

CLIA UPDATE – July 2019

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Total # Labs:	261,979	259,967	255,170	254,975	249,094	244,564	232,996	225,746	221,793	214,875	206,940
Total in non-exempt states:	252,567	251,009	246,429	246,650	241,031	236,882	225,879	218,944	215,057	208,560	200,675
Total # POLS:	121,404	122,131	121,973	120,919	119,461	118,837	116,634	114,461	113,124	110,925	108,234

Non Exempt by Application Type **

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Compliance:	17,807	17,967	18,143	18,385	18,695	18,959	19,354	19,319	19,404	19,178	19,412
Waiver:	187,403	184,298	178,493	177,016	170,404	165,058	153,568	146,071	141,994	134,778	126,219
PPM:	31,490	32,670	33,439	34,808	35,604	36,784	37,299	37,767	37,795	38,509	38,783
Accreditation:	15,867	16,074	16,354	16,441	16,328	16,081	15,658	15,787	15,864	16,095	16,261

POLs by Application Type

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Compliance:	11,171	11,296	11,474	11,721	12,083	12,339	12,597	12,619	12,685	12,517	12,696
Waiver:	78,320	77,857	76,655	75,964	73,314	71,351	66,903	64,202	62,695	59,790	56,291
PPM:	24,470	25,593	26,272	27,467	28,177	29,289	29,875	30,312	30,392	31,174	31,614
Accreditation:	5,107	5,253	5,525	5,767	5,887	5,858	5,704	5825	5,843	6,040	6,168

Accredited Labs***

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
COLA:	6,409	6,510	6,628	6,614	6,657	6,612	6,463	6,623	6,796	7,057	6,348
CAP:	6,385	6,364	6,323	6,237	6,169	5,968	5,728	5,602	5,580	5,476	5,448
Joint Commission:	2,065	2,136	2,155	2,209	2,278	2,347	2,380	2,431	2,458	2,580	2,730
AOA:	134	129	126	129	130	130	128	110	107	77	81
AABB:	192	200	206	206	216	225	218	219	215	203	211
ASHI:	112	112	111	110	110	121	122	124	130	125	125
A2LA:	5	3	3	1	1						

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	1996	1995	1994*	1993
Total # Labs:	157,002	152,434	150,143	154,740
Total in non-exempt states:	149,055	145,124	144,079	152,250
Total # POLS:	87,832	82,907	89,344	90,800

Non Exempt by Application Type **

	1996	1995	1994*	1993
Compliance:	37,126	37,578	40,384	44,762
Waiver:	68,127	65,031	66,235	67,294
PPM:	25,327	23,089	18,101	16,443
Accreditation:	18,475	19,426	19,359	23,751

POLs by Application Type

	1996	1995	1994*	1993
Compliance:	26,247	25,286	NA	NA
Waiver:	30,267	28,951	NA	NA
PPM:	23,399	19,818	NA	NA
Accreditation:	7,919	8,852	NA	NA

Accredited Labs***

	1996	1995	1994*	1993
COLA:	7,870	7,528	NA	NA
CAP:	4,139	4,933	NA	NA
Joint Commission:	7,161	6,455	NA	NA
AOA:	53	161	NA	NA
AABB:	1,716	2,008	NA	NA
ASHI:	185	179	NA	NA
A2LA:				

NA = Not available

* In the 4th quarter of 1994, CMS either deleted or terminated about 6,400 CLIA numbers because of laboratories' failure to pay CLIA certificate fees.

** Proportion of labs by certificate type has changed over time due to new technology, third party payments, increase in number and type of waived and PPM tests and other influences from a dynamic health care environment.

*** Accredited total By Application Type differs from Accredited Laboratory breakdown since some laboratories are accredited by more than one accreditation organization. The number of labs enrolled in each accreditation organization changed over time as duplicate enrollments were identified and eliminated.