



Arizona Marijuana Program November 2023 Monthly Report

In December 2010, Arizona voters passed the Arizona Medical Marijuana Act (AMMA), A.R.S. §36-2801 et seq. The AMMA went into effect on April 14, 2011, making Arizona the fourteenth state to adopt a medical marijuana law. The AMMA designates the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) as the licensing and issuing authority for the Arizona Medical Marijuana Program. The AMMA monthly report highlights the most current program statistics. This includes data on active medical marijuana cardholders as well as transaction data from the sale of medical marijuana at medical marijuana dispensaries. Tables 1-4 reflect data that are point-in time. Table 5-7, 10, 13, and Figure 1 are data from the month of November, 2023. Tables 8-10, 14, and Figure 2 shows cumulative data for 2023. For more information, please refer to our reporting page.

In November 2020, Arizona voters passed the Smart and Safe Arizona Act (SASAA), A.R.S. §36-2802 et seq. As of March 2021, statistics on adult use establishments were included in this report.

Arizona Marijuana Active Card Data

Table 1. Arizona Marijuana Active Cardholders Characteristics			
Cardholder Profile	Total Cardholders	Cultivation Approved	SNAP Eligible
Qualifying Patients	118,541	1,288	13,008
Designated Caregivers	335	141	
Dispensary Agents	158		
Facility Agents	20,847		
Lab Agents	237		
Total	140,118	1,429	13,008

Table 2. Arizona Medical Marijuana Active Qualifying Patients Characteristics			
Age Range	Female	Male	Total
Less than 18 years	33	52	85
18 to 30 years	9,541	13,065	22,606
31 to 40 years	9,821	12,984	22,805
41 to 50 years	9,786	11,979	21,765
51 to 60 years	9,474	9,515	18,989
61 to 70 years	10,534	10,615	21,149
71 to 80 years	4,243	5,833	10,076
81 and older	531	535	1,066
Total	53,963	64,578	118,541

Arizona Marijuana Active Card Data - Continued

Qualifying Health Condition	Patient Count	% of Total Cardholders*
Alzheimer's	53	0.04%
Cachexia	200	0.16%
Cancer	2,737	2.30%
Chronic Pain	111,598	94.14%
Crohn's Disease	535	0.45%
Glaucoma	742	0.62%
Hepatitis C	286	0.24%
HIV/AIDS	529	0.44%
Muscle Spasms	2,051	1.73%
Nausea	1,814	1.53%
PTSD	2,346	1.97%
Sclerosis	34	0.02%
Seizures	923	0.77%

% of Cardholders will not add up to 100% due to individual cardholders being represented across more than one Qualified Health Condition.

County	Qualifying Patients	Designated Caregivers	Dispensary Agents	Facility Agents	Lab Agents
Apache	430	5		80	
Cochise	1,667	9	12	865	
Coconino	2,231	10	1	316	1
Gila	878	1	1	150	
Graham	464	12		107	
Greenlee	81	3		22	
La Paz	144	2		56	
Maricopa	77,122	149	96	13,394	173
Mohave	2,076	14	7	593	
Navajo	1,548	11		635	1
Pima	18,154	64	9	2,124	44
Pinal	7,697	12		991	6
Santa Cruz	378	8		195	1
Yavapai	4,813	33	28	899	
Yuma	850	2	1	127	1
Outside AZ	8		3	293	10
Total	118,541	335	158	20,847	237

Current Month Revocations	Year to Date Revocations
0	2

Arizona Marijuana Application Data

Table 6. Arizona Marijuana November 2023 Applications by Application Type

Application Type	Applicant Profile					Total
	Qualifying Patients	Designated Caregivers	Dispensary Agents	Facility Agents	Lab Agents	
New Applications	1,894	17	1	489	17	2,418
Renewal Applications	2,104	4	1	234		2,343
Changed Demographics	56			37		93
Added Caregivers	3					3
Change Dup	2					2
Replaced Caregivers						
Removed Caregivers						
Void	21					21
Total	4,080	21	2	760	17	4,880

