



# Profile: Oregon's Physical Therapist Workforce – 2012

## Quick Facts

The number of active licensed physical therapists (PTs) who identified a practice location in Oregon increased nearly 11% between 2010 and 2012.

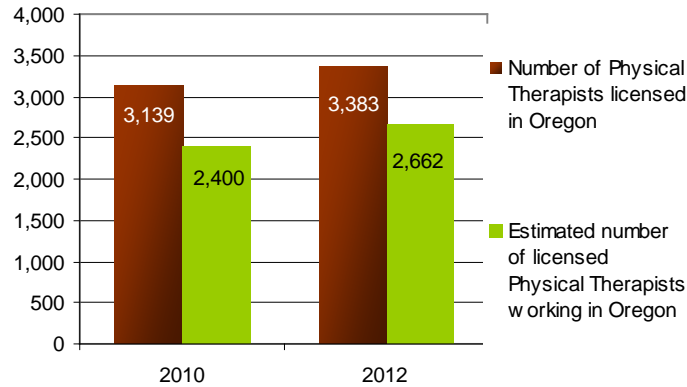
PTs identified a practice address in 34 of Oregon's 36 counties. Twenty-one percent of Oregon's PTs are located in Multnomah County, followed by 15% in Washington County and 11% in Lane County.

As in 2010, the most frequently reported practice specialty in 2012 was orthopedics (51%), followed by geriatrics (29%).

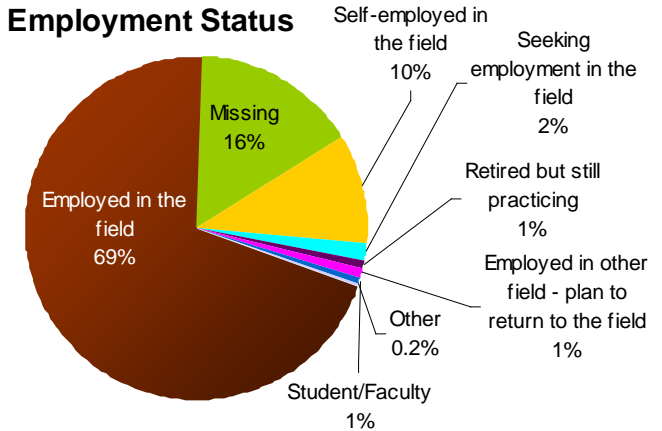
The percentage of PTs 55 years of age and older increased slightly from 21.3% in 2010 to 22% in 2012.

Among PTs, Spanish was the most frequently reported language spoken (9%) in addition to English. In 2010, only 3.5% of Oregon's physical therapists reported speaking Spanish in addition to English.

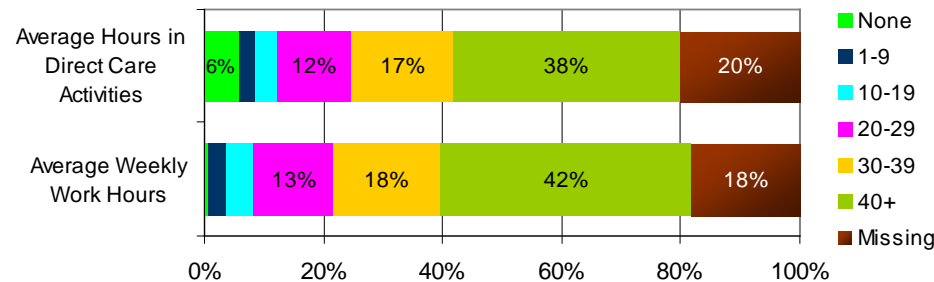
Physical Therapists in Oregon: 2010 to 2012



