

**CP Examination Data
States Represented at Time of Certification
January 1, 1977 through December 31, 2023**

Alabama	263	Louisiana	221	Oklahoma	830
Alaska	96	Maine	84	Oregon	163
Arizona	1552	Maryland	72	Pennsylvania	212
Arkansas	136	Massachusetts	40	Puerto Rico	34
California	1535	Michigan	251	Rhode Island	12
Colorado	333	Minnesota	86	South Carolina	366
Connecticut	35	Mississippi	244	South Dakota	196
Delaware	7	Missouri	160	Tennessee	433
District of Columbia	18	Montana	121	Texas	3531
Florida	5163	Nebraska	259	Utah	280
Georgia	286	Nevada	371	Vermont	4
Hawaii	11	New Hampshire	111	Virginia	487
Idaho	59	New Jersey	264	Virgin Islands	46
Illinois	161	New Mexico	239	Washington	106
Indiana	89	New York	199	West Virginia	133
Iowa	168	North Carolina	591	Wisconsin	84
Kansas	273	North Dakota	151	Wyoming	188
Kentucky	41	Ohio	228	Belgium	2
				Canada	2
				France	1
				Guam	1
				Japan	1
				Taiwan	1
				Total	21,029

Total Certified Paralegals since January 1, 1977	21,029
Total Active Certified Paralegals as of December 31, 2023	6,962

CP CERTIFICATION STATISTICS

Effective with the 2018 CP examination structure, the exam consists of the Knowledge Exam administered year-round, and Skills Exam administered during the months of February, April, July, and October. All candidates must take and pass the Knowledge Exam before receiving authorization to take the Skills Exam. To learn more about certification, please visit our website at <https://nala.org/certification/>.

Knowledge Exam

2021	Candidates	Passed	2022	Candidates	Passed	2023	Candidates	Passed
January	66	38	January	50	35	January	33	17
February	38	31	February	3	1	February	50	23
March	55	28	March	32	17	March	59	32
April	80	45	April	127	30	April	62	31
May	39	27	May	55	33	May	59	31
June	90	54	June	52	27	June	62	34
July	58	30	July	63	45	July	64	31
August	50	30	August	52	33	August	42	30
September	72	52	September	67	38	September	66	31
October	66	37	October	55	31	October	49	32
November	27	13	November	38	18	November	25	11
December	31	15	December	32	22	December	77	49
Total	672	400	Total	626	330	Total	648	352

Skills Exam

2021	Candidates	New CPs	2022	Candidates	New CPs	2023	Candidates	New CPs
February	104	83	February	119	84	February	*0	*0
April	104	45	April	65	39	April	149	103
July	150	95	July	119	89	July	131	62
October	158	89	October	123	67	October	131	69
Total	516	312	Total	426	279	Total	411	234

Total Certified Paralegal candidates examined through December 31, 2023 = 37,528

**Testing centers were unavailable during this testing window.*