

# OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

# **2020** STATISTICS ON CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSES IN OHIO









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#### Dear Colleagues,

By any measure, Ohio's concealed-carry licensing system has succeeded in combining safeguards that protect the public and provisions that uphold Americans' right to bear arms and protect themselves.

County sheriffs, the backbone of the program, deserve credit for its success. In 2020, they issued 169,232 licenses, up 27.8% from the year before. They also rejected 1,777 applicants who failed to meet state-mandated requirements and revoked 429 licenses for causes including felony convictions and mental incompetence, as required by law.

This report, per Ohio Revised Code Section 109.731(C), delves into 2020 data supplied by the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission, a division of my office. Among the statistical highlights:

- The number of new licenses issued hit 96,892, the third-highest in the 16-year-old program. Eightyfive of Ohio's 88 county sheriffs issued more licenses last year than they did in 2019.
- The number of licenses renewed was 72,340, also the third highest ever.
- Roughly 700,000 Ohioans held active licenses, making the number of licenses suspended (1,618) and revoked (a combined 2,047) comparatively miniscule.

To ensure that the program runs as designed, my office partnered with the Ohio Department of Public Safety last year to forge a new path, and we now alert sheriffs when a court deems a license holder to be mentally incompetent. This means that a population not legally permitted to own a gun can no longer escape notice.

I invite you to read on for additional details from 2020. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office or visit www.OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov/ConcealedCarry.

Yours,

Dave Yost Ohio Attorney General

## **Statewide statistics**

#### New Licenses Issued



In 2020, sheriffs in the Buckeye State issued the most new regular licenses since 2016 and a 78% increase over 2019.

#### The counties that issued the most:

#### 1. Franklin: 7,525 (4,740 in 2019)

- 2. Lake: 4,839 (4,422)
- 3. Greene: 4,742 (1,019)
- 4. Ashland: 3,552 (758)
- 5. Butler: 3,346 (1,902)
- 6. Tuscarawas: 3,007 (1,666)
- 7. Madison: 2,629 (623)
- 8. Clermont: 2,548 (2,163)
- 9. Stark: 2,418 (1,296)
- 10. Mahoning: 2,360 (1,343)

#### The counties that issued the fewest:

88. Noble: 143 (99 in 2019)
 87. Crawford: 147 (196)
 86. Van Wert: 151 (88)
 85. Meigs: 169 (107)
 84. Monroe: 182 (103)
 83: Morgan: 249 (136)
 82. Pickaway: 254 (163)
 81. Putnam: 261 (123)
 80. Paulding: 270 (106)
 79. Gallia: 278 (194)

Residents of Ohio can apply for a concealed-carry license in their home county or a county sharing a border with their home county, according to ORC 2923.125(A).

#### **Licenses Renewed**

The number of licenses renewed in 2020 dropped slightly from the year before, but it was still the thirdhighest annual total in the program's history.



The first renewal period under Ohio's concealed-carry law was 2008, for permits issued in 2004, the inaugural year of the program. Because of a subsequent change to the law, permit holders seeking to keep active licenses now must renew every five years. In total, licenses have been renewed 567,202 times.

#### The counties that renewed the most:

- 1. Franklin: 4,367 (4,226 in 2019)
- 2. Lake: 3,083 (3,745)
- 3. Butler: 2,566 (3,190)
- 4. Clermont: 2,111 (2,829)
- 5. Greene: 2,064 (1,550)
- 6. Warren: 2,027 (2,111)
- 7. Montgomery: 1,840 (3,382)
- 8. Summit: 1,748 (2,169)
- 9. Stark: 1,706 (1,923)
- 10. Hamilton: 1,677 (2,254)

#### The counties that renewed the fewest:

88. Fayette: 80 (195 in 2019)
87. Noble: 122 (139)
86. Monroe: 127 (126)
85. Meigs: 134 (122)
84. Coshocton: 140 (137)
83: Paulding: 164 (107)
83. Putnam: 164 (166)
81. Defiance: 168 (126)
80. Morgan: 174 (215)
80. Hardin: 186 (150)

#### **Licenses Suspended**



The number of license suspensions was the lowest since 2015.

Under Ohio Revised Code Section 2923.128, sheriffs must suspend a concealed-handgun license upon learning that the holder has been arrested or charged with certain offenses, or if the licensee is the subject of a protection order. If the holder is found not guilty or charges are dismissed, the license may be returned.

The licenses suspended last year may have been issued in 2020 or a previous year. Sheriffs are not required to report a reason for a license suspension.

