

Section II: Active Licenses, FY 2011 and FY 2012

Table 3 lists the total number of active licenses for each board or commission for FY 2011 and FY 2012 and the percent change in the total number of licenses between these two fiscal years. Of the 40 boards and commissions, 27 reported increases in the number of active licenses and 13 reported decreases. Four boards and commissions reported increases in active licenses of more than 10% and five reported decreases of more than 10%.

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Agency and License	FY 2011	FY 2012	% Change
Accountancy Board	32,561	33,367	2.5%
Certified Public Accountant – Ohio Permit	20,746	21,188	2.1%
Certified Public Accountant – Ohio Registration	9,171	8,867	-3.3%
Public Accountant – Ohio Permit	11	13	18.2%
Public Accountant – Ohio Registration	90	86	-4.4%
Firm Registration – Peer Review	946	1,623	71.6%
Firm Registration – Tax Consulting	1,597	1,590	-0.4%
Architects Board and the State Board of Landscape Architect Examiners	8,542	8,171	-4.3%
ARC Individual Certificate of Qualification	6,611	6,221	-5.9%
ARC Firm Certificate of Qualification	1,196	1,242	3.8%
Landscape Architect Individual Certificate of Qualification	612	577	-5.7%
Landscape Architect Firm Certificate of Authorization	87	92	5.7%
Dual Firm Certificate of Qualification	36	39	8.3%
Ohio Athletic Commission	4,447	3,209	-27.8%
Athlete Agent	86	89	3.5%
Boxing/Mixed Martial Arts/Toughperson	1,572	1,183	-24.7%
Nonofficial: Second, Manager, Trainer, Matchmaker	1,501	1,226	-18.3%
Official: Judge, Referee, Timekeeper, Physician, Inspector	100	111	11.0%
Boxing/Mixed Martial Arts/Toughperson Promoter	41	38	-7.3%
Wrestling Promoter	29	39	34.5%
Federal ID Boxing	312	46	-85.3%
National Mixed Martial Arts ID	806	477	-40.8%
Auctioneers Program (Department of Agriculture)	3,124	3,298	5.6%
Auctioneer	2,658	2,775	4.4%
Apprentice Auctioneer	178	220	23.6%
Special Auctioneer	3	3	0.0%
Auctioneer: Corporation, Partnership, or Association	203	209	3.0%
Auction Firm	82	91	11.0%
Ohio State Barber Board	11,670	12,290	5.3%
Barber	8,435	9,012	6.8%
Barber School	17	18	5.9%
Barber Shop	3,150	3,186	1.1%
Barber Teacher	68	74	8.8%

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Board of Building Standards (Department of Commerce)	4,477	4,229	-5.5%
Commercial Building Inspector	821	748	-8.9%
Residential Building Inspector	250	234	-6.4%
Commercial Building Official	403	369	-8.4%
Residential Building Official	828	769	-7.1%
Electrical Safety Inspector	658	631	-4.1%
Fire Protection Designer	384	423	10.2%
Fire Protection Inspector	98	92	-6.1%
Industrialized Unit Inspector	18	13	-27.8%
Residential I.U. Inspector	11	9	-18.2%
Mechanical Inspector	91	91	0.0%
Residential Mechanical Inspector	13	9	-30.8%
Medical Gas Inspector	35	28	-20.0%
Commercial Plans Examiner	305	287	-5.9%
Residential Plans Examiner	93	90	-3.2%
Commercial Plumbing Inspector	202	188	-6.9%
Residential Plumbing Inspector	267	248	-7.1%
Chemical Dependency Professionals Board	7,345	8,377	14.1%
Licensed Independent Chemical Dependency Counselor	2,029	2,157	6.3%
Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor III	1,009	1,111	10.1%
Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor II	326	337	3.4%
Chemical Dependency Counselor Assistant	3,125	3,813	22.0%
Ohio Certified Prevention Specialist II	217	247	13.8%
Ohio Certified Prevention Specialist I	115	123	7.0%
Registered Applicant for Prevention Certification	524	589	12.4%
State Chiropractic Board	2,559	2,523	-1.4%
Chiropractic Physician	2,429	2,376	-2.2%
Chiropractic Voluntary Public Service	0	0	0.0%
Preceptorship	15	21	40.0%
Acupuncture Certificate	115	126	9.6%
Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board (Department of Commerce)	18,230	18,274	0.2%
Electrical Contractor	6,216	6,263	0.8%
Plumbing Contractor	4,521	4,506	-0.3%
Hydronics Contractor	1,884	1,871	-0.7%
HVAC Contractor	4,170	4,200	0.7%
Refrigeration Contractor	1,439	1,434	-0.3%
State Board of Cosmetology	116,580	126,371	8.4%
Cosmetologist	21,447	23,227	8.3%
Cosmetologist Instructor	4,710	5,068	7.6%
Managing Cosmetologist	48,771	51,800	6.2%
Beauty Salon	9,515	9,474	-0.4%
Esthetician	980	1,077	9.9%
Esthetician Instructor	120	142	18.3%

