2018 Plastic Surgery Statistics Report



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2018 Cosmetic Demographics

Laser hair removal

Microdermabrasion

Patient behavior	2018	% 2018	2017	% 2017	% CHANGE 2018 vs. 2017
Cosmetic Patients who are repeat patients		45%		45%	
Patients having multiple cosmetic procedures at the same time		42%		41%	
Cosmetic Procedures Performed In*	2018	% 2018	2017	% 2017	% CHANGE 2018 vs. 2017
Office	6,055,495	34%	5,975,048	34%	1%
Hospital	4,488,550	25%	4,457,417	25%	1%
Free-standing Ambulatory Surgical Facility	7,177,626	41%	7,072,485	40%	1%
Ethnicity breakdown of cosmetic procedures	2018	% 2018	2017	% 2017	% CHANGE 2018 vs. 2017
Caucasian	12,475,361	70%	12,335,710	70%	1%
Hispanic	1,941,222	11%	1,911,652	11%	2%
African-American	1,617,300	9%	1,593,506	9%	1%
Asian-American	1,166,980	7%	1,150,603	7%	1%
Other	520,808	3%	513,479	3%	1%
		African-	Asian/Pacific		
Cosmetic surgical procedures by group	Caucasian	American-	Islander	Hispanic	Other
Breast Augmentation	74%	7%	5%	11%	3%
Rhinoplasty	74%	6%	5%	11%	5%
Blepharoplasty	81%	3%	7%	7%	2%
Liposuction	77%	8%	4%	10%	1%
Abdominoplasty	68%	12%	4%	13%	2%
Cosmetic minimally-invasive procedures by group	Caucasian	African- American	Asian/Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Other
Botulinum toxin type A (Botox®, Dysport®, Xeomin®)	78%	5%	5%	10%	2%
Soft tissue fillers	80%	6%	5%	8%	1%
Chemical peel	82%	3%	5%	7%	3%

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