

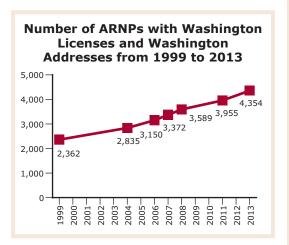
# **Washington State Data Snapshot**April 2013

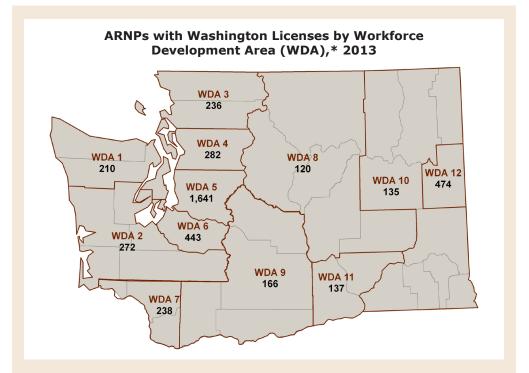


# Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners (ARNPs)

The advanced registered nurse practitioner (ARNP) license category in Washington includes nurse anesthetists, nurse midwives, and nurse practitioners. In Washington State, ARNPs must also hold active registered nurse licenses. The following Washington statistics were calculated based on data from the ARNP license files, which contain licensee name, mailing address, age, and gender.

Licensed ARNPs per 100,000 Population					
Year	Washington				
2013	64				
2011	54				
2008	55				
2007	50				
2006	50				





# Characteristics of ARNPs with Washington Licenses by Workforce Development Area (WDA), 2013

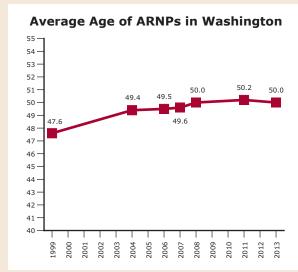
WDA*	Licensed ARNPs	2012 Population	Number of ARNPs/100,000 Population	Average ARNP Age	% Male ARNPs
1	210	356,675	59	55.6	13.3%
2	272	488,670	56	52.6	14.0%
3	236	416,725	57	52.8	11.1%
4	282	722,900	39	51.0	9.9%
5	1,641	1,957,000	84	47.6	10.1%
6	443	808,200	55	50.5	12.6%
7	238	538,325	44	51.5	13.1%
8	120	263,575	46	51.8	16.7%
9	166	319,375	52	49.5	22.3%
10	135	208,225	65	51.0	21.5%
11	137	262,500	52	49.6	24.1%
12	474	475,600	100	51.1	22.6%

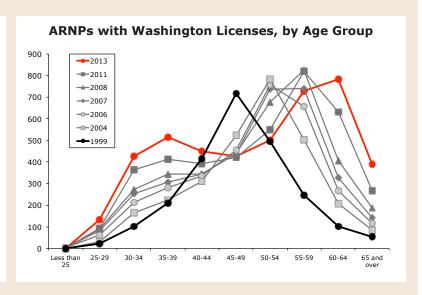
\* Location determined by license mailing address. Counties comprising WDAs: 1 = Clallam, Jefferson, Kitsap; 2 = Grays Harbor, Mason, Thurston, Pacific, Lewis; 3 = Whatcom, Skagit, Island, San Juan; 4 = Snohomish; 5 = King; 6 = Pierce; 7 = Wahkiakum, Cowlitz, Clark; 8 = Okanogan, Chelan, Douglas, Grant, Adams; 9 = Skamania, Klickitat, Yakima, Kittitas; 10 = Ferry, Stevens, Pend Oreille, Lincoln, Whitman, Walla Walla, Columbia, Garfield, Asotin; 11 = Benton, Franklin; 12 = Spokane.

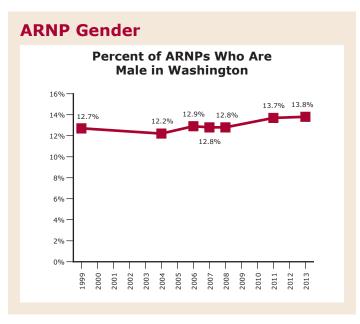
ARNPs with Washington Licenses*: Number and Percent by State and Advanced Practice Status									
	2006	2007	2008	2011	2013				
Total ARNP† licenses	3,858	4,128	4,635	4,830	5,346				
With Washington addresses	3,150 (81.6%)	3,372 (81.9%)	3,589 (80.4%)	3,955 (81.9%)	4,354 (81.4%)				
With Oregon addresses	196 (5.1%)	246 (6.0%)	270 (6.0%)	294 (6.1%)	324 (6.1%)				
With Idaho addresses	74 (1.9%)	72 (1.7%)	81 (1.8%)	105 (2.2%)	130 (2.4%)				

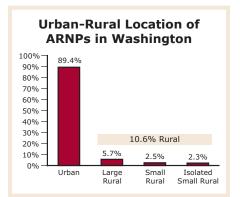
<sup>\*</sup> Accessed from licensing files April 2013, March 2011, September 2008, October 2007, and August 2006.

## **ARNP Age**









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### **Data Sources:**

Washington State ARNP data are from the Washington State Department of Health, Health Professions Licensing Data System, 2013 (April). 2011

(March), 2008 (September), 2007 (October), 2006 (August), 2004, and 1999.

General Washington population data are from the Washington State Office of Financial Management and are updated April 1 of each year (http://www.ofm.wa.gov/pop/april1/).

The urban-rural location of each ARNP was determined using their license ZIP code and the Rural-Urban Commuting Area Codes 2.0.

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<sup>†</sup> Ages 18 through 75.