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Re: Act 590 (2022 Regular Session) Reporting Requirement for CY2025

Pursuant to Act 590 of the 2022 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, please accept this correspondence as the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy's report for the information requested for calendar year 2025.

The attached contains a spreadsheet report containing the number of permit or license applications received, the number of permits or licenses issued, and timelines for approval of an application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate contacting me directly at [jfontenot@pharmacy.la.gov](mailto:jfontenot@pharmacy.la.gov) or 225.925.6481.

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Louisiana Board of Pharmacy  
 Calendar Year 2025  
 Act 590 (2022RS)

Per RS 49:1308: Number of permit or license applications received, the number of permits or licenses issued, and timelines for approval of an application.

Credentials are issued within 14 business days of the applicant completing the final requirement. The timelines listed below are based on the applicants submissions.

Application Type	Applications Received	Issued 1-14 Days of Application	Issued 15-30 Days of Application	Issued Over 30 Days from Application Receipt	Total Credentials Issued	Application Pending as of 02/02/2026	Withdrawn, Returned, or Expired
Automated Medication System	29	25	1	2	28	1	0
CDS License - Animal Euthanasia Technician, Certified	2	1	0	0	1	0	1
CDS License - Animal Euthanasia Technician, Lead	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
CDS License - APRN	620	557	28	17	602	12	6
CDS License - Automated Medication System	18	14	2	1	17	0	1
CDS License - Dentist	187	180	1	1	182	0	5
CDS License - Distributor	14	5	1	5	11	1	2
CDS License - Drug Detection / Canine	2	0	0	1	1	1	0
CDS License - Hospital	10	2	0	7	9	0	1
CDS License - Manufacturer	3	3	0	0	3	0	0
CDS License - Medical Intern or Resident	698	682	3	2	687	0	11
CDS License - Medical Psychologist	9	9	0	0	9	0	0
CDS License - Optometrist	15	13	1	1	15	0	0
CDS License - Pharmacy	69	4	14	27	45	5	19
CDS License - Physician	1101	1056	8	13	1077	4	20
CDS License - Physician Assistant	164	134	18	10	162	0	2
CDS License - Podiatrist	6	6	0	0	6	0	0
CDS License - Registered Outsourcing Facility	5	3	0	0	3	1	1
CDS License - Researcher	14	0	1	6	7	5	2
CDS License - Substance Abuse Clinic	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
CDS License - Third-Party Logistics Provider	3	3	0	0	3	0	0
CDS License - Veterinarian	114	108	2	3	113	0	1
CDS License - Withdrawal Management Clinic	6	1	0	3	4	1	1
Certified Pharmacy Technician	748	354	189	141	684	48	16
Durable Medical Equipment Provider	61	19	17	19	55	3	3
Emergency Drug Kit	39	28	0	7	35	1	3
Pharmacist	463	276	89	89	454	8	1
Pharmacy - Community ~ Chain	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Pharmacy - Community ~ Independent	49	1	14	26	41	6	2
Pharmacy - Hospital Inpatient	7	0	0	4	4	1	2
Pharmacy - Hospital Off-Site Satellite	3	0	1	1	2	0	1
Pharmacy - Nonresident	128	37	25	46	108	15	5
Pharmacy - Nuclear	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pharmacy - Special Event	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pharmacy - Telepharmacy Site	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Pharmacy Benefit Manager	7	3	1	0	4	3	0
Pharmacy Intern	224	54	51	98	203	9	12
Pharmacy Technician Candidate	1319	319	349	379	1047	190	82

Total applications received 2025: 6144

Total credentials Issued of 2025 application received: 5625