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## 1. Count of Patients, Caregivers, and Growers and Growsites<sup>1</sup>

	Patients	Caregivers	Growers	Growsites
Mailing Address in OR	68,570	34,482	45,234	35,765
Mailing Address outside OR	1,569	582	551	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,139</b>	<b>35,064</b>	<b>45,785</b>	<b>35,765</b>

## 2. Count of Patients, Caregivers, Growers and Growsites in Oregon by County, and Outside Oregon<sup>1</sup>

	Patients	Caregivers	Growers	Growsites
BAKER	256	135	173	152
BENTON	1068	528	691	549
CLACKAMAS	5008	2763	3456	2901
CLATSOP	667	315	446	380
COLUMBIA	939	511	713	573
COOS	1645	819	1281	963
CROOK	386	229	277	220
CURRY	870	405	570	471
DESCHUTES	3491	1923	2308	1830
DOUGLAS	2386	1231	1804	1421
GRANT	105	59	81	69
HARNEY	106	57	71	63
HOOD RIVER	317	167	237	196
JACKSON	7962	3293	5184	3240
JEFFERSON	358	192	252	231
JOSEPHINE	5160	1892	3945	2482
KLAMATH	1228	590	912	765
LAKE	128	73	82	89
LANE	7577	3525	4978	4134
LINCOLN	1258	582	770	662
LINN	2021	1133	1383	1077
MALHEUR	519	285	376	305
MARION	3860	2248	2563	2055
MORROW	67	< 50	52	< 50
MULTNOMAH	12014	6243	7423	5967
POLK	1062	623	756	583
TILLAMOOK	558	236	385	325
UMATILLA	614	352	427	351
UNION	376	216	263	223
WALLOWA	139	55	88	73
WASCO	440	273	323	292
WASHINGTON	4737	2801	2912	2362
YAMHILL	1180	650	817	664
Combined total for GILLIAM, SHERMAN, & WHEELER	68	< 50	51	< 50
Outside of Oregon	793	309	324	N/A

### 3. Count of Patients, Caregivers, and Growers Outside of Oregon by State

State	Patients	Caregivers	Growers
AK	15	2	5
AL	4	0	1
AR	3	1	1
AZ	26	14	9
CA	273	40	176
CO	15	6	4
CT	2	1	0
DC	1	1	0
FL	31	10	4
GA	10	6	1
HI	9	3	2
IA	3	3	2
ID	216	83	79
IL	15	8	4
IN	7	4	0
KS	0	1	0
KY	6	3	4
LA	4	2	0
MA	3	1	2
MD	6	1	2
ME	0	1	0
MI	1	2	0
MN	10	5	2

State	Patients	Caregivers	Growers
MO	7	3	4
MS	1	0	0
MT	10	5	1
NC	12	7	1
NE	3	0	2
NH	2	0	0
NJ	10	5	5
NM	4	1	0
NV	18	12	6
NY	23	13	1
OH	13	4	1
OK	4	1	0
PA	24	6	2
RI	1	1	0
SC	11	4	5
SD	1	0	0
TN	8	1	2
TX	32	17	6
UT	16	9	4
VA	10	4	2
WA	676	284	196
WI	22	6	14
WY	1	1	1

### 4. Percentage of Patients, Caregivers and Growers by Gender

	Patients	Caregivers	Growers
Male	60%	55%	68%
Female	40%	45%	32%

**5. Percentage of Patients by Age Range** (not all are 5-year increments)

Patient Age Range	Percentage
0 - 17	0.3%
18 - 19	0.8%
20 - 24	5.0%
25 - 29	8.0%
30 - 34	10.3%
35 - 39	10.0%
40 - 44	8.5%
45 - 49	8.5%

Patient Age Range	Percentage
50 - 54	10.8%
55 - 59	12.7%
60 - 64	12.2%
65 - 69	7.9%
70 - 74	3.1%
75 - 79	1.2%
80 +	0.7%

**6. Count of Patients by Age:**

Patient Age	Count
0 - 17	214
18	182
19	378
20	527
21	629
22	650
23	841
24	909
25	954
26	1084
27	1086
28	1224
29	1376
30	1353
31	1424
32	1483
33	1576
34	1519
35	1581
36	1460
37	1430
38	1383
39	1328
40	1207
41	1162
42	1149
43	1236
44	1346
45	1245
46	1222
47	1176
48	1209

Patient Age	Count
49	1271
50	1367
51	1431
52	1554
53	1675
54	1719
55	1767
56	1726
57	1866
58	1922
59	1850
60	1818
61	1821
62	1823
63	1669
64	1617
65	1458
66	1341
67	1251
68	968
69	677
70	611
71	522
72	448
73	342
74	280
75	233
76	212
77	150
78	126
79	104
80 +	526

