50.....	171	13.4%

Table 20b. Mean & Median Inpatient Hours Per Week*

All States	
TOTAL.....	1278
Mean.....	42.9
Standard deviation.....	10.9
Median.....	40.0

*Includes PAs reporting some inpatient hours but no outpatient or nursing home hours.

Table 21a. On-call Hours Per Week*

All States		
Total.....	11769	100.0%
None.....	7676	65.2%
1-20.....	2008	17.1%
21-30.....	765	6.5%
31-40.....	433	3.7%
41-50.....	322	2.7%
51-60.....	142	1.2%
Over 60.....	423	3.6%

Table 21b. Mean & Median On-call Hours Per Week*

All States	
TOTAL.....	4093
Mean.....	28.7
Standard deviation.....	24.5
Median.....	24.0

*Includes only PAs taking call.

Table 22. Post-Graduate Residency Area

All States		
Total.....	12996	100.0%
None.....	12220	94.0%
Emergency.....	143	1.1%
Gynecology.....	13	.1%
Occupational Health.....	28	.2%
Rural Primary Care.....	25	.2%
Geriatrics.....	11	.1%
Neonatology.....	12	.1%
Pediatrics.....	33	.3%
Surgery.....	362	2.8%
Other.....	149	1.1%

Table 23a. General Practice Specialty

All States		
Total.....	13023	100.0%
Family/General Medicine..	4837	37.1%
General Internal Medicine	999	7.7%
Emergency Medicine.....	1097	8.4%
General Pediatrics.....	323	2.5%
General Surgery.....	362	2.8%
I.M. Specialties.....	969	7.4%
Pediatric Specialties....	244	1.9%

Surgical Specialties.....	2490	19.1%
OB/GYN.....	383	2.9%
Industrial/Occ. Medicine.	409	3.1%
Other.....	910	7.0%

Table 23b. Practice Specialty

All States		

Total.....	13023	100.0%
Allergy.....	29	.2%
Anesthesiology.....	17	.1%
Dermatology.....	48	.4%
Emergency Med.....	1097	8.4%
Family/General Med.....	4837	37.1%
Geriatrics.....	122	.9%
Industrial/Occ. Med.....	409	3.1%
Ob/Gyn.....	383	2.9%
Ophthalmology.....	24	.2%
Otolaryngology.....	46	.4%
Pathology.....	1	.0%
Physical Med/Rehab.....	125	1.0%
Psychiatry.....	100	.8%
Pub. Health/Prevent Med..	42	.3%
Radiology.....	17	.1%
Substance Abuse.....	72	.6%
General Internal Med (Im)	999	7.7%
Im:Cardiovascular.....	299	2.3%
Im:Critical Care.....	36	.3%
Im:Endocrinology.....	24	.2%
Im:Hematology.....	31	.2%
Im:Immunology.....	52	.4%
Im:Infectious Disease....	79	.6%
Im:Nephrology.....	64	.5%
Im:Neurology.....	46	.4%
Im:Oncology.....	123	.9%
Im:Pulmonary.....	21	.2%
Im:Rheumatology.....	9	.1%
Im:Other.....	102	.8%
Im:Mult Subspecialty....	83	.6%
Gen Pediatrics (Ped).....	323	2.5%
Ped:Adolescent Med.....	42	.3%
Ped:Allergy.....	8	.1%
Ped:Cardiology.....	19	.1%
Ped:Critical Care.....	5	.0%
Ped:Endocrinology.....	3	.0%
Ped:Gastroenterology....	4	.0%
Ped:Hema/Oncology.....	21	.2%
Ped:Infectious Dis.....	6	.0%
Ped:Neo-Perinatal.....	48	.4%
Ped:Nephrology.....	2	.0%
Ped:Neurology.....	12	.1%
Ped:Pulmonology.....	15	.1%
Ped:Rheumatology.....	2	.0%
Ped:Other.....	36	.3%
Ped:Mult Subspecialty....	21	.2%
General Surgery (Surg)...	362	2.8%
Surg:Cardiovascular.....	638	4.9%
Surg:Colon/Rectal.....	7	.1%
Surg:Hand.....	20	.2%
Surg:Neurological.....	189	1.5%
Surg:Transplant.....	30	.2%
Orthopedics.....	952	7.3%
Surg:Otorhinolaryngology.	44	.3%
Surg:Pediatric.....	9	.1%
Surg:Plastic.....	68	.5%
Surg:Thoracic.....	15	.1%
Surg:Traumatic.....	26	.2%
Surg:Urological.....	117	.9%
Surg:Vascular.....	51	.4%

