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| State Total | 1,207 | 3,772 | 4,397 | 896 | 7,293 | 245 | 1,674 | 905 | 3,749 | 1,859 | 3,413 |
| Alamance | 19 | 59 | 65 | 16 | 104 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 66 | 10 | 18 |
| Alexander | 3 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| Alleghany | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Anson | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 9 |
| Ashe | 5 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 9 | 10 |
| Avery | 1 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 6 |
| Beaufort | 5 | 16 | 15 | 7 | 31 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 14 | 18 |
| Bertie | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| Bladen | 3 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 13 |
| Brunswick | 18 | 26 | 25 | 9 | 66 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 28 | 9 | 18 |
| Buncombe | 65 | 143 | 161 | 26 | 248 | 10 | 104 | 51 | 206 | 74 | 156 |
| Burke | 9 | 36 | 30 | 3 | 75 | 1 | 37 | 40 | 31 | 34 | 19 |
| Cabarrus | 33 | 45 | 80 | 16 | 137 | 4 | 15 | 19 | 45 | 38 | 52 |
| Caldwell | 4 | 22 | 28 | 5 | 39 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 11 | 19 | 18 |
| Camden | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carteret | 10 | 35 | 45 | 6 | 48 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 27 | 12 | 37 |
| Caswell | 0 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Catawba | 22 | 66 | 73 | 15 | 125 | 9 | 11 | 24 | 68 | 64 | 69 |
| Chatham | 5 | 14 | 30 | 3 | 24 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Cherokee | 4 | 10 | 16 | 5 | 27 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 11 | 14 |
| Chowan | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 3 |
| Clay | 0 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 11 | 31 | 63 | 10 | 55 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 27 | 21 | 35 |
| Columbus | 5 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 48 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 28 |
| Craven | 13 | 41 | 44 | 13 | 66 | 3 | 13 | 15 | 42 | 20 | 56 |
| Cumberland | 25 | 119 | 151 | 28 | 200 | 9 | 38 | 25 | 94 | 85 | 122 |
| Currituck | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Dare | 8 | 20 | 21 | 4 | 32 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 5 | 4 |
| Davidson | 12 | 27 | 69 | 12 | 83 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 32 | 25 | 27 |
| Davie | 2 | 12 | 24 | 6 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| Duplin | 2 | 12 | 19 | 7 | 25 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| Durham | 30 | 159 | 131 | 25 | 633 | 6 | 207 | 17 | 230 | 22 | 188 |
| Edgecombe | 2 | 8 | 7 | 4 | 21 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 16 | 22 | 16 |
| Forsyth | 35 | 187 | 195 | 44 | 419 | 17 | 84 | 29 | 233 | 57 | 276 |
| Franklin | 4 | 6 | 14 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 9 |
| Gaston | 27 | 78 | 96 | 25 | 146 | 6 | 14 | 11 | 59 | 52 | 38 |
| Gates | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Graham | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 |

