

2012 Plastic Surgery Statistics Report

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2012 Cosmetic Plastic Surgery Statistics

Cosmetic Procedure Trends

Top 5 procedures appear in bold

COSMETIC SURGICAL PROCEDURES	2012	2011	2000	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2011	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2000
Breast augmentation (augmentation mammaplasty)**	286,274	307,180	212,500	-7%	35%
Breast implant removals (augmentation patients only)	21,609	22,271	40,787	-3%	-47%
Breast lift (mastopexy)	89,067	90,679	52,836	-2%	69%
Breast reduction (aesthetic patients only)	42,022	43,923	*	-4%	*
Breast reduction in men (gynecomastia)	20,723	19,766	20,351	5%	2%
Buttock implants	858	1,149	*	-25%	*
Buttock lift	2,898	4,546	1,356	-36%	114%
Calf augmentation	436	405	*	8%	*
Cheek implant (malar augmentation)	12,698	11,996	10,427	6%	22%
Chin augmentation (mentoplasty)	18,645	20,680	26,924	-10%	-31%
Dermabrasion	72,805	73,433	42,218	-1%	72%
Ear surgery (otoplasty)	25,730	26,433	36,295	-3%	-29%
Eyelid surgery (blepharoplasty)	204,015	196,286	327,514	4%	-38%
Facelift (rhytidectomy)	126,320	119,026	133,856	6%	-6%
Forehead lift	44,722	46,931	120,971	-5%	-63%
Hair transplantation	16,377	15,754	44,694	4%	-63%
Lip augmentation (other than injectable materials)	25,144	25,477	18,589	-1%	35%
Lip reduction	893	876	*	2%	*
Liposuction	202,128	204,702	354,015	-1%	-43%
Lower body lift	7,163	7,615	207	-6%	3,360%
Nose reshaping (rhinoplasty)	242,684	243,772	389,155	0%	-38%
Pectoral implants	336	317	*	6%	*
Thigh lift	8,894	9,761	5,303	-9%	68%
Tummy tuck (abdominoplasty)	106,628	115,902	62,713	-8%	70%
Upper arm lift	15,457	14,998	338	3%	4,473%
TOTAL COSMETIC SURGICAL PROCEDURES	1,594,526	1,623,878	1,901,049	-2%	-16%

COSMETIC MINIMALLY-INVASIVE PROCEDURES	2012	2011	2000	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2011	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2000
Botulinum toxin type A (Botox®, Dysport®)***	6,134,621	5,670,788	786,911	8%	680%
Cellulite treatment (e.g., Velosmooth®, Endermology)	33,123	37,916	23,952	-13%	38%
Chemical peel	1,133,821	1,110,464	1,149,457	2%	-1%
Intense pulsed light (IPL) treatment	553,293	501,577	*	10%	*
Laser hair removal	1,118,254	1,078,612	735,996	4%	52%
Laser skin resurfacing	509,055	466,238	170,951	9%	198%
Ablative	147,271	134,982	*	9%	*
Non-ablative (e.g., Fraxel®)	361,784	331,256	*	9%	*
Laser treatment of leg veins	232,108	237,052	245,424	-2%	-5%
Microdermabrasion	973,556	900,439	868,315	8%	12%
Sclerotherapy	358,152	355,403	866,555	1%	-59%
Soft tissue fillers	1,988,767	1,891,158	652,885	5%	205%
Calcium hydroxylapatite (e.g., Radiesse®)	277,346	286,179	*	-3%	*
Collagen	67,777	72,300	587,615	-6%	-88%
Porcine/bovine-based (e.g., Evolence®, Zyderm®, Zyplast®)	16,317	13,734	*	19%	*
Human-based (e.g., Cosmoderm®, Cosmoplast®, Cymetra®)	51,460	58,566	*	-12%	*
Fat	63,128	68,410	65,270	-8%	-3%
Hyaluronic acid (e.g., Juvederm Ultra®, Juvederm Ultra Plus®, Perlane®, Restylane®, Prevelle Silk®)	1,423,136	1,303,656	*	9%	*
Polylactic acid (Sculptra®)	139,038	143,777	*	-3%	*
Polymethyl-methacrylate microspheres (Artefill®)	18,342	16,836	*	9%	*
TOTAL COSMETIC MINIMALLY-INVASIVE PROCEDURES	13,034,750	12,249,647	5,500,446	6%	137%
TOTAL COSMETIC PROCEDURES	14,629,276	13,873,525	7,401,495	5%	98%

^{*} Data unavailable in prior year.

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62% of total 2012 breast implants were silicone; 38% were saline. *Botulinum toxin type A numbers are of anatomic sites injected.