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Managing Esthetician	2,242	2,630	17.3%
Esthetic Salon	363	471	29.8%
Hair Designer	195	211	8.2%
Hair Designer Instructor	4	4	0.0%
Managing Hair Designer	82	106	29.3%
Hair Designer Salon	253	300	18.6%
Independent Contractor	13,769	16,687	21.2%
Manicurist	3,825	4,176	9.2%
Manicurist Instructor	179	202	12.8%
Managing Manicurist	7,274	7,906	8.7%
Nail Salon	969	1,047	8.0%
Natural Hair Stylist	7	4	-42.9%
Natural Hair Stylist Instructor	0	1	N/A
Managing Natural Hair Stylist	17	21	23.5%
Natural Hair Stylist Salon	4	5	25.0%
Cosmetology School	178	182	2.2%
Tanning Facility	1,676	1,630	-2.7%
Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board	32,100	32,816	2.2%
Professional Counselor	3,751	3,829	2.1%
Professional Clinical Counselor	4,450	4,636	4.2%
Social Worker Assistant	586	583	-0.5%
Social Worker	15,470	15,742	1.8%
Independent Social Worker	7,576	7,732	2.1%
Marriage and Family Therapist	81	93	14.8%
Independent Marriage and Family Therapist	186	201	8.1%
Ohio State Dental Board	30,303	32,168	6.2%
Dentist	7,188	7,091	-1.3%
Dental Hygienist	8,032	8,000	-0.4%
Dental Assistant Radiology	12,194	14,035	15.1%
Limited Residents	323	199	-38.4%
Limited Teaching	27	25	-7.4%
Limited Continuing Education	45	17	-62.2%
Coronal Polishing	983	1,123	14.2%
Expanded Function Dental Assistant	1,511	1,678	11.1%
Board of Dietetics	3,560	3,776	6.1%
Dietitian	3,496	3,699	5.8%
Limited Permit	64	77	20.3%
State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors	6,704	6,818	1.7%
Crematory	109	116	6.4%
Embalmer Apprentice	51	37	-27.5%
Embalmer Registration	48	37	-22.9%
Embalmer	2,233	2,279	2.1%
Embalming Facility	2	3	50.0%

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Funeral Director Apprentice	71	73	2.8%
Funeral Director Registration	67	74	10.4%
Funeral Director	2,952	3,015	2.1%
Funeral Home	1,171	1,184	1.1%
Board of Emergency Medical Services (Department of Public Safety)	103,546	103,595	<0.1%
Instructors	8,012	8,375	4.5%
Fire Instructor	3,258	3,422	5.0%
Assistant Fire Instructor	718	558	-22.3%
EMS Instructor	1,785	1,868	4.6%
Assistant EMS Instructor	178	188	5.6%
Continuing Education Instructor	1,861	2,070	11.2%
Fire Safety Inspector Instructor	120	123	2.5%
Special Topic Instructor	92	146	58.7%
Emergency Medical Technicians and Firefighters	95,534	95,220	-0.3%
Emergency Medical Technician – Basic	21,378	21,337	-0.2%
Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic	16,344	16,780	2.7%
Emergency Medical Technician – Intermediate	2,288	2,288	0.0%
Firefighter – Level II	23,391	23,629	1.0%
Firefighter – Level I	4,455	4,724	6.0%
Firefighter – Volunteer	14,911	14,058	-5.7%
Fire Safety Inspector	10,632	10,200	-4.1%
First Responder	2,135	2,204	3.2%
State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors	29,021	29,256	0.8%
Professional Engineer	24,710	24,854	0.6%
Professional Surveyor	1,365	1,350	-1.1%
Dual (Professional Engineer/Professional Surveyor)	751	737	-1.9%
Companies	2,195	2,315	5.5%
Division of Financial Institutions (Department of Commerce)	8,193	9,400	14.7%
OMBA Loan Originator	3,302	4,205	27.3%
OMLA Mortgage Loan Originator	829	1,295	56.2%
Mortgage Broker (OMBA)	531	494	-7.0%
OMBA Mortgage Banker	205	258	25.9%
OMBA CUSO	4	6	50.0%
OMLA CUSO	2	6	200.0%
Mortgage Loan Act Registrant	1,489	1,363	-8.5%
Check Casher	929	904	-2.7%
Credit Service Organization	29	31	6.9%
Money Transmitter	56	57	1.8%
Pawnbroker	299	308	3.0%
Precious Metals Dealer	184	238	29.3%
Premium Finance Company	43	38	-11.6%
Short-term Lender	0	0	0.0%
Small Loan Company	291	197	-32.3%