Table 7. Arizona Marijuana YTD 2023 Applications by Application Type

Application Type	Applicant Profile					Total
	Qualifying Patients	Designated Caregivers	Dispensary Agents	Facility Agents	Lab Agents	
New Applications	20,553	186	42	6,330	152	27,263
Renewal Applications	11,640	20	21	3,958	48	15,687
Changed Demographics	448	1		347		796
Added Caregivers	25					25
Change Dup	24			4		28
Replaced Caregivers	4					4
Removed Caregivers	2					2
Void	223					223
Total	32,919	207	63	10,639	200	44,028

Arizona Marijuana Application Data - Continued

Table 8. Arizona Marijuana November 2023 Approved Applications by County of Residence						
County	Applicant Profile					Total
	Qualifying Patients	Designated Caregivers	Dispensary Agents	Facility Agents	Lab Agents	
Apache	8			3		11
Cochise	57			2		59
Coconino	48			13		61
Gila	21			6		27
Graham	12			1		13
Greenlee	2					2
La Paz	2					2
Maricopa	2,693	4	2	484	14	3,197
Mohave	65			22		87
Navajo	59			29		88
Pima	626	2		48	1	677
Pinal	274	5		46		325
Santa Cruz	10			3	1	14
Yavapai	163	9		24		196
Yuma	33					33
Outside AZ				4	3	7
Total	4,073	20	2	685	19	4,799

Table 9. Arizona Marijuana YTD 2023 Approved Applications by County of Residence						
County	Applicant Profile					Total
	Qualifying Patients	Designated Caregivers	Dispensary Agents	Facility Agents	Lab Agents	
Apache	114	2		39	3	158
Cochise	369	3		267		639
Coconino	583	5		177	1	766
Gila	256			75		331
Graham	175	8		30		213
Greenlee	29	9		18		56
La Paz	44			9		53
Maricopa	21,091	69	59	6,847	128	28,194
Mohave	612	10		371		993
Navajo	414	3		279	15	711
Pima	5,147	51	1	1,025	32	6,256
Pinal	2,144	13		501	3	2,661
Santa Cruz	83	7		75	1	166
Yavapai	1,317	20		333		1,670
Yuma	275			57		332
Outside AZ	2		1	130	7	140
Total	32,655	200	61	10,233	190	43,339

Table 10. Arizona Medical Marijuana Number of Physicians Providing Written Certifications for Qualifying Patients	
Application Physician Reporting Month	Application Physician YTD
185	537