#### The counties that suspended the most:

- 1. Franklin: 149 (170 in 2019)
- 2. Hamilton: 136 (154)
- 3. Montgomery: 126 (107)
- 4. Clermont: 123 (124)
- 5. Lake: 103 (134)
- 6. Portage: 64 (82)
- 7. Lorain: 49 (27)
- 8. Warren: 48 (38)
- 9. Lucas: 44 (112)
- 10. Stark: 40 (63)

#### The counties that suspended the fewest:

0 each: Coshocton (1 in 2019), Gallia (2), Jackson (3), Monroe (1), Putnam (3), Seneca (3), Washington (12)

1 each: Preble (5), Wyandot (2)

2 each: Champaign (4), Defiance (4), Fayette (2), Hocking (10), Meigs (0), Morgan (5), Noble (0), Van Wert (3)

#### **Licenses Revoked**



The number of licenses revoked in 2020 was the lowest since 2014.

Under ORC 2923.128, sheriffs must permanently revoke the license of any person who no longer meets the eligibility requirements to carry a concealed handgun. A license may be revoked when the holder moves out of state, dies, cancels the license, is convicted of a disqualifying crime, or becomes subject to the law's restrictions on mental illness or drug or alcohol dependency. Sheriffs are not required to report the reason for a revocation.

#### The counties that revoked the most:

- 1. Franklin: 90 (131 in 2019)
- 2. Clermont: 71 (46)
- 3. Mahoning: 39 (134)
- 4. Montgomery: 37 (54)
- 5. Lake: 31 (103)
- 6. Huron: 15 (7)
- 7. Union: 14 (2)
- 8. Ashland: 11 (4)
- 9. Geauga: 8 (18)
- 9. Lucas: 8 (39)
- 9. Marion: 8 (12)

#### The counties that revoked the fewest:

0 each: Adams (1 in 2019), Allen (4), Athens (0), Auglaize (1), Belmont (2), Brown (1), Butler (0), Carroll (0), Champaign (0), Clinton (0), Columbiana (0), Crawford (0), Defiance (1), Fayette (1), Gallia (2), Hardin (1), Harrison (0), Holmes (6), Jackson (3), Lawrence (0), Logan (0), Miami (14), Monroe (0),Morgan (0), Noble (0), Paulding (0), Perry (7), Pickaway (0), Pike (0), Portage (0), Putnam (0), Ross (3), Sandusky (1), Seneca (0), Shelby (1), Tuscarawas (2), Van Wert (2), Vinton (0), Wood (11), Wyandot (0)

#### **Applications Denied**

The number of regular-license denials was the highest in the program's history. Still, of all regular-license decisions made in 2020, denials amounted to 1%.



The law requires that sheriffs deny an application to any person who fails to meet the eligibility criteria specified in ORC 2923.125 for regular licenses or ORC 2923.1213 for temporary emergency licenses.

#### The counties that denied the most:

- 1. Lucas: 129 (188 in 2019)
- 2. Franklin: 122 (61)
- 3. Stark: 109 (81)
- 4. Cuyahoga: 96 (66)
- 5. Greene: 92 (14)
- 6. Lake: 87 (102)
- 7. Madison: 75 (18)
- 7. Mahoning: 75 (68)
- 9. Summit: 60 (74)
- 10. Ashland: 59 (15)

#### The counties that denied the fewest:

0 each: Coshocton (0 in 2019), Gallia (1), Hardin (0), Hocking (0), Morgan (1), Noble (2), Pickaway (0), Portage (1), Putnam (0), Seneca (0), Van Wert (0)

1 each: Athens (3), Meigs (2), Paulding (2)

2 each: Ashtabula (3), Carroll (2), Columbiana (4), Fayette (1), Monroe (1), Pike (2), Union (0), Vinton (0), Washington (0), Wyandot (2)

## **Reciprocity Agreements**

Ohio law requires the attorney general to craft reciprocity agreements with other states to allow people with Ohio permits to carry weapons in those jurisdictions and for those states' residents to carry handguns in Ohio.

Ohio automatically recognizes the concealed-handgun licenses of other states, but reciprocity agreements require an analysis of the other states' laws to ensure that they meet Ohio's requirements (ORC 109.69) and vice versa. Ohio permit holders can carry concealed handguns in these 36 states:

- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- Colorado
- Delaware
- Florida
- Georgia
- Idaho
- Indiana
- Kansas
- Kentucky

- Louisiana
- Michigan
- Mississippi
- Missouri
- Montana
- Nebraska
- Nevada
- New Hampshire
- New Mexico
- North Carolina
- North Dakota
- Oklahoma

- Pennsylvania
- South Carolina
- South Dakota
- Tennessee
- Texas
- Utah
- Vermont
- Virginia
- Washington
- West Virginia
- Wisconsin
- Wyoming

For more information, visit www.OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov/ConcealedCarry.

