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By 1980, add AZ, NM, SC, DE

By 1990, add WA, AR, LA

By 2000, add MT, FL, CA, CO, OR, AK, MN, TX, NH, NY

In 2019, add KY & HI
In 2017, add SD & AL
In 2016, add ME & MI
In 2015, add MD
In 2014, add RI
In 2013, add IN
By 2010, add VT, NJ, TN, UT, VA, WI, MO, ME, ID, WY

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34 states regulate CPMs, most through licensure.

1 other* authorizes CPM practice by statute.

New York CPMs would qualify for licenses if the state midwifery board had implemented properly the licensing statute.

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