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Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Licensing Board (Department of Health)	682	747	9.5%
Individual License	412	425	3.2%
Corporation License	224	257	14.7%
Trainee Permits	46	65	41.3%
Division of Industrial Compliance (Department of Commerce)	21,134	16,326	-22.8%
Examiners of Steam Engineers ⁷	15,597	10,853	-30.4%
Historical Boiler Operator	617	638	3.4%
Plumbing Inspector Certificate	420	335	-20.2%
Backflow Tester Certificate	4,500	4,500	0.0%
Ohio Manufactured Homes Commission	844	879	4.1%
Licensed Installer	296	278	-6.1%
Certified Inspector	95	93	-2.1%
Licensed Dealer/Broker	231	230	-0.4%
Licensed Salesperson	222	278	25.2%
State Medical Board	64,675	64,510	-0.3%
Medical Doctor	37,353	37,612	0.7%
Doctor of Osteopathy	5,121	5,265	2.8%
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine	972	967	-0.5%
Doctor of Medicine Training Certificate	4,229	3,562	-15.8%
Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine Training Certificate	968	846	-12.6%
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine Training Certificate	94	79	-16.0%
Physician Assistant	2,204	2,285	3.7%
Physician's Assistant Certificate to Prescribe	987	1,153	16.8%
Physician's Assistant Provisional Certificate to Prescribe	181	195	7.7%
Anesthesiologist Assistant	166	180	8.4%
Radiologist Assistant	8	8	0.0%
Telemedicine License	117	134	14.5%
Massage Therapist	11,842	11,808	-0.3%
Cosmetic Therapist	201	184	-8.5%
Acupuncturist	183	187	2.2%
Mechanotherapist	31	26	-16.1%
Naprapath	1	1	0.0%
Visiting Medical Faculty Certificate	17	18	5.9%
Visiting Podiatric Faculty Certificate	0	0	0.0%
Ohio Medical Transportation Board	450	476	5.8%
Emergency Medical Service	130	134	3.1%
Nonemergency Medical Service	303	323	6.6%
Air Medical Service	17	19	11.8%

⁷ The decrease is at least partially attributable to a new computer database that counts a license as inactive if the licensee has not paid the renewal fee within 60 days. According to the Board, about 1,900 licensees have been counted as inactive since the last issuing of this report.

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Board of Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Registration	1,397	1,534	9.8%
Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Operator	1,397	1,534	9.8%
Motor Vehicle Dealers Licensing Board (Department of Public Safety)	24,318	14,057	-42.2%
Motor Vehicle Dealer License	7,376	3,667	-50.3%
Motor Vehicle Leasing Dealer	1,446	660	-54.4%
Motor Vehicle Salesperson	15,357	9,679	-37.0%
Motor Vehicle Distributor/Auction	139	50	-64.0%
Motor Vehicle Construction Equipment Auction	0	1	N/A
Motor Vehicle Salvage Dealers Licensing Board (Department of Public Safety)	1,525	795	-47.9%
Salvage Motor Vehicle Dealer	626	368	-41.2%
Buyer ID Cards	899	427	-52.5%
Board of Nursing	251,765	256,850	2.0%
Registered Nurse	179,203	178,462	-0.4%
Licensed Practical Nurse	55,575	60,187	8.3%
Certificate of Authority	9,813	10,270	4.7%
Certificate to Prescribe	5,343	5,922	10.8%
Certified Dialysis Technician	1,333	1,507	13.1%
Dialysis Technician Temporary 1	299	293	-2.0%
Dialysis Technician Temporary 2	5	2	-60.0%
Dialysis Technician Temporary 3	0	0	0.0%
Community Health Worker	61	95	55.7%
Medication Aide – Certified	133	112	-15.8%
Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators (Department of Health)	1,957	1,945	-0.6%
Nursing Home Administrator	1,956	1,944	-0.6%
Nursing Home Administrator (Temporary)	1	1	0.0%
Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board	23,368	24,696	5.7%
Occupational Therapist	4,550	4,849	6.6%
Occupational Therapy Assistant	3,191	3,474	8.9%
Physical Therapist	7,764	7,824	0.8%
Physical Therapist Assistant	5,855	6,299	7.6%
Athletic Trainer	2,008	2,250	12.1%
Ohio Optical Dispensers Board	5,496	5,272	-4.1%
Optician	3,332	3,399	2.0%
Ocularist	8	8	0.0%
Apprentice Registration	2,156	1,865	-13.5%
State Board of Optometry	2,146	2,197	2.4%
Therapeutic Optometrist	2,071	2,131	2.9%
Diagnostic Optometrist	38	33	-13.2%
Optometrist Only	37	33	-10.8%
State Board of Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics	389	399	2.6%
Orthotist	90	90	0.0%
Pedorthist	117	118	0.9%
Prosthetist	63	69	9.5%

