



# STATE BAR OF TEXAS

## Department of Research and Analysis

### State Bar of Texas Membership: El Paso County Attorney Statistical Profile (2023-24)

This report profiles active attorney members of El Paso County as of December 31, 2023. Not every attorney reports demographic data to the bar. Separate population totals are provided in italics in each category that is lacking all demographic data. Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding. Over the past 10 years the number of active State Bar of Texas attorneys has increased by 3%, from 1,240 attorneys in 2013 to 1,288 in 2023.

	El Paso County				All Active Attorneys			
	2013-14		2023-24		2013-14		2023-24	
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<b>Sex</b>								
	<i>(N = 1,230)</i>		<i>(N = 1,285)</i>		<i>(N = 93,910)</i>		<i>(N = 113,303)</i>	
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	<i>(N = 1,165)</i>		<i>(N = 1,227)</i>		<i>(N = 89,549)</i>		<i>(N = 108,046)</i>	
White	615	55%	504	41%	73,287	82%	81,956	76%
Black/African-American	17	1%	16	1%	4,406	5%	6,759	6%
Hispanic/Latino	489	42%	651	53%	7,393	8%	11,739	11%
Asian/Pacific Islander	12	1%	12	1%	2,678	3%	4,532	4%
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	<1%	1	<1%	289	<1%	372	<1%
Two or More Races	9	1%	13	1%	506	1%	1,219	1%
Other Race	22	2%	30	2%	990	1%	1,469	1%
<b>Years Licensed *</b>								
2 or less years	102	5%	79	6%	8,453	9%	8,105	7%
3 to 6 years	118	10%	116	9%	10,986	12%	10,192	9%
7 to 10 years	116	9%	120	9%	10,392	11%	11,656	10%
11 to 15 years	128	10%	163	13%	11,480	12%	14,694	13%
16 to 20 years	143	12%	143	11%	11,211	12%	13,794	12%
21 to 25 years	139	11%	102	8%	10,295	11%	11,522	10%
Over 25 years	494	40%	565	44%	31,987	34%	43,807	39%
Median Years Licensed	21 Years		22 Years		18 Years		20 Years	
<b>Age</b>								
21 to 25 years	6	<1%	6	<1%	234	<1%	301	<1%
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31 to 35 years	128	10%	126	10%	11,627	12%	11,207	10%
36 to 40 years	121	10%	149	12%	10,916	12%	13,686	12%
41 to 45 years	138	11%	150	12%	11,404	12%	14,103	12%
46 to 50 years	143	12%	111	9%	10,125	11%	12,098	11%
51 to 55 years	136	11%	129	10%	10,452	11%	12,003	11%
56 to 60 years	152	12%	125	10%	10,506	11%	10,178	9%
61 to 65 years	140	11%	112	9%	9,033	10%	9,595	8%
More than 65 years	192	15%	315	24%	12,709	13%	23,307	20%
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Administrative and Public Law	9	1%	6	<1%	1,156	1%	1,118	1%
African-American Lawyers	1	<1%	4	<1%	432	<1%	1,356	1%
Alternative Dispute Resolution	13	1%	7	<1%	1,141	1%	1,154	1%
Animal Law	6	<1%	6	<1%	353	<1%	290	<1%
Antitrust and Business Litigation	10	1%	4	<1%	985	1%	735	1%
Appellate	22	2%	17	1%	1,838	2%	2,052	2%
Asian-Pacific Interest	2	<1%	0	0%	257	<1%	434	<1%
Aviation Law	1	<1%	2	<1%	279	<1%	310	<1%
Bankruptcy Law	22	2%	12	1%	1,532	2%	1,333	1%
Business Law	46	4%	33	3%	4,215	4%	4,267	4%
Child Protection Law	-	-	16	1%	--	--	1,035	1%
Civil Liberties & Civil Rights	1	<1%	3	<1%	206	<1%	500	<1%
Collaborative Law	0	0%	0	0%	237	<1%	233	<1%
Computer and Technology	50	4%	8	1%	2,836	3%	1,822	2%
Construction Law	38	3%	27	2%	2,078	2%	2,609	2%
Consumer and Commercial Law	18	1%	10	1%	1,294	1%	1,164	1%
Corporate Counsel	8	1%	16	1%	3,902	4%	4,919	4%
Criminal Justice	65	5%	31	2%	3,119	3%	2,882	3%
Entertainment and Sports Law	5	<1%	4	<1%	584	1%	700	1%
Environmental and Natural Resources	4	<1%	1	<1%	1,388	1%	1,232	1%
Family Law	67	5%	72	6%	5,691	6%	5,631	5%
General Practice, Solo, and Small Firm	24	2%	13	1%	2,108	2%	1,878	2%
Government Lawyers	13	1%	16	1%	860	1%	1,058	1%
Health Law	11	1%	15	1%	1,540	2%	1,561	1%
Hispanic Issues	15	1%	19	1%	355	<1%	640	1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	21	2%	32	2%	941	1%	1,576	1%
Insurance Law	14	1%	13	1%	1,686	2%	2,271	2%
Intellectual Property Law	5	<1%	8	1%	2,381	3%	2,254	2%
International Law	5	<1%	6	<1%	888	1%	678	1%
James C. Watson Inn	2	<1%	1	<1%	138	<1%	90	<1%
Judicial	29	2%	13	1%	963	1%	999	1%
Justice of the Peace Courts	0	0%	2	<1%	73	<1%	187	<1%
Juvenile Law	9	1%	8	1%	845	1%	756	1%
Labor and Employment Law	64	5%	54	4%	2,959	3%	3,176	3%
Legislative and Campaign Law	77	6%	2	<1%	--	--	491	<1%
LGBT Law	0	0%	11	1%	306	<1%	698	1%
Litigation	77	6%	65	5%	7,446	8%	8,251	7%
Litigation -Sustaining	5	<1%	12	1%	200	<1%	408	<1%
Military and Veterans Law	11	1%	7	1%	409	<1%	464	<1%
Municipal Judges	4	<1%	2	<1%	286	<1%	244	<1%
Native American Law	2	<1%	1	<1%	118	<1%	149	<1%
Oil, Gas and Energy Resources Law	4	<1%	3	<1%	4,476	5%	3,979	3%
Poverty Law	7	<1%	20	2%	425	<1%	732	1%
Public Utility Law	4	<1%	5	<1%	47	<1%	548	<1%
Real Estate, Probate & Trust Law	88	7%	73	6%	7,732	8%	9,429	8%
School Law	14	1%	9	1%	664	1%	812	1%
Tax	23	2%	25	2%	2,031	2%	2,177	2%
Women and the Law	6	<1%	28	2%	610	1%	1,987	2%
Workers' Compensation	4	<1%	6	<1%	312	<1%	307	<1%

