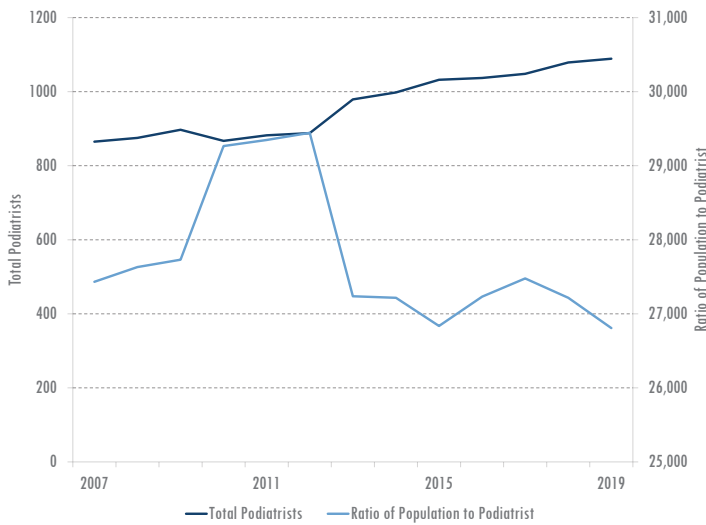




Podiatrists

2019

Podiatrist Growth Trends



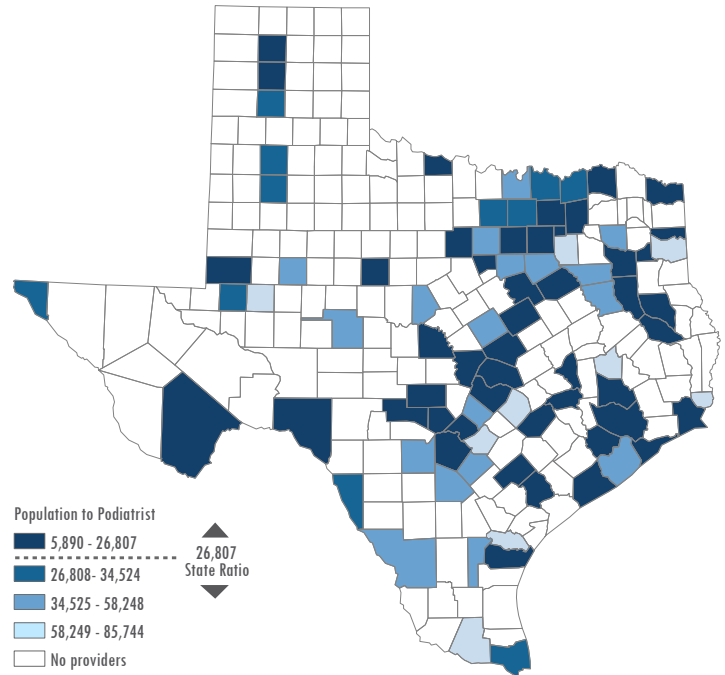
In 2019, there were 1,089 actively licensed podiatrists in Texas.

- This number represented a 9.1% increase since 2014 and a 21.4% increase since 2009.
- Relative to population growth, the size of the podiatrist workforce has improved by 3.3% over the past 10 years.
- Texas has less podiatrists per population than the national average.

Gender of Podiatrists

- In 2019, 26.6% of acupuncturists were female and 73.4% were male.¹
- In 2009, 21.3% were female and 78.7% were male.

Ratio of Texas Population to Podiatrist by County



Geographic Designation	Ratio of Population to Podiatrist
Metropolitan	25,278
Non-metropolitan	54,489
Border	43,332
Non-border	25,758
Texas	26,807

Podiatrists were not evenly distributed throughout the state.

- There was a 73.2% difference between the number of podiatrists in metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas even after controlling for population differences.
- Between border and non-border areas, the difference was 50.9%.

¹ Gender data were available for 1,081 of the state's 1,089 podiatrists.

