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United States	801	88242	21992	46688	19562	10038	11404	13841	22826	30133	29	10	33%	29%	6575
Alabama	19	2274	553	1598	123	621	286	424	575	368	26½	10	26%	15%	189
Alaska	1	100	25	75		7	93				23	10½	43%	60%	25
Arizona	8	1618	124	277	1217	601	49	560	183	225	28½	10	26%	19%	132
Arkansas	47	298	23	275				119	179		33	9	73%	33%	18
California	96	10591	3258	5173	2160	1200	2180	1661	2639	2911	29½	10	25%	20%	799
Canal Zone	0	Accepts	GED test results for issuance of credential, but had no Official GED Agencies in 1963												
Colorado	15	1902	545	1071	286	241	345	162	1040	114	32	9½	14%	27%	131
Connecticut	0	Accepts	GED test results for issuance of credential, but had no Official GED Agencies in 1963												
Delaware	1	37	5	29	3			36	1		21½	10	16%		4
Dist. of Columbia	2	388	66	317	5	45			343		23	10½	9%	39%	47
Florida	37	3064			3064	645	729	648	758	284	28	10		20%	687
Georgia	19	2007	311	1311	385	161	167	468	677	534	27	10	29%	23%	109
Guam	1	123	15	108				123			30	9½	61%	82%	18
Hawaii	4	224	34	177	13	56	50	30	43	45	33	10	24%	11%	8

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Idaho	7	599	69	290	240	16	194	44	218	127	30½	10	41%	32%	70
Illinois	25	4040	1099	1773	1168	55	1	78	1950	1956	31	10	61%	20%	195
Indiana	18	1184	516	561	107	170	178	357	155	324	29½	10	19%	21%	62
Iowa	15	486	40	274	172	144	78	94	116	54	28	10½	32%	12%	4
Kansas	13	864	151	648	65	13	218	218	141	274	30½	10	31%	23%	44
Kentucky	18	1273	226	432	615	228	314	240	71	420	30½	9½	14%	16%	63
Louisiana	28	2148	498	1620	30	42		32	170	1904	30	9½	25%	14%	67
Maine	12	411	171	240		10	10	11	25	355	31½	9½	30%	22%	33
Maryland	8	2698			2698			650	975	1073	30	10	40%	50%	863
Massachusetts	2	1211	396	815		3	165	222	97	724	25	10			35
Michigan	24	2344	793	1154	397	275	196	473	982	418	32½	10	36%	14%	105
Minnesota	16	746	199	234	313	73	91	36	529	17	30	10	44%	17%	49
Mississippi	13	854	129	634	91	283	41	214	168	148	29	10	35%	22%	128
Missouri	10	2514	990	1489	35	34	65		960	1455	31	9		32%	117

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Montana	9	275	92	183		24	44	51	73	83	28	10	41%	59%	22
Nebraska	11	340	86	226	28	2	46	52	163	77	31	10	43%	23%	18
Nevada	2	141	70	71		61		11	19	50	30	10	6%	12%	3
New Hampshire	5	217	73	140	4	8	10	30	119	50	28	9½	25%	12%	15
New Jersey	11	3617	1245	2372			156	429	2755	277	29	9½	21%	22%	342
New Mexico	16	879	134	382	363	232	76	205	92	274	28½	10	25%	22%	77
New York	31	13428	4246	9182		940	1880	940		9668	25½		40%	30%	
North Carolina	13	1360	284	761	315	64	257	21	503	515	29	9½	30%	33%	140
North Dakota	7	147	44	84	19	64	6	46	23	8	28	10	41%	32%	4
Ohio	18	775	186	336	253	6	6	63	275	425	30	10	26%	21%	48
Oklahoma	13	355	88	245	22	29	84	129	90	23	27½	10	48%	23%	8
Oregon	21	1547	241	450	856	450	162	262	462	211	30½	10	35%	20%	145
Pennsylvania	21	976	537	360	79	575	135	109	86	71	29	10	22%	19%	100
Puerto Rico	1	1135	202	933						1135	26	10	30%	51%	142

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Rhode Island	1	849			849	254	105		145	345	30½	9½	48%	58%	306
Samoa	1	75		75						75	32	9		89%	15
South Carolina	1	857	151	505	201	198	141	169	166	183	27	9	45%	60%	
South Dakota	10	141	30	111		8	37	8	72	16	27½	9	34%	13%	10
Tennessee	12	4270	869	3312	89	473	795	658	722	1622	29½	10	18%	61%	415
Texas	52	6627	1216	3661	1750	519	674	2541	1776	1117	28	10	30%	20%	545
Utah	7	722	172	488	57	11	64	66	183	398	27½	10	34%	47%	66
Vermont	7	119	46	73		8		10	8	93	31	10	57%	19%	1
Virginia	1	45	11	13	21	7	3	29	6		27	10	64%	25%	11
Washington	17	1628	271	974	383	195	596	491	254	92	30	10	27%	11%	57
West Virginia	27	2067	603	1030	434	532	389	339	444	363	32	10	32%	22%	246
Wisconsin	16	419	78	55	286	24	63	201	130	1	28	10½	13%	27%	17
Wyoming	11	156	46	91	19	24	48	35	40	9	30	9½	31%	17%	14

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Fed. Correctional Institutions		347			347					347					2
Vet. Admin. Hospitals	73	730	730			407	177	46	90	10	36½	9½	27%	17%	39