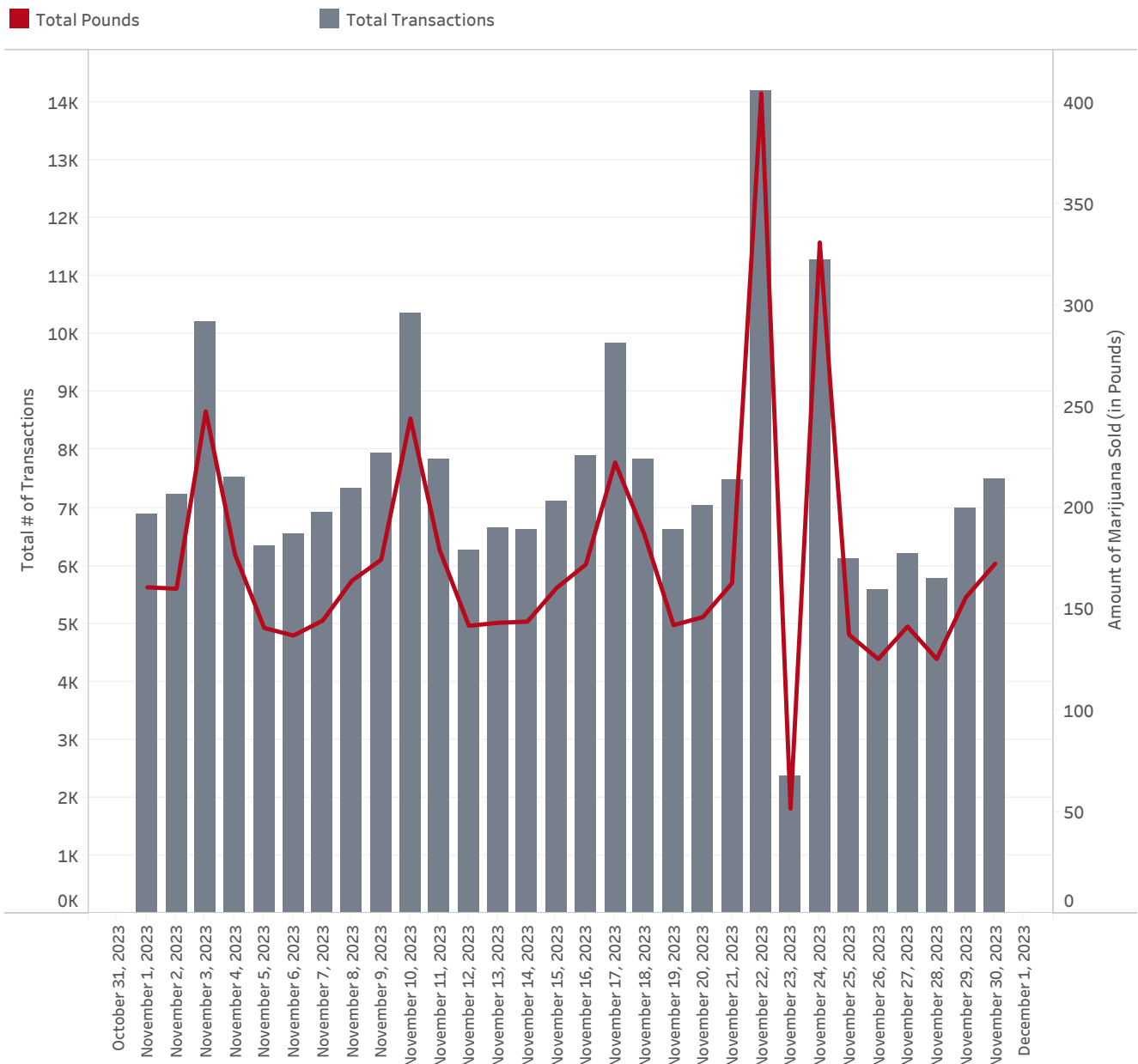
Arizona Medical Marijuana Dispensary Data

As of 12/1/2023, there are a total of 137 medical marijuana dispensaries, with 132 operating facilities.

Table 11. Arizona Medical Marijuana November 2023 Transaction Summary in Ounces and Pounds

Marijuana Ounces	Edible Ounces	Other Ounces	Total Ounces
71,484.84	1,556.58	10,102.15	83,143.55
Marijuana Pounds	Edible Pounds	Other Pounds	Total Pounds
4,467.81	97.30	631.38	5,196.47

