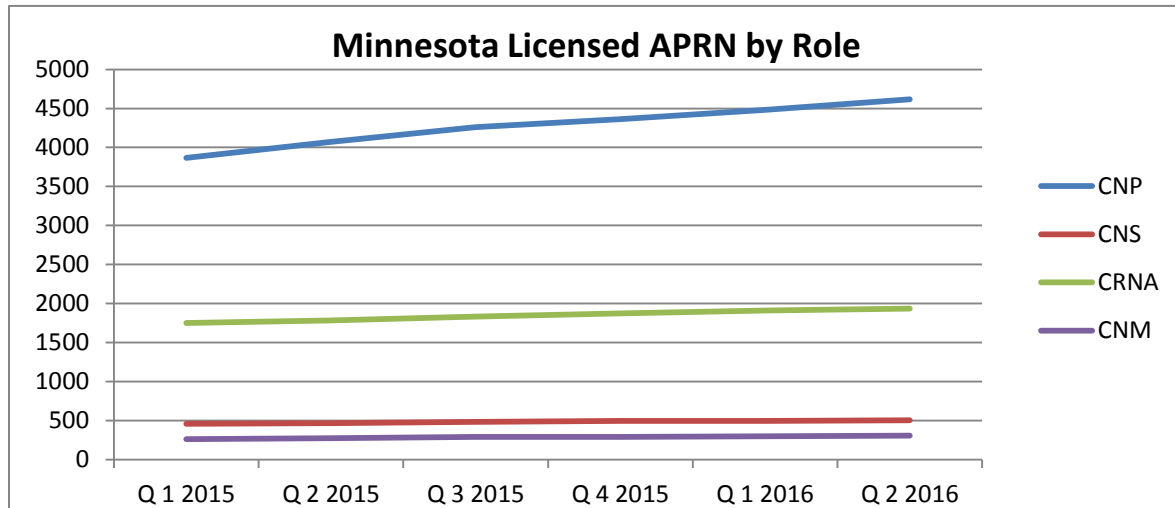


Minnesota Licensed APRN Growth



The graph above shows the increase in Minnesota licensed APRNs by role following revisions in authority to practice as an APRN which went into effect on January 1, 2015.

Prior to January 1, 2015, practice as an APRN required an RN license and a current copy of certification as an APRN on file with the Board which placed the individuals name on the MN APRN Registry. The law removed the requirement of a collaborative practice and written prescribing and now requires an APRN license. The Board of Nursing began accepting licensure applications in October of 2014.

Average Number of MN Licenses Issued by Role by Month, February 2015- June 2016	
<i>Total</i>	80.6
Certified Nurse Midwives	7.5
Certified Nurse Practitioners	92.9
Clinical Nurse Specialists	7.5
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	14.1

Number of MN APRN Licenses Issued by Role as of July 8, 2016	
<i>Total</i>	7374
Certified Nurse Midwives	308
Certified Nurse Practitioners	4622
Clinical Nurse Specialists	507
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	1937

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