

**North Carolina Board of Pharmacy
Census of Registrants
Fiscal Year 2009**

PHARMACISTS

Total number of active pharmacists licensed as of September 30, 2009	12,526
Total number of active pharmacists residing in North Carolina	9,764
Inactive pharmacists residing in North Carolina	1,683
Total number of active pharmacists residing outside of North Carolina	2,762
Total number of deceased in FY 2009	11

Breakdown of Employment Settings In-state

Retail Pharmacy - Chain	3,286
Retail Pharmacy - Independent	1,407
Hospital Pharmacies	2,117
Nursing Homes	114
Government, Health Departments and Teaching	177
Pharmaceutical Manufacturing and Wholesale Sales	131
Other	1,207
Sales and Research	112
Unknown Position	1,212

Age and Gender of Active Pharmacists in North Carolina

Under 30 years of age	1,239
30 - 39 years of age	2,837
40 - 49 years of age	2,321
50 - 59 years of age	1,924
60 - 65 years of age	723
Over 65 years of age	720
In-state Pharmacists - Female	5,428
In-state Pharmacists - Male	4,336

PHARMACIES

Total in-state Pharmacy permits on roster as of September 30, 2009	2,461
Retail Pharmacy - Chain	1,199
Retail Pharmacy - Independent	622
Hospital Pharmacies	180
Nursing Homes	38
Health Departments	91
Free Clinics	37
IV Infusion	41
Auto Dispensing Systems	34
Others	219
Total out-of-state Pharmacy permits on roster as of September 30, 2009	374

DEVICE AND MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Total DME permits on roster as of September 30, 2009	763
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DISPENSING PHYSICIANS

Total Physicians registered to dispense as of September 30, 2009	808
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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS AND NURSE PRACTITIONERS

Total PA's and NP's registered to dispense as of September 30, 2009	234
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PHARMACY TECHNICIANS

Total Pharmacy Technicians registered as of September 30, 2009	13,890
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