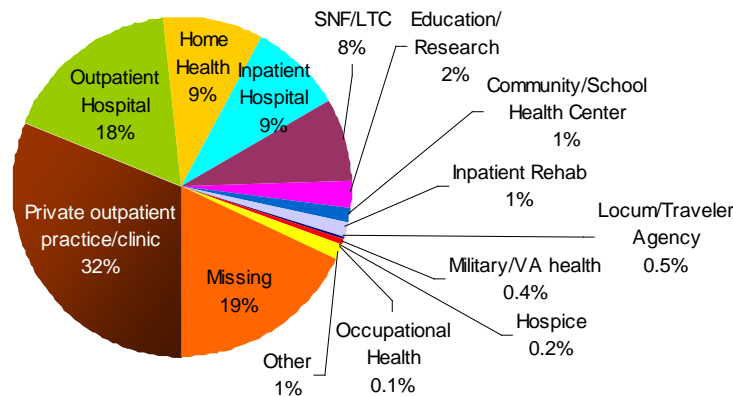
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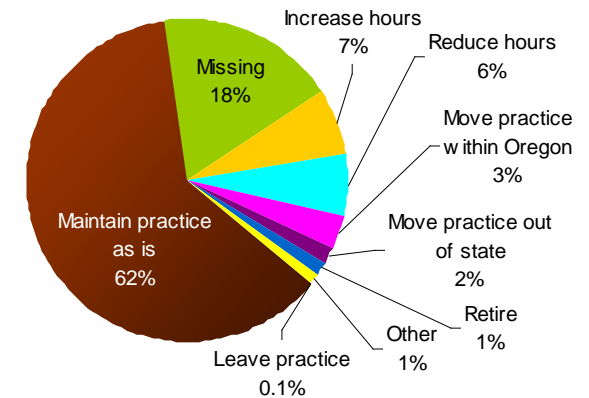
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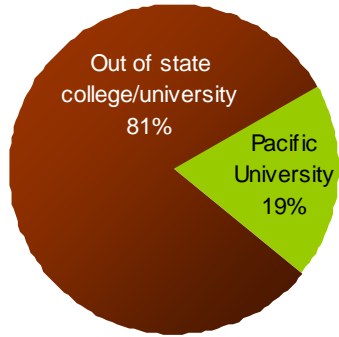
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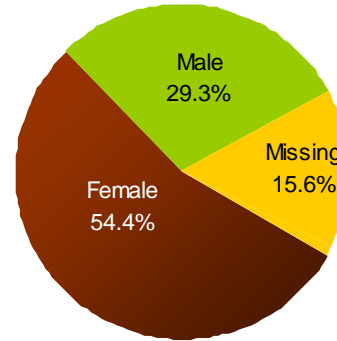
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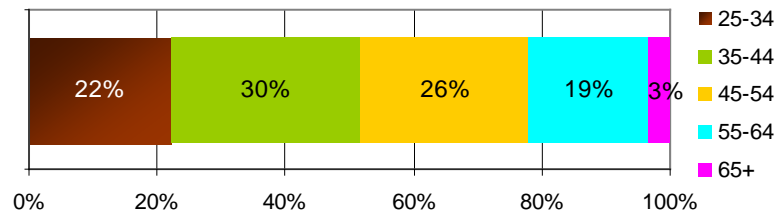
### Physical Therapy School



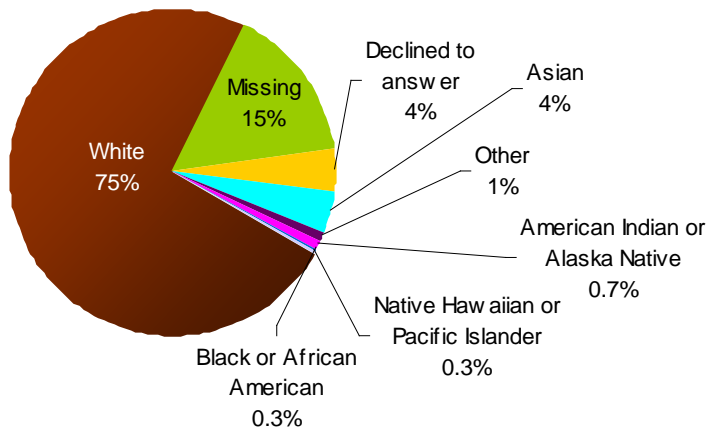
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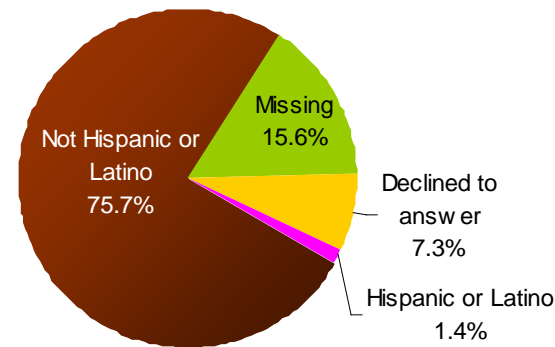
### Age Category



### Race



### Ethnicity



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Additional information on Oregon's physical therapists is available from the Oregon Healthcare Workforce Institute at [www.oregonhwi.org](http://www.oregonhwi.org)