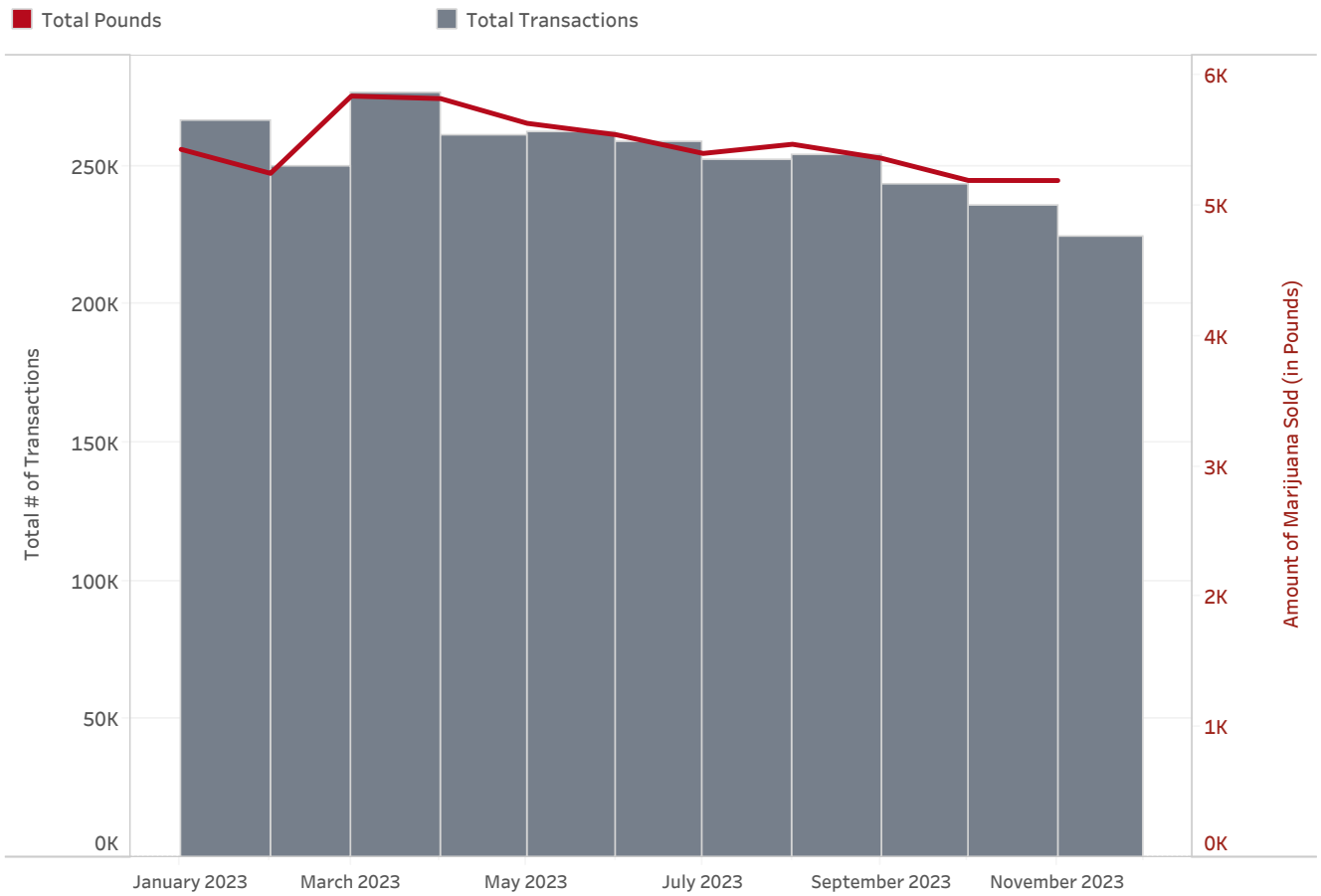
Figure 1. Arizona Medical Marijuana November Transactions and Pounds Sold



Arizona Medical Marijuana Dispensary Data - Continued

Table 12. Arizona Medical Marijuana YTD 2023 Transaction Summary in Ounces and Pounds			
Marijuana Ounces	Edible Ounces	Other Ounces	Total Ounces
824,691.53	17,899.04	120,301.36	962,892.00
Marijuana Pounds	Edible Pounds	Other Pounds	Total Pounds
51,543.37	1,118.80	7,518.92	60,180.80

Figure 2. Arizona Medical Marijuana YTD 2023 Transactions and Pounds Sold



Other Arizona Marijuana Data

Current Establishments

As of 12/1/2023, there are a total of 169 establishments, with 168 operating facilities.

Current Labs

As of 12/1/2023, there are a total of 20 labs.