## New Safeguard

In Ohio, individuals declared mentally incompetent are barred from owning guns and from having a concealed-carry license (ORC Sections 2923.13 and 2923.128). In a special examination of the system in 2020, the Attorney General's Office discovered that this disqualification could fall through the cracks.

When courts declare Ohioans mentally incompetent, they notify the Attorney General's Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI). As a result, background checks can find the disqualification and prevent the person from obtaining a license. But if a person who already had a license was ruled incompetent, there was no process to trigger a revocation. That is because the Ohio Department of Public Safety (ODPS) maintains the list of concealed-carry license holders, and BCI had no access.

The analysis found 41 people in 17 counties who should not have had licenses. That is a tiny fraction of the estimated 700,000 license holders. In 35 of the cases, the person was ruled mentally incompetent after obtaining a concealed-carry license.

To solve the problem, Attorney General Yost forged a memorandum of understanding with ODPS that results in regular cross-checks. County sheriffs are now notified by BCI when action is required.







Adams	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	431	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	246	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	4	9
Number of License Processes Suspended	4 0	N/A
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	
Allen	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	751	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	750	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	12	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	8	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Ashland	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	3,552	2
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,138	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	14	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	11	0
Number of Licenses Denied	59	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	1	N/A
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Ashtabula	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,440	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	776	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	3	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	2	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Athens	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	377	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	329	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	3	Ó
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	1	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Number of Licenses Issued	522	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	465	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	403	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	7	0
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Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Belmont	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	484	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	532	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	6	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	4	1
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	– N/A
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Brown	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	724	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	457	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	4	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	18	1
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Butler	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	3,346	2
Number of Licenses Renewed	2,566	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	24	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	44	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	2	N/A
Carroll	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	494	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	311	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	8	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Champaign	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	845	
Number of Licenses Renewed	418	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	13	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Clark	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	819	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	848	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	18	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	2	0
Number of Licenses Denied	12	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	1	N/A
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Clermont	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	2,548	3
Number of Licenses Renewed	2,111	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	123	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	71	0
Number of Licenses Denied	49	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Clinton	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	915	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	501	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	4	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	Ő
Number of Licenses Denied	15	ů 0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Columbiana	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,377	2
Number of Licenses Renewed	891	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	12	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







Coshocton Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied	<b>Regular Licenses</b> 352 140 0 1 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 1 N/A 0 0 0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Crawford	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	147	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	273	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	6	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	8	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Cuyahoga	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,203	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,566	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	17	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	96	1
Number of License Processes Suspended	54	N/A
Darke	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	649	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	632	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	6	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	4	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Defiance	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	288	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	168	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	4	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	1	N/A







<b>Delaware</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	Regular Licenses 1,121 1,321 25 1 3 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 1 N/A 0 0 0 0 N/A
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Fairfield Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	Regular Licenses 629 1,279 9 7 19 1	Temporary Emergency Licenses 4 N/A 0 0 0 0 N/A
Fayette Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	Regular Licenses 292 80 2 0 2 0 2 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0 N/A
<b>Franklin</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	Regular Licenses 7,525 4,367 149 90 122 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 2 N/A 0 0 0 0 N/A







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Fulton	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed	1,006 505	0
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Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked	5	0
Number of Licenses Denied	34	0
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Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Gallia	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	278	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	400	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	0	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Geauga	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,447	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,066	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	14	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	8	0
Number of Licenses Denied	37	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Greene	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	4,742	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	2,064	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2,004	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	2	0
Number of Licenses Denied	92	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Guernsey	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	577	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	381	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	8	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	8	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	10	N/A







Hamilton	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	2,099	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,677	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	136	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	5	0
Number of Licenses Denied	9	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Hancock Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	<b>Regular Licenses</b> 833 604 6 1 21 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 1 N/A 0 0 0 0 N/A
Hardin	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	370	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	186	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	3	1
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	2	N/A
Harrison	<b>Regular Licenses</b>	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	340	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	189	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	3	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	12	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Henry	<b>Regular Licenses</b>	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	741	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	241	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	18	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







Highland	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,468	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	926	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	11	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	3	Ö
Number of Licenses Denied	18	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	
Hocking	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,526	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	622	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Holmes	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	490	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	506	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	13	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Huron	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,216	
Number of Licenses Renewed	606	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	14	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	15	0
Number of Licenses Denied	42	1
Number of License Processes Suspended	4	N/A
Jackson	Pogular Liconcoc	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	Regular Licenses 752	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	396	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	0	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	4	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	4 0	N/A
Number of License i Tolesses Suspended	0	N/A