Surg:Other.....	158	1.2%
Surg:Mult Subspecialties.	166	1.3%
Mult General Specialties.	96	.7%
Other.....	171	1.3%

Table 24. Income Type*

All States		
Total.....	11100	100.0%
Salary.....	7351	66.2%
Salary & Revenue Sharing.....	946	8.5%
Salary & Bonus.....	2485	22.4%
Partnership.....	64	.6%
Self Employed.....	254	2.3%

*Active duty military PAs excluded.

Table 25a. Annual Income*

All States		
Total.....	11067	100.0%
Under \$20,000.....	51	.5%
\$20-24,999.....	11	.1%
\$25-29,999.....	26	.2%
\$30-34,999.....	86	.8%
\$35-39,999.....	342	3.1%
\$40-44,999.....	1057	9.6%
\$45-49,999.....	1475	13.3%
\$50-54,999.....	1938	17.5%
\$55-59,999.....	1405	12.7%
\$60-64,999.....	1327	12.0%
\$65-69,999.....	804	7.3%
\$70-74,999.....	712	6.4%
\$75-79,999.....	440	4.0%
\$80-84,999.....	410	3.7%
\$85-89,999.....	241	2.2%
\$90-94,999.....	181	1.6%
\$95-99,999.....	139	1.3%
\$100-104,999.....	145	1.3%
\$105-109,999.....	62	.6%
\$110-114,999.....	42	.4%
\$115-119,999.....	33	.3%
\$120-150,000.....	101	.9%
Over \$150,000.....	39	.4%

Table 25b. Summary Measures Of Annual Income*

All States	
TOTAL.....	11067
Mean.....	\$60,993
Standard deviation.....	18253.0
10th percentile.....	\$43,066
25th percentile.....	\$49,168
Median.....	\$57,050
75th percentile.....	\$68,558
90th percentile.....	\$83,394

*Active duty military PAs & part-time PAs excluded.

Table 26. Income Type For PAs Graduating In/After 1994*

All States		
Total.....	968	100.0%
Salary.....	646	66.7%
Salary & Revenue Sharing.	92	9.5%
Salary & Bonus.....	212	21.9%
Partnership.....	2	.2%
Self Employed.....	16	1.7%

*Active duty military PAs excluded.

Table 27a. Annual Income For PAs Graduating In/After 1994*

All States		
Total.....	968	100.0%
Under \$20,000.....	4	.4%
\$20-24,999.....	2	.2%
\$25-29,999.....	3	.3%
\$30-34,999.....	16	1.7%
\$35-39,999.....	63	6.5%
\$40-44,999.....	213	22.0%
\$45-49,999.....	230	23.8%
\$50-54,999.....	193	19.9%
\$55-59,999.....	104	10.7%
\$60-64,999.....	71	7.3%
\$65-69,999.....	27	2.8%
\$70-74,999.....	13	1.3%
\$75-79,999.....	5	.5%
\$80-84,999.....	10	1.0%
\$85-89,999.....	2	.2%
\$90-94,999.....	6	.6%
\$100-104,999.....	3	.3%
\$110-114,999.....	2	.2%
Over \$150,000.....	1	.1%

Table 27b. Summary Measures Of Income For PAs Graduating In/After 1994*

All States	
TOTAL.....	968
Mean income.....	\$50,728
Standard deviation.....	11412.5
10th percentile.....	\$40,370
25th percentile.....	\$43,734
Median income.....	\$48,967
75th percentile.....	\$55,157
90th percentile.....	\$63,506

*Active duty military PAs & part-time PAs excluded.