



2002 ASAPS Member Practice Profile

	Procedure	Average Procedures per ASAPS Member	
Surgical Procedures	Abdominoplasty (tummy tuck)	17.0	
	Blepharoplasty (cosmetic eyelid surgery)	38.0 ³	
	Breast augmentation	61.0 ¹	
	Breast lift	18.9 ⁵	
	Breast nipple enlargement (cosmetic only)	0.1	
	Breast nipple reduction (not with breast reduction)	0.3	
	Breast reduction (women)*	27.4 ⁴	
	Buttock augmentation	0.1	
	Buttock lift	0.3	
	Calf augmentation	0.1	
	Cheek implants	0.6	
	Chin augmentation	2.7	
	Facelift	18.9 ⁵	
	Forehead lift	9.9	
	Gynecomastia, treatment of (male breast reduction)	3.4	
	Hair transplantation	0.4	
	Lip augmentation (other than injectable materials)	2.8	
	Lipoplasty (liposuction)	60.6 ²	
	Lower body lift	0.8	
	Otoplasty (cosmetic ear surgery)	2.7	
Pectoral (male chest) augmentation	0.1		
Rhinoplasty (nose reshaping)	11.8		
Thigh lift	0.9		
Umbilicoplasty (not with abdominoplasty)	0.3		
Upper arm lift	1.2		
	Totals -Surgical Procedures	280.2	
Nonsurgical Procedures	Botulinum toxin injection (Botox®, Myobloc®)	121.7 ^A	
	Cellulite treatment (mechanical roller massage therapy)	8.5	
	Chemical peel	27.4 ^E	
	Collagen injection	49.6 ^C	
	Dermabrasion (not including microdermabrasion)	2.5	
	Fat injection	12.8	
	Laser hair removal	37.0 ^D	
	Laser skin resurfacing	7.8	
	Laser treatment of leg veins	4.3	
	Microdermabrasion	60.3 ^B	
	Sclerotherapy	10.8	
		Totals -Nonsurgical Procedures	342.7
		TOTALS -ALL PROCEDURES	622.9

- Members of the American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (ASAPS) are certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery (in Canada, the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada) and specialize in cosmetic surgery of the face and body. Only ASAPS members practicing in the U.S. are included in the 2002 national statistics (along with other U.S. plastic surgeons, otolaryngologists and dermatologists).

- ASAPS surgeons are elected to membership following documentation of their clinical experience in cosmetic plastic surgery, fulfillment of specified Continuing Medical Education (CME) requirements in cosmetic surgery, and review of their professional reputation.

- ASAPS members are required to operate only in accredited, state-licensed or Medicare-certified facilities, as of July 2002. Ninety-seven percent (97%) of ASAPS members have complied and others in the process of accreditation have been granted limited extensions.

- Among physicians from multiple specialties, ASAPS members performed the highest average number of cosmetic procedures per doctor in 2002.

The top five procedures in each category are indicated and are numbered 1 through 5 for surgical procedures and A through E for nonsurgical procedures.

*Breast reduction may be covered by insurance, depending on terms of the policy and individual patient factors.

- Final figures are projected to reflect nationwide statistics and are based on a survey of doctors who have been certified by American Board of Medical Specialties recognized boards, including but not limited to the American Board of Plastic Surgery. The survey portion of this research has a standard error of +/- 4.04% at a 95% level of confidence.

- Component figures may not add exactly to totals and percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding. In no cases are the sums of component figures off by more than .02% from the national total number of procedures.