## 7. Count of Patients by Condition and Percentage of Patients Reporting the Condition<sup>2</sup>

Condition	Count of Reporting Patients	Percentage of Reporting Patients
Severe Pain	64,816	92.4%
Spasms	17,916	25.5%
Nausea	9,471	13.5%
Cancer	3,666	5.2%
Seizures	1,828	2.6%
Cachexia	1,144	1.6%
HIV/AIDS	762	1.1%
Glaucoma	1,090	1.6%
Agitation related to Alzheimer's disease	79	0.1%
PTSD	3,563	5.1%

## 8. Minor Patient Demographics<sup>2</sup>

Minor Patient Age Range	Count
0 – 10	74
11 – 17	140

Minor Patient Mailing Address	Count
Oregon	197
Outside Oregon	17

Condition	Count of Reporting Minor Patients	Percentage of Reporting Minor Patients
Severe Pain	101	47.2%
Spasms	34	15.9%
Nausea	35	16.4%
Cancer	27	12.6%
Seizures	82	38.3%
Cachexia	11	5.1%
Glaucoma, HIV/AIDSs, and Agitation related to Alzheimer's disease	< 10	N/A
PTSD	14	6.5%

## 9. Count of Caregivers with Multiple Patients<sup>3</sup>

Caregivers per	Patient
33,170	1
1,399	2
348	3
111	4
57	5
37	6
22	7
18	8
6	9
13	10
5	11
5	12
3	13
2	14
2	15
1	16
3	17
2	18
1	19
1	22
1	27
1	33
1	36
1	44
1	51
1	59

The way to read the caregivers-per-patient statistic is, “There are 33,170 caregivers with one patient each, 1,399 caregivers with two patients each ... there is one caregiver with 51 patients, and one caregiver with 59 patients.”

## 10. Count of Growers with Multiple Patients<sup>3</sup>

An individual grower can grow for a maximum of 4 patients concurrently.

Growers per	Patient
36,818	1
4,941	2
2,715	3
1,794	4

The way to read the growers-per-patient statistic is, “There are 36,818 growers growing for one patient each, 4,941 growers growing for two patients each, 2,715 growers growing for three patients each, and 1,794 growers growing for four patients each.”



### 11. Count of Patients per Growsite Address<sup>3</sup>

Patients per	Growsite Address
1	24,709
2	5,552
3	2,287
4	1,272
5	605
6	412
7	292
8	232
9	112
10	105
11	67
12	47
13	33
14	35
15	24
16	13
17	11
18	8
19	3
20	4
22	5
23	2
25	1
27	3
28	2
30	1
31	1
38	1
45	1
47	1
50	1
53	1
55	1
104	1
8,461	No Growsite Designated

The way to read the patients-per-growsite-address statistic is, “There are 24,709 growsite addresses with one registered patient, there are 5,552 growsite addresses with two registered patients ... there is one growsite address with 55 registered patients, and there is one growsite address with 104 registered patients. There are 8,461 patients with no growsite designated.”

## 12. Physicians Currently Associated with OMMP Registrations

On 01/14/2015, there were **1,657** physicians associated with protected OMMP registrations.

## 13. Physician Count and Percentage by OMMP Registration Range

Registration Range Count	Registration Count in Range	Physicians
1 - 450	16,128	1,634
> 450	55,536	23

The way to read the physician count statistic is, “There are 1,634 physicians who are currently associated with between 1 and 450 OMMP registrations, and account for 16,128 total registrations. There are 23 physicians currently associated with 450 or more OMMP registrations, and account for 55,536 total registrations.”