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| Granville | 3 | 15 | 18 | 4 | 42 | 1 | 43 | 29 | 15 | 8 | 7 |
| Greene | 0 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Guilford | 55 | 236 | 258 | 46 | 388 | 16 | 96 | 53 | 226 | 71 | 204 |
| Halifax | 4 | 13 | 19 | 5 | 33 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 16 | 24 |
| Harnett | 6 | 20 | 40 | 9 | 57 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 24 | 19 | 31 |
| Haywood | 10 | 22 | 43 | 5 | 38 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 24 | 23 | 21 |
| Henderson | 23 | 43 | 64 | 7 | 75 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 63 | 35 | 44 |
| Hertford | 3 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 11 | 19 |
| Hoke | 2 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 4 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Iredell | 26 | 60 | 72 | 15 | 126 | 3 | 9 | 13 | 69 | 44 | 52 |
| Jackson | 3 | 16 | 14 | 4 | 20 | 1 | 17 | 14 | 28 | 15 | 26 |
| Johnston | 13 | 30 | 56 | 11 | 87 | 0 | 6 | 12 | 29 | 19 | 27 |
| Jones | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Lee | 9 | 21 | 37 | 8 | 37 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 21 | 7 | 23 |
| Lenoir | 3 | 27 | 27 | 5 | 82 | 1 | 5 | 14 | 21 | 6 | 36 |
| Lincoln | 9 | 19 | 41 | 7 | 41 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 12 | 14 |
| McDowell | 6 | 9 | 18 | 2 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 11 |
| Macon | 5 | 15 | 18 | 4 | 19 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 15 | 15 | 16 |
| Madison | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Martin | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 20 | 17 |
| Mecklenburg | 193 | 504 | 494 | 94 | 748 | 29 | 189 | 78 | 445 | 196 | 399 |
| Mitchell | 1 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 6 |
| Montgomery | 2 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Moore | 13 | 52 | 46 | 12 | 68 | 4 | 12 | 9 | 49 | 22 | 61 |
| Nash | 8 | 46 | 36 | 8 | 64 | 2 | 3 | 14 | 34 | 32 | 44 |
| New Hanover | 64 | 125 | 141 | 29 | 182 | 10 | 58 | 50 | 151 | 54 | 111 |
| Northampton | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Onslow | 10 | 55 | 92 | 14 | 63 | 4 | 15 | 11 | 38 | 14 | 24 |
| Orange | 22 | 145 | 79 | 16 | 208 | 5 | 200 | 22 | 149 | 20 | 98 |
| Pamlico | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Pasquotank | 4 | 12 | 9 | 4 | 35 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 17 | 18 | 24 |
| Pender | 4 | 10 | 23 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 6 |
| Perquimans | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Person | 5 | 8 | 8 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 6 |
| Pitt | 15 | 65 | 54 | 16 | 174 | 8 | 42 | 29 | 88 | 40 | 121 |
| Polk | 5 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 8 | 7 |
| Randolph | 12 | 36 | 66 | 12 | 57 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 21 | 26 | 17 |
| Richmond | 3 | 12 | 10 | 3 | 32 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 11 | 26 |

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| Robeson | 12 | 22 | 33 | 13 | 75 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 31 | 19 | 48 |
| Rockingham | 10 | 25 | 57 | 6 | 77 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 11 | 28 |
| Rowan | 11 | 51 | 64 | 15 | 97 | 4 | 19 | 8 | 40 | 29 | 34 |
| Rutherford | 8 | 17 | 37 | 5 | 42 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 13 | 13 | 20 |
| Sampson | 4 | 10 | 23 | 5 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 12 | 15 |
| Scotland | 5 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 23 |
| Stanly | 5 | 16 | 26 | 4 | 39 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 13 | 23 | 23 |
| Stokes | 1 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Surry | 5 | 24 | 43 | 10 | 53 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 22 | 27 |
| Swain | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| Transylvania | 5 | 10 | 19 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 9 | 5 |
| Tyrrell | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Union | 14 | 35 | 70 | 7 | 79 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 26 | 23 |
| Vance | 4 | 10 | 12 | 6 | 31 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 14 | 4 | 16 |
| Wake | 152 | 505 | 484 | 106 | 784 | 27 | 250 | 87 | 478 | 98 | 221 |
| Warren | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Washington | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Watauga | 6 | 24 | 19 | 5 | 38 | 2 | 23 | 9 | 25 | 19 | 22 |
| Wayne | 9 | 43 | 80 | 11 | 76 | 2 | 16 | 27 | 28 | 25 | 35 |
| Wilkes | 5 | 21 | 30 | 5 | 30 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 12 | 16 | 17 |
| Wilson | 8 | 22 | 22 | 10 | 64 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 22 | 27 | 20 |
| Yadkin | 4 | 6 | 17 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Yancey | 1 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 |

1. Includes those who are licensed and active within the profession as well as those with unknown activity status; inactives are excluded.

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