

## Overview of Arab American Media in the United States

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There are a total of 79 newspapers and national magazines or newsletters that currently produce news in the United States, serving Arab American populations in 5 regions, and in 22 states. That leaves 28 states that do not have official Arab American newspapers, yet Arab Americans are spread out through all 50 Continental American states including Hawaii and Alaska.

#### Regional Breakdown of newspapers

Midwest – 29 – (6 States) IL., MI., IND, OH, MN, WI

South – 4 – (2 States) FL., GA.

East – 19 – (8 States) NY, NJ, MD, MA, VA, PA DC, CT

Northwest – 2 – (2 States) OR, WA

West – 25 – (4 States) CA, TX, AZ NV

(Including National Magazines – 11)

Most of the newspapers are published either monthly or twice monthly. Nine (9) of the listed publications are magazines, which focus almost exclusively on politics or on religious issues. The rest are based in Arab communities where they are published and provide a mix of mostly international politics and news, and local news. Some are published in Arabic only, and most are published in both Arabic and English.

There are no audited circulation figures for any of the newspapers but a partial survey of the publications show they publish between 3,000 and 30,000 copies per edition. Several of the newspapers claim “regional” distribution, meaning they are published in one state but distributed in several nearby states. This is most common in the East Region.

## Regional and State Breakdown of newspapers (this list changes rapidly)

### MIDWEST - 29

(6 states)

Illinois -13

The Future Newspaper  
Tinley Park, IL

Al-Offok Al-Arabi Newspaper  
Oak Lawn, IL

The National Arab American Times  
Orland Park, IL

Al-Waseet American Newspaper  
Burbank, IL

Chicago Muslim Newsletter  
Orland Park, IL

Chicago Muslim Yellow Pages  
Chicago IL

Muslim Journal  
Bridgeview IL

Muslim Journal  
Hazel Crest, IL

Muslims Weekly Newspaper  
Bloomington, IL

Pakistan Times  
Chicago IL

Spirit Magazine  
Women's Magazine  
Bridgeview IL,

Super Ad Magazine

Michigan - 11

Arab American Journal  
Dearborn MI

Arab American News Dearborn  
Dearborn, Michigan

The Forum Newspaper  
Dearborn, MI.,

InFocus Magazine  
Dearborn Heights, MI

Lebanese Monthly Magazine  
Lebanese American News Agency, Inc.  
Farmington Hills, Michigan

Community Voice Newspaper  
Dearborn, MI

Michigan Arab Times  
Dearborn, Michigan

The Muslim Magazine  
Fenton, MI

Muslim Media Network Inc.  
Farmington Hill, MI

The Muslim Observer  
Farmington Hills, MI

The Orient Newspaper  
Ann Arbor, MI.,

Indiana - 1

Islamic Horizons Magazine  
Plainfield, IN \

Ohio - 1

Minnesota - 2

American Muslim Magazine  
Brooklyn Park, MN

MIZNA Journal  
Minneapolis, MN.,

Wisconsin - 1

Al-Jumuah Magazine  
Madison, WI

**WEST - 25**

(4 States)

California - 15

Al-Watan  
Anaheim CA

al-Arab Newspaper  
Glendale, CA

An-Nahar USA Edition  
Whittier, CA

The Arab World Newspaper  
Anaheim, CA

Arab World Newspaper  
Anaheim, CA

Arab American Business Magazine  
Huntington Beach, CA

Arab American Journal  
Sunnyvale, CA

The Beirut Times Newspaper  
Los Angeles, CA.,

Immigrant Magazine

Anaheim, CA

ALO-Hayati Magazine  
Northridge, CA

InFocus Magazine  
Anaheim, CA

ISLAMICA Magazine  
Los Angeles, CA

The Minaret  
Los Angeles, California

News Circle Publishing House  
Glendale, CA

Texas - 8

Al-Wehda  
Alief, Texas

A1 Arab Newspaper  
(A-One Newspaper)  
Houston, TX

Ar-Zaitonah Newspaper  
Dallas, Texas,

Sharq Garb Newspaper  
Houston - TX

Al-Madar Newspaper  
Houston, Texas

Aramco Magazine  
Houston, Texas,

The Arab Times  
Montgomery TX

Al-Ittihaad  
San Antonio, TX

Arizona - 1

Nevada - 1

Orthodox Christian News Service, Inc.  
Carson City, Nevada

NORTHWEST - 2

(2 States)

Washington State - 1

Our Rising Star Magazine  
Issaquah, WA

Oregon - 1

Muslim Business Link Directory  
Portland, OR 97219

SOUTH - 4

(2 States)

Georgia - 3

An-Nour Newspaper  
Atlanta, GA

Azizah Magazine  
Atlanta, GA

The Voice Magazine  
Alpharetta, GA

Florida - 1

Phoenicia Newspaper  
Princeton, Florida

New York - 5

Aramica Newspaper  
Brooklyn, NY

Arab Gazette Newspaper  
Brooklyn, NY

Cedar News Newspaper  
Brooklyn, NY

The Mirror International  
Greenpoint NY

Muslims Weekly Newspaper  
Jamaica, NY

New Jersey - 5

Al Shaab al-Araby Newspaper  
S. Hackensack, NJ

Arab Voices Newspaper  
Paterson, NJ

Al-Horeya  
Middletown, NJ.,

Al-Itidal  
Clifton NJ

Al Manassah al-Arabeyah  
North Bergen ,NJ

Pennsylvania - 1

Arab Community News newspaper  
Philadelphia, PA

Virginia - 1

The Monopite Voice Newsletter

Connecticut - 1

Shems Arab American Life  
Norwalk, CT

Massachusetts - 2

Sophia Magazine  
Roslindale, MA

Profile News Newspaper  
West Roxbury, MA

Maryland - 1

Via Dolorosa Newspaper  
Silver Spring, MD

Washington DC - 3

Washington Report on ME Affairs

Washington D.C.

Al-Nashra  
The Arab American Newspaper  
Washington DC

Pharaohs Business Magazine  
Washington DC

National Magazines - 11

Arab American Business Magazine  
Azizah Muslim Woman's Magazine  
Sophia Melkite Church Magazine  
Hathihe Ramallah Magazine  
Maronite Voice Magazine  
Islamica Magazine  
Washington Report on ME Affairs  
The Minaret Magazine  
Islamic Horizons Magazine  
ALO Magazine  
Aramco Magazine

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