## 14. Top 10 Physicians Currently Associated with OMMP Registrations

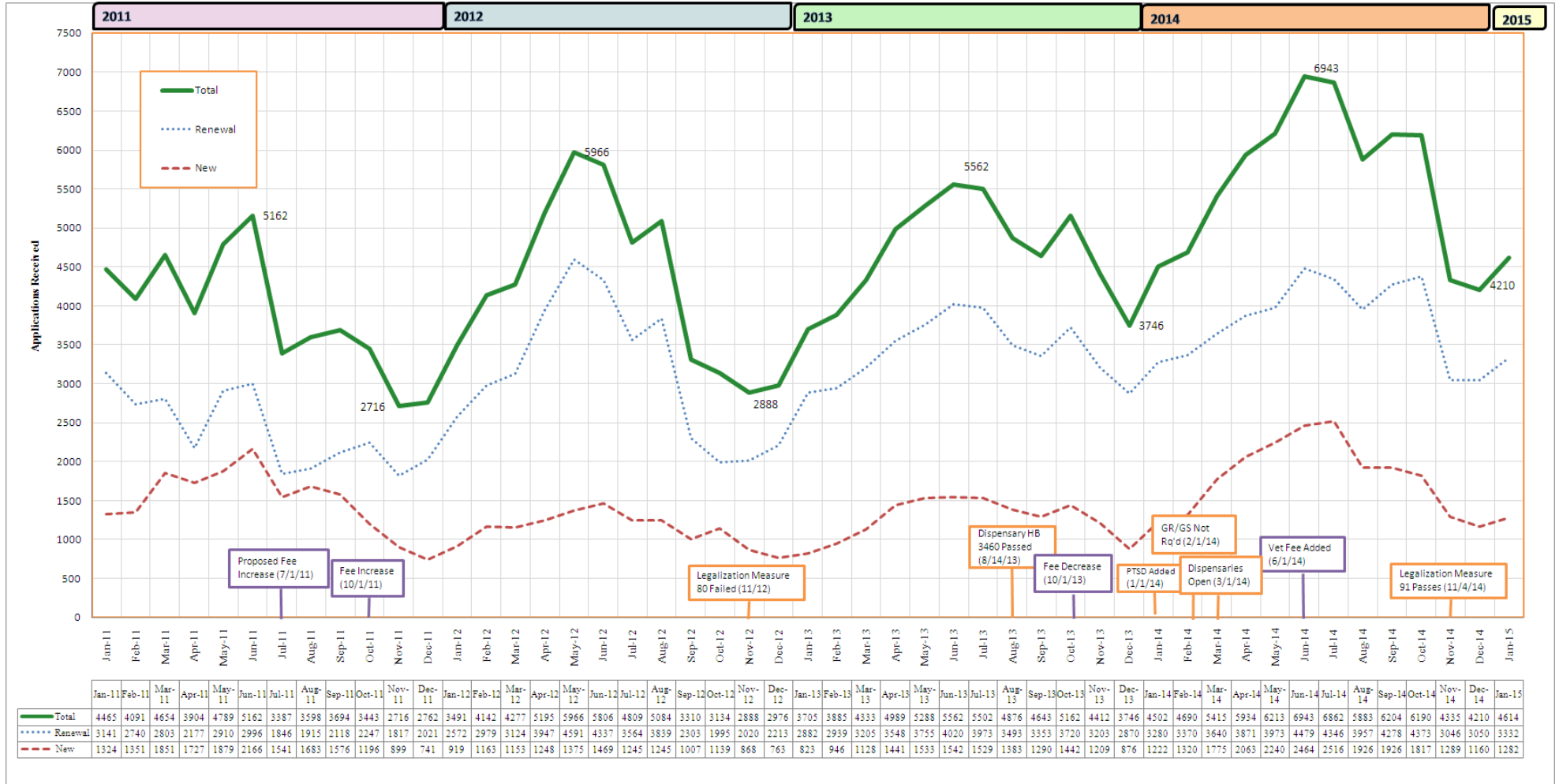
Below is a count of the 10 physicians currently associated with the largest number of registrations. Counts may include duplicates if one patient has both currently issued cards and a pending renewal:

Shanjeev Sharma, MD	7,573
Shaun Hedmann, MD	5,978
Kevin Baiko, MD	5,600
Aubyn Marath MD	3,299
Brian Dossey MD	3,230
Sandra Camacho-Otero MD	3,117
Jack Kyman, MD	2,957
Stephen McLennon, MD	2,821
Glen Patrizio, MD	2,593
Thomas Orvald, MD	2,233

## 15. Percentage of Reduced Fee Eligibility Trend by Year<sup>4</sup>

	No Reduced Fee Eligibility	SNAP	OHP	SSI	VET
2012	59.6%	31.5%	2.5%	6.4%	N/A
2013	61.4%	27.6%	4.5%	6.5%	N/A
2014	56.1%	14.4%	22.5%	6.5%	0.5%

## 16. Applications Received Trend by Year



## Notes:

<sup>1</sup> Participant counts are based on unique combinations of person, role (patient, caregiver, grower) and mailing address county. If one person is the caregiver for 3 patients and has a mailing county of Multnomah on all 3 patient applications, he or she would be counted once as a caregiver in Multnomah County. If one person is a caregiver for 3 patients and has Multnomah as his or her mailing address on 1 patient application, and Clackamas on the other 2 patient applications, he or she would be counted once as a caregiver in Multnomah County, and once as a caregiver in Clackamas County.

Growsite address counts are based on unique addresses (street address and county). If one address is designated as the growsite for 3 patients, it will be counted once.

<sup>2</sup> Conditions are not mutually exclusive; one patient may report one or more conditions.

<sup>3</sup> Patient per caregiver, grower, and growsite counts are based on the total number of individuals in a role (caregiver, grower), or the total number of addresses, regardless of if it the same individual or address. If one person is the caregiver for 3 patients he or she would be counted 3 times.

<sup>4</sup> OMMP application fee types and current amounts are as follows:

- “No Reduced Fee”: No reduced fee proof is submitted with the application. Fee is **\$200**.
- “SNAP”: Acceptable Oregon Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program proof is submitted with the application. Fee is **\$60**.
- “OHP”: Acceptable Oregon Health Plan proof is submitted with the application. Fee is **\$50**.
- “SSI”: Acceptable Supplemental Security Income proof is submitted with the application. Fee is **\$20**.
- “VET”: Acceptable proof of either service connected compensation from the Veteran’s Administration (“VA”) base on a finding of 100% service connected disability or receipt of a needs-based pension from the VA as described in OAR 333-008-0020 is submitted with the application. Fee is **\$20**.

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