SB 423: Montana Marijuana Act Registry Statistics

as of July 31, 2015

Statistics maintained by the Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) provide the following information about individuals registered as of July 31, 2015, 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	7/31/2015	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	7/31/2015	
Under 18	54	1	2	0.17%	0.01%	0.02%	
18-20	1,238	81	241	3.93%	1.14%	1.96%	
21-30	7,885	967	1,968	25.01%	13.62%	16.06%	
31-40	6,504	1,380	2,436	20.63%	19.43%	19.88%	
41-50	6,010	1,414	2,064	19.07%	19.91%	16.84%	
51-60	7,024	2,110	3,088	22.28%	29.72%	25.20%	
61-70	2,378	1,017	2,082	7.54%	14.32%	16.99%	
71-80	335	111	309	1.06%	1.56%	2.52%	
81-90	81	17	51	0.26%	0.23%	0.41%	
Over 90	13	1	10	0.04%	0.01%	0.08%	
Total	31,522	7,099	12,251	100%	100%	100%	

Registered Cardholders by Medical Condition

Debilitating Medical Condition	Number of Cardholders				
** Newly specified in SB 423	5/31/2011	5/31/2013	7/31/2015		
Admittance Into Hospice Care**		3	17		
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	946	405	562		
Cancer, Glaucoma, or HIV (AIDS)	1,023	449	804		
Central Nervous System Disorder with Spasticity**		571	1,144		
Crohn's Disease**		80	132		
Multiple Sclerosis	39	118	195		
Epilepsy/Intractable Seizure Disorder**		207	354		
Painful peripheral neuropathy**		755	1,578		
Intractable nausea or vomiting**		908	1,290		
Seizures	355				
Severe Nausea	727				
Severe or Chronic Pain	23,015	4,503	7,668		
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		
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Number of Patients Per Caregiver and Certifying Physician, 2010

Number of Patients	Number of	Caregivers	Number of Physicians		
	3/31/2010	6/3020/10	3/31/2010	6/3020/10	
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		oviders	# of Physicians		
	5/31/2011 7/31/2015		5/31/2011	7/31/2015	
1	2,254	78	104	90	
2	670	34	51	35	
3	364	41	21	21	
4	251	25	26	15	
5	175	25	23	7	
6	95	18	13	13	
7	99	22	11	7	
8	72	11	9	3	
9	64	12	8	2	
10	61	12	8	4	
11 to 20	269	63	27	6	
21 to 30	99	29	13	4	
31 to 40	41	18	4	2	
41 to 50	27	12	6	0	
51 to 60	23	11	2	1	
61 to 70	18	6	1	0	
71 to 80	14	4	2	2	
81 to 90	9	9	0	0	
91 to 100	10	5	0	0	
More than 100	35	17	33	9	
Total	4,650	452	362	221	

Registered Providers and Cardholders by County

County	Providers		Cardholders		Population	Cardholders as % of Population	
	5/31/2011	7/31/2015	5/31/2011	7/31/2015	(2012 estimate)	5/31/2011	7/31/2015
Beaverhead	19	3	241	174	9,346	2.71%	1.86%
Big Horn	16	0	263	49	13,061	2.05%	0.38%
Blaine	5	0	93	34	6,683	1.43%	0.51%
Broadwater	36	2	171	54	5,756	3.64%	0.94%
Carbon	46	11	284	105	10,127	2.94%	1.04%
Carter	0	0	3	1	1,177	0.24%	0.08%
Cascade	240	10	1,614	402	81,723	1.97%	0.49%
Chouteau	7	0	61	19	5,904	1.17%	0.32%
Custer	24	1	311	135	11,888	2.79%	1.14%
Daniels	1	0	12	11	1,786	0.73%	0.62%
Dawson	19	1	111	38	9,249	1.31%	0.41%
Deer Lodge	14	2	301	186	9,227	3.40%	2.02%
Fallon	0	0	20	9	3,024	0.74%	0.30%
Fergus	38	0	187	51	11,435	1.67%	0.45%
Flathead	680	65	3,671	1,478	91,633	4.15%	1.61%
Gallatin	647	108	4,196	2,564	92,614	4.67%	2.77%
Garfield	1	0	10	5	1,261	0.84%	0.40%
Glacier	5	0	165	95	13,711	1.24%	0.69%
Golden Valley	1	0	23	10	839	2.13%	1.19%
Granite	12	0	61	30	3,109	2.16%	0.96%
Hill	33	3	417	130	16,366	2.53%	0.79%
Jefferson	40	2	355	177	11,401	3.15%	1.55%
Judith Basin	5	0	13	6	2,024	0.65%	0.30%
Lake	110	3	694	223	28,986	2.42%	0.77%
Lewis and Clark	270	36	2,257	806	64,876	3.70%	1.24%
Liberty	4	0	15	6	2,392	0.87%	0.25%
Lincoln	158	15	699	288	19,491	3.68%	1.48%
Madison	52	9	401	298	7,733	5.34%	3.85%
McCone	2	0	6	0	1,701	0.36%	0.00%
Meagher	4	0	54	26	1,924	2.89%	1.35%
Mineral	42	2	252	71	4,167	6.53%	1.70%

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	5/31/2011	7/31/2015	5/31/2011	7/31/2015		5/31/2011	7/31/2015
Missoula	704	54	4,531	1,057	110,977	4.22%	0.95%
Musselshell	20	4	154	80	4,665	3.42%	1.71%
Park	184	21	834	406	15,567	5.15%	2.61%
Petroleum	3	0	11	2	511	2.52%	0.39%
Phillips	7	1	53	24	4,128	1.36%	0.58%
Pondera	19	0	80	31	6,165	1.37%	0.50%
Powder River	0	0	18	4	1,763	1.06%	0.23%
Powell	30	3	194	82	7,096	2.76%	1.16%
Prairie	2	0	10	12	1,157	0.94%	1.04%
Ravalli	329	18	1,667	505	40,617	4.10%	1.24%
Richland	10	0	223	34	10,810	2.41%	0.31%
Roosevelt	6	0	95	59	10,927	0.94%	0.54%
Rosebud	10	0	257	40	9,396	2.80%	0.43%
Sanders	87	7	386	169	11,408	3.50%	1.48%
Sheridan	8	1	76	55	3,580	2.31%	1.54%
Silver Bow	124	24	1,354	840	34,403	4.13%	2.44%
Stillwater	20	1	146	57	9,195	1.68%	0.62%
Sweet Grass	9	2	75	37	3,605	1.98%	1.03%
Teton	13	0	91	21	6,053	1.52%	0.35%
Toole	6	0	65	14	5,220	1.26%	0.27%
Treasure	1	0	14	2	736	2.20%	0.27%
Valley	19	1	109	64	7,505	1.58%	0.85%
Wheatland	4	1	33	12	2,104	1.64%	0.57%
Wibaux	1	0	8	2	1,057	0.92%	0.19%
Yellowstone	503	41	3,887	1,161	151,882	2.73%	0.76%
Total	4,650	452	31,332	12,251	1,005,141	3.24%	1.22%