

## First-Time Exam Takers and Repeaters in 2025

First-time exam and repeat test taker data supplied by the jurisdictions in this chart are based on those examinees' testing experience *in the reporting jurisdiction only* and do not account for possible previous attempts at the bar examination in other jurisdictions. It is therefore possible that examinees counted as first-time test takers in this chart have previously taken the bar examination one or more times in another jurisdiction.

Jurisdiction	2025 Administration	First-Timers			Repeaters		
		Taking	Passing	% Passing	Taking	Passing	% Passing
Alabama	February	121	56	46%	202	34	17%
	July	341	266	78%	211	31	15%
	Total	462	322	70%	413	65	16%
Alaska	February	12	9	75%	13	3	23%
	July	68	52	76%	17	6	35%
	Total	80	61	76%	30	9	30%
Arizona	February	144	94	65%	106	31	29%
	July	425	339	80%	94	33	35%
	Total	569	433	76%	200	64	32%
Arkansas	February	30	19	63%	59	27	46%
	July	202	160	79%	42	11	26%
	Total	232	179	77%	101	38	38%
California	February	1,161	776	67%	2,725	1,696	62%
	July	5,441	3,793	70%	1,921	239	12%
	Total	6,602	4,569	69%	4,646	1,935	42%
Colorado	February	111	72	65%	109	44	40%
	July	626	502	80%	79	29	37%
	Total	737	574	78%	188	73	39%
Connecticut	February	52	21	40%	117	36	31%
	July	356	234	66%	92	25	27%
	Total	408	255	63%	209	61	29%
Delaware	February	36	26	72%	56	23	41%
	July	178	145	81%	36	10	28%
	Total	214	171	80%	92	33	36%
District of Columbia	February	325	176	54%	368	123	33%
	July	1,897	1,666	88%	315	104	33%
	Total	2,222	1,842	83%	683	227	33%
Florida	February	555	360	65%	666	196	29%
	July	2,152	1,687	78%	565	121	21%
	Total	2,707	2,047	76%	1,231	317	26%
Georgia	February	107	51	48%	277	100	36%
	July	859	708	82%	232	84	36%
	Total	966	759	79%	509	184	36%
Hawaii	February	58	44	76%	41	18	44%
	July	142	110	77%	29	12	41%
	Total	200	154	77%	70	30	43%
Idaho	February	22	15	68%	19	6	32%
	July	131	109	83%	13	7	54%
	Total	153	124	81%	32	13	41%
Illinois	February	219	115	53%	535	190	36%
	July	1,861	1,556	84%	407	124	30%
	Total	2,080	1,671	80%	942	314	33%

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		Taking	Passing	% Passing	Taking	Passing	% Passing
Indiana	February	70	44	63%	116	43	37%
	July	362	300	83%	75	19	25%
	Total	432	344	80%	191	62	32%
Iowa	February	27	12	44%	23	5	22%
	July	163	136	83%	18	7	39%
	Total	190	148	78%	41	12	29%
Kansas	February	28	19	68%	26	10	38%
	July	154	134	87%	26	13	50%
	Total	182	153	84%	52	23	44%
Kentucky	February	40	24	60%	70	31	44%
	July	268	218	81%	55	34	62%
	Total	308	242	79%	125	65	52%
Louisiana	February	78	48	62%	135	72	53%
	July	422	347	82%	85	31	36%
	Total	500	395	79%	220	103	47%
Maine	February	38	18	47%	22	8	36%
	July	125	97	78%	21	8	38%
	Total	163	115	71%	43	16	37%
Maryland	February	114	57	50%	203	63	31%
	July	637	482	76%	209	55	26%
	Total	751	539	72%	412	118	29%
Massachusetts	February	180	109	61%	337	130	39%
	July	1,248	1,070	86%	257	71	28%
	Total	1,428	1,179	83%	594	201	34%
Michigan	February	107	49	46%	211	72	34%
	July	564	430	76%	190	60	32%
	Total	671	479	71%	401	132	33%
Minnesota	February	76	52	68%	93	38	41%
	July	525	471	90%	69	28	41%
	Total	601	523	87%	162	66	41%
Mississippi	February	26	17	65%	23	6	26%
	July	109	94	86%	17	10	59%
	Total	135	111	82%	40	16	40%
Missouri	February	83	50	60%	102	47	46%
	July	547	473	86%	88	29	33%
	Total	630	523	83%	190	76	40%
Montana	February	11	6	55%	16	5	31%
	July	93	80	86%	9	5	56%
	Total	104	86	83%	25	10	40%
Nebraska	February	15	9	60%	30	14	47%
	July	193	154	80%	13	2	15%
	Total	208	163	78%	43	16	37%

