

**Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy
Jurisdiction Licensure Reference Guide
Topic: PT Supervision Ratios**

These tables provide information on which jurisdictions limit the number of personnel a PT can supervise, what the limits are and who is included in those limits.

Summary: Number of jurisdictions with a supervision ratio of:

1:1	0
1:2	6
1:3	14
1:4	5
Other	7
Not Reported	21
Total	53

Summary: Types of personnel in the supervision ratio

PTAs	30
Aides	19
Students	11
Temporary License	14
Supervised Clinical Practice	7
Other	0

STATE	Supervision Ratio?	Supervision Ratio	Other, please specify	Personnel Included in the Supervision Ratio				
				PTAs	Aides	Students	Temporary License	Supervised Clinical Practice
AL	Yes	1:4		✓				
AK	Yes	1:3			✓	✓	✓	
AZ	Yes	1:3		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
AR	No							
CA	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
CO	Yes	1:3		✓	✓	✓		✓
CT	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
DE	Yes	1:2		✓			✓	
DC	Yes	1:3		✓	✓			

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				PTAs	Aides	Students	Temporary License	
FL	No							
GA	No							
HI	No							
ID	Yes	1:3		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
IL	No							
IN	Yes	1:3		✓			✓	
IA	Yes	1:2		✓				
KS	Yes	1:4		✓				
KY	Yes	1:4		✓	✓			
LA	Yes		1:3, but could be 1:5 if using students	✓	✓	✓		
ME	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
MD	No							
MA	No							
MI	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
MN	Yes	1:2		✓				
MS	Yes	1:4		✓		✓	✓	
MO	Yes		4 full-time equivalent	✓				
MN	Yes		2 full-time PTAs or 4 aides or 2 PTAs + 2 aides	✓	✓	✓	✓	
NE	Yes	1:2		✓				
NV	Yes	1:3		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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NH	Yes		A PT shall supervise concurrently no greater # of PTAs & support personal than the PT is able to supervise competently while performing their duties	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
NJ				<i>No Data Provided</i>				
NM	Yes	1:4		✓	✓		✓	
NY	Yes		Generally, the ratio is 1:4. However, in school settings and home care, if the PTA is not being continuously supervised, the ratio is 1:2.	✓				
NC	Yes		(i) A PT must be limited: clinically supervising only that number of assistive personnel, including PTAs	✓	✓	✓		

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ND	Yes	1:3		✓	✓			
OH	No							
OK	Yes	1:3		✓			✓	
OR	No							
PA	Yes	1:3		✓				
PR	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
RI	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
SC	Yes	1:3		✓	✓			
SD	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
TN	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
TX	No							
UT	Yes	1:3		✓	✓			
VT	No							
VI	<i>No Data Provided</i>							
VA	Yes	1:3				✓		
WA	Yes	1:2		✓	✓		✓	✓
WV	Yes	1:2		✓	✓		✓	
			PT: PTAs = 1:2 PT: Unlicensed personnel + PTAs (including supervision of those PTs and PTAs with temp licenses) = 1:4					
WI	Yes			✓	✓		✓	✓
WY	Yes	1:3		✓	✓			