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Prosthetist – Orthotist	104	106	1.9%
Temporary Orthotist	4	5	25.0%
Temporary Pedorthist	7	8	14.3%
Temporary Prosthetist	1	2	100.0%
Temporary Prosthetist – Orthotist	3	1	-66.7%
State Board of Pharmacy	35,840	38,651	7.8%
Registered Pharmacist	16,386	17,446	6.5%
Pharmacy Intern	2,534	3,018	19.1%
Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs CAT III	9,863	10,623	7.7%
Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs CAT II	4,239	4,831	14.0%
Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs CAT I	16	25	56.3%
Wholesale Distributor of Dangerous Drugs	1,599	1,540	-3.7%
Controlled Substance Manufacturer	600	552	-8.0%
Veterinary Facility Drug	603	616	2.2%
Private Investigators and Security Guard Section (Department of Public Safety)	21,645	26,202	21.1%
Provider Licenses	875	900	2.9%
Class A (Private Investigator & Security Guard) Provider License	319	337	5.6%
Class A (Private Investigator & Security Guard) Branch	71	75	5.6%
Class B (Private Investigator) Provider License	283	290	2.5%
Class B (Private Investigator) Branch	6	8	33.3%
Class C (Security Guard) Provider	125	118	-5.6%
Class C (Security Guard) Branch	71	72	1.4%
Registrations	20,770	25,302	21.8%
Class A (Private Investigator & Security Guard)	6,487	7,450	14.8%
Class B (Private Investigator)	1,199	881	-26.5%
Class C (Security Guard)	13,084	16,971	29.7%
State Board of Psychology	3,485	3,751	7.6%
Psychologist	3,210	3,459	7.8%
School Psychologist	275	292	6.2%
Division of Real Estate and Professional Licensing (Department of Commerce)	50,294	39,114	-22.2%
Real Estate Salesperson	36,917	26,798	-27.4%
Real Estate Appraiser	3,157	3,055	-3.2%
Real Estate Broker	5,685	5,016	-11.8%
Real Estate Business	4,136	3,857	-6.7%
Real Estate Foreign Corporation	29	29	0.0%
Real Estate Foreign Corporation Dealer	29	27	-6.9%
Real Estate Foreign Individual	15	12	-20.0%
Real Estate Foreign Salesperson	43	43	0.0%
Real Estate Registered Appraiser Assistant	283	277	-2.1%

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Respiratory Care Board	8,800	8,504	-3.4%
Respiratory Care Practitioner	7,678	7,416	-3.4%
Limited Permit (Student/Graduate)	219	225	2.7%
Limited Permit (Employment Based)	38	32	-15.8%
Home Medical Equipment Facility	125	76	-39.2%
Home Medical Equipment Facility Certificate of Registration	740	755	2.0%
State Board of Sanitarian Registration	1,506	1,490	-1.1%
Registered Sanitarian	1,259	1,263	0.3%
Sanitarian-in-Training	147	136	-7.5%
Training Agencies	100	91	-9.0%
Division of Securities (Department of Commerce)	177,199	180,634	1.9%
Securities Salesperson	156,578	159,464	1.8%
Securities Dealer	2,236	2,211	-1.1%
Investment Advisor	2,294	2,349	2.4%
Investment Advisor Representative	16,005	16,526	3.3%
State Retirement System Investment Officer	85	83	-2.4%
Chief Investment Officer of BWC	1	1	0.0%
Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology	7,287	7,840	7.6%
Audiology	914	952	4.2%
Audiology Aide	62	72	16.1%
Speech-Language Pathology	5,978	6,446	7.8%
Speech-Language Pathology Aide	10	9	-10.0%
Speech-Language Pathology Conditional License	250	282	12.8%
Dual Audiology Speech-Language Pathology	41	44	7.3%
Student Permit	32	35	9.4%
Veterinary Medical Licensing Board	6,775	7,255	7.1%
Veterinary	4,022	4,041	0.5%
Registered Veterinary Technician	2,476	2,876	16.2%
Veterinary Specialist	130	133	2.3%
Business Facility License	42	58	38.1%
Limited License for Resident	35	50	42.9%
Limited License	66	84	27.3%
Provisional License	1	3	200.0%
Temporary Permit	3	10	233.3%