

CLIA UPDATE - January 2018
Division of Clinical Laboratory and Quality
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

	1993	1994*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total # Labs	154,740	150,143	152,434	157,002	157,607	164,570	169,558	169,531
Total in non-exempt states	152,250	144,079	145,124	149,055	150,229	158,412	162,044	163,764
Total # POLs	90,800	89,344	82,907	87,832	88,028	91,600	93,867	95,069

Non Exempt By Application Type**								
	1993	1994*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Compliance	44,762	40,384	37,578	37,126	31,040	30,546	26,045	25,068
Waiver	67,294	66,235	65,031	68,127	74,455	78,825	84,217	85,944
PPM	16,443	18,101	23,089	25,327	28,931	31,546	34,782	35,760
Accreditation	23,751	19,359	19,426	18,475	15,803	17,495	17,000	16,992

POLs by Application Type								
	1993	1994*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Compliance	NA	NA	25,286	26,247	22,908	19,641	17,703	16,924
Waiver	NA	NA	28,951	30,267	32,497	36,950	39,633	40,990
PPM	NA	NA	19,818	23,399	25,987	27,831	29,501	30,210
Accreditation	NA	NA	8,852	7,919	6,636	7,178	7,030	6,945

Accredited Labs***								
	1993	1994*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
COLA	NA	NA	7,528	7,870	6,836	7,334	6,773	6,618
CAP	NA	NA	4,933	4,139	4,241	4,251	4,352	4,540
JCAHO	NA	NA	6,455	7,161	6,166	6,481	4,384	4,416
AOA	NA	NA	161	53	48	60	52	56
AABB	NA	NA	2,008	1,716	1,635	1,666	1,632	550
ASHI	NA	NA	179	185	120	125	117	118

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total # Labs	170996	174,504	183,874	186,734	194,734	198,232	203,939	206,940	214,875
Total in non-exempt states	165229	169,005	177,615	180,447	188,741	192,215	197,843	200,675	208,560
Total # POLs	95,879	97,363	101,090	104,230	105,914	106,180	107,937	108,234	110,925

Non Exempt By Application Type**									
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Compliance	22,757	21,809	20,832	20,758	20,480	20,026	19,695	19,412	19,178
Waiver	88,730	93,129	102,123	105,138	113,445	117,418	122,992	126,219	134,778
PPM	36,850	37,755	38,849	38,884	39,209	38,814	39,014	38,783	38,509
Accreditation	16,892	16,312	15,811	15,667	15,607	15,957	16,142	16,261	16,095

POLs by Application Type									
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Compliance	15,255	14,522	13,742	13,718	13,545	13,184	12,926	12,696	12,517
Waiver	42,793	44,891	49,044	50,088	52,632	53,628	55,477	56,291	59,790
PPM	30,959	31,590	32,332	32,248	32,388	31,862	31,934	31,614	31,174
Accreditation	6,872	6,360	5,972	5,874	5,844	6,032	6,128	6,168	6,040

Accredited Labs***									
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
COLA	6,881	6,335	6,218	6,179	6,256	6,289	6,465	6,348	7,057
CAP	4,547	4,583	4,872	5,179	5,229	5,385	5,386	5,448	5,476
Joint Commission	4,471	4,397	3,797	3,467	3,127	2,928	2,753	2,730	2,580
AOA	53	49	43	34	49	62	73	81	77
AABB	219	214	221	223	219	218	214	211	203
ASHI	125	119	126	124	128	132	127	125	125

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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Total # Labs	221,793	225,746	232,996	244,564	249,094		255,170	259,967	
Total in non-exempt states	215,057	218,944	225,879	236,882	241,031	246,650	246,429	251,009	
Total # POLs	113,124	114,461	116,634	118,837	119,461	120,919	121,973	122,131	

Non Exempt By Application Type**									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Compliance	19,404	19,319	19,354	18,959	18,695	18,385	18,143	17,967	
Waiver	141,994	146,071	153,568	165,058	170,404	177,016	178,493	184,298	
PPM	37,795	37,767	37,299	36,784	35,604	34,808	33,439	32,670	
Accreditation	15,864	15,787	15,658	16,081	16,328	16,441	16,354	16,074	

POLs by Application Type									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Compliance	12,685	12,619	12,597	12,339	12,083	11,721	11,474	11,296	
Waiver	62,695	64,202	66,903	71,351	73,314	75,964	76,655	77,857	
PPM	30,392	30,312	29,875	29,289	28,177	27,467	26,272	25,593	
Accreditation	5,843	5,825	5,704	5,858	5,887	5,767	5,525	5,253	

Accredited Labs***									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
COLA	6,796	6,623	6,463	6,612	6,657	6,614	6,628	6,510	
CAP	5,580	5,602	5,728	5,968	6,169	6,237	6,323	6,364	
Joint Commission	2,458	2,431	2,380	2,347	2,278	2,209	2,155	2,136	
AOA	107	110	128	130	130	129	126	129	
AABB	215	219	218	225	216	206	206	200	
ASHI	130	124	122	121	110	110	111	112	
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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