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<b>Board Certifications</b>								
Board Certified Attorneys	135	11%	100	8%	7,120	8%	6,869	6%
Attorneys Not Board Certified	1,105	89%	1,188	92%	87,684	92%	106,902	94%
Attorneys Board Certified in One Area	115	9%	87	7%	6,011	6%	5,978	5%
Attorneys Board Certified in Two Areas	40	3%	13	1%	989	1%	792	1%
Attorneys Board Certified in Three or More Areas	0	0%	0	0%	120	<1%	99	0%
<b>Attorneys Board Certified In:</b>								
Administrative Law	1	<1%	1	<1%	152	<1%	95	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Business	6	<1%	5	<1%	141	<1%	99	<1%
Bankruptcy Law: Consumer	6	<1%	6	<1%	135	<1%	96	<1%
Child Welfare Law	-	-	1	<1%	--	--	126	<1%
Civil Appellate Law	11	1%	10	1%	430	<1%	406	<1%
Civil Trial Law	20	2%	10	1%	1,037	1%	759	1%
Construction Law	-	-	0	<1%	--	--	132	<1%
Consumer and Commercial Law	3	<1%	2	<1%	69	<1%	72	<1%
Criminal Appellate	1	<1%	1	<1%	105	<1%	127	<1%
Criminal Law	12	1%	11	1%	845	1%	786	1%
Estate Planning and Probate Law	8	1%	7	1%	680	1%	666	1%
Family Law	14	1%	8	1%	767	1%	843	1%
Health Law	0	0%	0	0%	56	<1%	75	<1%
Immigration and Nationality Law	3	<1%	2	<1%	139	<1%	169	<1%
Juvenile Law	2	<1%	2	<1%	70	<1%	68	<1%
Labor and Employment Law	17	1%	16	1%	610	1%	648	1%
Legislative and Campaign Law	-	-	0	0%	--	--	13	<1%
Oil, Gas, and Mineral Law	0	0%	0	0%	300	<1%	376	<1%
Personal Injury Trial Law	34	3%	20	2%	1,615	2%	1,299	1%
Property Owners Association Law	-	-	0	0%	--	--	56	<1%
Real Estate Law: Commercial	10	1%	6	<1%	490	1%	393	<1%
Real Estate Law: Farm and Ranch	0	0%	0	0%	98	<1%	67	<1%
Real Estate Law: Residential	3	<1%	0	0%	306	<1%	241	<1%
Tax Law	4	<1%	5	<1%	218	<1%	170	<1%
Workers' Compensation Law	0	0%	0	0%	96	<1%	90	<1%

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### Footnotes

- \* Based on year first licensed in any jurisdiction.
- \*\* Texas Young Lawyers Association membership is automatic for attorneys licensed 12 years or less at the beginning of each fiscal year (June 1). For years prior to 2022, membership was automatic for attorneys age 36 or younger and for attorneys of any age who were in their first five years of practice.

### General Notes

All demographic data is self-reported and represents active attorney bar members in good standing as of December 31, 2023. Not every attorney reports demographic data to the bar. Separate population totals are provided in italics in each category that is lacking full membership representation. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. The State Bar of Texas follows the U.S. Census Bureau and U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission guidelines for collecting information on sex and race/ethnicity.