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Nevada	February	131	76	58%	80	21	26%
	July	243	173	71%	60	15	25%
	Total	374	249	67%	140	36	26%
New Hampshire	February	20	9	45%	20	6	30%
	July	76	53	70%	18	6	33%
	Total	96	62	65%	38	12	32%
New Jersey	February	146	72	49%	282	86	30%
	July	719	543	76%	232	62	27%
	Total	865	615	71%	514	148	29%
New Mexico	February	30	19	63%	55	21	38%
	July	144	116	81%	59	11	19%
	Total	174	135	78%	114	32	28%
New York	February	1,541	885	57%	2,549	698	27%
	July	8,215	6,429	78%	1,716	547	32%
	Total	9,756	7,314	75%	4,265	1,245	29%
North Carolina	February	212	141	67%	182	57	31%
	July	669	582	87%	136	54	40%
	Total	881	723	82%	318	111	35%
North Dakota	February	5	3	60%	17	6	35%
	July	57	41	72%	6	—	—
	Total	62	44	71%	23	6	26%
Ohio	February	122	79	65%	223	68	30%
	July	815	648	80%	152	45	30%
	Total	937	727	78%	375	113	30%
Oklahoma	February	44	28	64%	71	26	37%
	July	312	252	81%	50	23	46%
	Total	356	280	79%	121	49	40%
Oregon	February	74	44	59%	56	21	38%
	July	327	260	80%	35	10	29%
	Total	401	304	76%	91	31	34%
Pennsylvania	February	164	94	57%	276	75	27%
	July	1,335	1,101	82%	223	91	41%
	Total	1,499	1,195	80%	499	166	33%
Rhode Island	February	9	5	56%	26	13	50%
	July	84	63	75%	5	3	60%
	Total	93	68	73%	31	16	52%
South Carolina	February	115	79	69%	99	37	37%
	July	362	308	85%	70	31	44%
	Total	477	387	81%	169	68	40%
South Dakota	February	11	9	82%	20	8	40%
	July	55	43	78%	12	6	50%
	Total	66	52	79%	32	14	44%

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Tennessee	February	102	59	58%	142	49	35%
	July	603	490	81%	107	30	28%
	Total	705	549	78%	249	79	32%
Texas	February	523	299	57%	554	213	38%
	July	2,541	2,138	84%	569	203	36%
	Total	3,064	2,437	80%	1,123	416	37%
Utah	February	82	63	77%	26	15	58%
	July	291	259	89%	25	12	48%
	Total	373	322	86%	51	27	53%
Vermont	February	25	10	40%	11	1	9%
	July	39	27	69%	13	5	38%
	Total	64	37	58%	24	6	25%
Virginia	February	135	93	69%	117	60	51%
	July	493	418	85%	73	30	41%
	Total	628	511	81%	190	90	47%
Washington	February	154	89	58%	159	46	29%
	July	641	527	82%	139	31	22%
	Total	795	616	77%	298	77	26%
West Virginia	February	17	12	71%	20	8	40%
	July	94	77	82%	17	8	47%
	Total	111	89	80%	37	16	43%
Wisconsin	February	36	25	69%	30	2	7%
	July	82	71	87%	38	11	29%
	Total	118	96	81%	68	13	19%
Wyoming	February	10	5	50%	9	3	33%
	July	40	30	75%	7	2	29%
	Total	50	35	70%	16	5	31%
Guam	February	5	5	100%	1	—	—
	July	2	2	100%	4	—	—
	Total	7	7	100%	5	—	—
N. Mariana Islands	February	1	1	100%	—	—	—
	July	2	2	100%	—	—	—
	Total	3	3	100%	—	—	—
Palau	February	No February examination					
	July	2	2	100%	—	—	—
	Total	2	2	100%	—	—	—
Puerto Rico*	February	151	68	45%	205	81	40%
	July	303	179	59%	203	85	42%
	Total	454	247	54%	408	166	41%
Virgin Islands	February	3	2	67%	1	—	—
	July	7	6	86%	1	—	—
	Total	10	8	80%	2	—	—
TOTALS	February	7,714	4,622	60%	11,931	4,692	39%
	July	38,642	30,653	79%	9,155	2,529	28%
	Total	46,356	35,275	76%	21,086	7,221	34%

\* Examinations in Puerto Rico are administered in March and September.