Jefferson	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	605	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	406	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	10	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	6	0
Number of Licenses Denied	12	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Knox	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	645	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	720	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	9	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	16	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	4	N/A
Lake	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	4,839	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	3,083	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	103	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	31	0
Number of Licenses Denied	87	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Lawrence	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	600	
Number of Licenses Renewed	954	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	20	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	3	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Licking	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,217	
Number of Licenses Renewed	467	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	21	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	2	0
Number of Licenses Denied	15	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Lorain	<b>Regular Licenses</b>	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	792	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,048	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	49	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	7	0
Number of Licenses Denied	8	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Lucas	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,119	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,145	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	44	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	8	0
Number of Licenses Denied	129	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Madison	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	2,629	
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,608	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	34	Ó
Number of Licenses Revoked	7	0
Number of Licenses Denied	75	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	5	N/A
Mahoning	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	2,360	1 1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,359	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	32	Ó
Number of Licenses Revoked	39	0
Number of Licenses Denied	75	1
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







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Marion	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	635	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	562 16	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked	8	0
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Number of Licenses Denied	13	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Medina	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	777	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,544	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	7	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	6	0
Number of Licenses Denied	18	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Meigs	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	169	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	134	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	1	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Mercer	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	624	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	412	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	3	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	4	0
Number of Licenses Denied	13	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Miami	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,282	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,075	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	20	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	6	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







Monroe Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied	Regular Licenses 182 127 0 0 2	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Montgomery	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,413	5
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,840	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	126	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	37	0
Number of Licenses Denied	52	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	3	N/A
Morgan	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	249	
Number of Licenses Renewed	174	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Morrow	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,251	
Number of Licenses Renewed	623	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	8	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Muskingum	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,217	
Number of Licenses Renewed	943	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	10	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	5	0
Number of Licenses Denied	13	Ő
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Ottawa Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	<b>Regular Licenses</b> 713 625 17 3 36 17	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0 0 N/A
<b>Paulding</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	Regular Licenses 270 164 6 0 1 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0 N/A
<b>Perry</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	<b>Regular Licenses</b> 697 395 14 0 4 2	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0 N/A
<b>Pickaway</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied Number of License Processes Suspended	<b>Regular Licenses</b> 254 362 4 0 0 0	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0 0 0 N/A







<b>Pike</b> Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Renewed Number of Licenses Suspended	Regular Licenses 360 353 4	Temporary Emergency Licenses 0 N/A 0
Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied	0	0 0
Number of License Processes Suspended	2	N/A
Portage	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,406	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,200	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	64	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Preble	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	925	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	648	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	1	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	6	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Putnam	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	261	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	164	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	0	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Richland	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,004	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,124	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	25	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	3	0
Number of Licenses Denied	16	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	47	N/A







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Number of Licenses Issued	Regular Licenses 358	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Renewed	550	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	9
Number of Licenses Denied	3	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	
Sandusky	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,059	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	650	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	12	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	15	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Scioto	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	682	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	939	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	8	0
Number of Licenses Revoked Number of Licenses Denied	1 3	0
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Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Seneca	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	441	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	279	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	0	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Shelby	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	707	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	516	– N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	3	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







Stark	<b>Regular Licenses</b>	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	2,418	2
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,706	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	40	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	4	0
Number of Licenses Denied	109	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Summit	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,302	4
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,748	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	19	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	60	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	4	N/A
Trumbull	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	983	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	974	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	33	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	3	0
Number of Licenses Denied	21	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	4	N/A
Tuscarawas	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	3,007	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,019	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	16	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	20	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Union	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	856	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	711	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	6	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	14	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	5	N/A







Van Wert	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	151	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	193	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	2	Ó
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	0	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
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Vinton	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	540	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	401	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	4	, 0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	1	N/A
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Warren	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,416	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	2,027	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	48	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	11	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Washington	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	597	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	564	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	0	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	1	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Wayne	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,240	1
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,038	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	1,038	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	15	
Number of Licenses Denied	12	0
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Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A







Williams	<b>Regular Licenses</b>	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	833	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	446	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	5	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	3	0
Number of Licenses Denied	13	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
Wood	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	1,104	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	1,037	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	25	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	51	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	1	N/A
Wyandot	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	357	0
Number of Licenses Renewed	222	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	1	0
Number of Licenses Revoked	0	0
Number of Licenses Denied	2	0
Number of License Processes Suspended	0	N/A
STATE TOTALS	Regular Licenses	Temporary Emergency Licenses
Number of Licenses Issued	96,892	41
Number of Licenses Renewed	72,340	N/A
Number of Licenses Suspended	1,618	1
Number of Licenses Revoked	429	0
Number of Licenses Denied	1,777	5
Number of License Processes Suspended	173	N/A



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