

## 2013 National Physician Survey (NPS): NATIONAL DEMOGRAPHICS

### Source of Data:

The 2013 National Physician Survey (NPS) was carried out as a self-reported survey, sent to all licensed physicians in Canada. The email contact list was generated from the NPS Masterfile. The NPS Masterfile was populated with information from the CMA membership system, the CFPC membership database, and the Royal College membership database. The CMA membership system includes all physicians in Canada holding a medical license, and is compiled and updated on a daily basis with information received from provincial licensing bodies, associations, CFPC and Royal College membership listings, and individual physicians. However, only email addresses of CMA members could be used for survey research so the list was supplemented with information provided by CFPC and the Royal College. All licensed physicians in full or part-time practice, locums, or employed in a medically related field, or on leave were eligible to respond to the survey. Medical students, residents, and retired physicians were not eligible.

A separate database pertaining to all eligible survey respondents was developed in order to assess the comparability and representativeness of the survey respondents to the total physician population, and to develop statistical weights to be applied to each strata and age grouping within the 2013 survey results. From the NPS Masterfile, physician age, sex, province, language, and year of MD graduation were captured, along with an indication of whether or not the individual completed the questionnaire. No names or addresses were contained in this separate database.

### Physician Demographics by Province/Territory

Family physicians						Other specialists						All physicians					
	Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population			Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population			Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population	
	%	n	Col%	N	Col%		%	n	Col%	N	Col%		%	n	Col%	N	Col%
<b>Total</b>	17.01%	4626	100%	27195	100%	<b>Total</b>	17.84%	5861	100%	32849	100%	<b>Total</b>	17.5%	10487	100%	60044	100%
<b>Province</b>						<b>Province</b>						<b>Province</b>					
NL	17.32%	101	2.18%	583	2.14%	NL	20.51%	97	1.66%	473	1.44%	NL	18.8%	198	1.9%	1056	1.8%
PEI	12.80%	16	0.35%	125	0.46%	PEI	28.00%	28	0.48%	100	0.30%	PEI	19.6%	44	0.4%	225	0.4%
NS	21.05%	228	4.93%	1083	3.98%	NS	25.19%	266	4.54%	1056	3.21%	NS	23.1%	494	4.7%	2139	3.6%
NB	17.92%	129	2.79%	720	2.65%	NB	20.54%	114	1.95%	555	1.69%	NB	19.1%	243	2.3%	1275	2.1%
QC	16.36%	517	11.18%	3160	11.62%	QC	15.74%	1017	17.35%	6462	19.67%	QC	15.9%	1534	14.6%	9622	16.0%
ON	17.40%	1721	37.20%	9890	36.37%	ON	16.81%	2213	37.76%	13165	40.08%	ON	17.1%	3934	37.5%	23055	38.4%
MB	14.75%	169	3.65%	1146	4.21%	MB	18.01%	219	3.74%	1216	3.70%	MB	16.4%	388	3.7%	2362	3.9%
SK	14.14%	140	3.03%	990	3.64%	SK	21.41%	161	2.75%	752	2.29%	SK	17.3%	301	2.9%	1742	2.9%
AB	20.07%	778	16.82%	3877	14.26%	AB	21.59%	792	13.51%	3668	11.17%	AB	20.8%	1570	15.0%	7545	12.6%
BC	15.21%	777	16.80%	5107	18.78%	BC	19.60%	888	15.15%	4531	13.79%	BC	17.3%	1665	15.9%	9638	16.1%
NT, YT, NU	22.94%	25	0.54%	109	0.40%	NT, YT, NU	22.22%	6	0.10%	27	0.08%	NT, YT, NU	22.8%	31	0.3%	136	0.2%
Unknown	6.17%	25	0.54%	405	1.49%	Unknown	7.11%	60	1.02%	844	2.57%	Unknown	6.8%	85	0.8%	1249	2.1%
			100%		100%				100%		100%				100%		100%

**Confidence Intervals by Province/Territory**

Family physicians					Other specialists					All physicians				
	Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*		Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*		Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*
	%	n	N	Interval*		%	n	N	Interval*		%	n	N	Interval*
<b>Total</b>	17.01%	4626	27195	1.44%	<b>Total</b>	17.84%	5861	32849	1.28%	<b>Total</b>	17.47%	10487	60044	0.96%
<b>Province</b>					<b>Province</b>					<b>Province</b>				
NL	17.32%	101	583	9.75%	NL	20.51%	97	473	9.95%	NL	18.75%	198	1056	6.96%
PEI	12.80%	16	125	24.50%	PEI	28.00%	28	100	18.52%	PEI	19.56%	44	225	14.77%
NS	21.05%	228	1083	6.49%	NS	25.19%	266	1056	6.01%	NS	23.09%	494	2139	4.41%
NB	17.92%	129	720	8.63%	NB	20.54%	114	555	9.18%	NB	19.06%	243	1275	6.29%
QC	16.36%	517	3160	4.31%	QC	15.74%	1017	6462	3.07%	QC	15.94%	1534	9622	2.50%
ON	17.40%	1721	9890	2.36%	ON	16.81%	2213	13165	2.08%	ON	17.06%	3934	23055	1.56%
MB	14.75%	169	1146	7.54%	MB	18.01%	219	1216	6.62%	MB	16.43%	388	2362	4.98%
SK	14.14%	140	990	8.28%	SK	21.41%	161	752	7.72%	SK	17.28%	301	1742	5.65%
AB	20.07%	778	3877	3.51%	AB	21.59%	792	3668	3.48%	AB	20.81%	1570	7545	2.47%
BC	15.21%	777	5107	3.52%	BC	19.60%	888	4531	3.29%	BC	17.28%	1665	9638	2.40%
NT, YT, NU	22.94%	25	109	19.60%	NT, YT, NU	22.22%	6	27	40.01%	NT, YT, NU	22.79%	31	136	17.60%
Unknown	na	25	405	na	Unknown	na	60	844	na	Unknown	na	85	1249	na

95% Confidence Interval = estimates are considered accurate within +/-x%, 19 times out of 20

na = Not applicable

**Physician Demographics by Age Group and Sex:**

Family physicians					Other specialists					All physicians							
	Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population			Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population			Response rate	NPS respondents		Total Population	
	%	n	Col%	N	Col%		%	n	Col%	N	Col%		%	n	Col%	N	Col%
<b>Total</b>	17.01%	4626	100%	27195	100%	<b>Total</b>	17.84%	5861	100%	32849	100%	<b>Total</b>	17.47%	10487	100%	60044	100%
<b>Age group</b>						<b>Age group</b>						<b>Age group</b>					
34 and under	18.39%	633	13.68%	3442	12.66%	34 and under	16.42%	415	7.08%	2527	7.69%	34 and under	17.56%	1048	9.99%	5969	9.94%
35 - 44	13.68%	998	21.57%	7297	26.83%	35 - 44	16.09%	1452	24.77%	9025	27.47%	35 - 44	15.01%	2450	23.36%	16322	27.18%
45 - 54	14.63%	1127	24.36%	7701	28.32%	45 - 54	16.52%	1346	22.97%	8150	24.81%	45 - 54	15.60%	2473	23.58%	15851	26.40%
55 - 64	17.40%	1053	22.76%	6051	22.25%	55 - 64	18.36%	1402	23.92%	7636	23.25%	55 - 64	17.94%	2455	23.41%	13687	22.79%
65 and over	15.65%	413	8.93%	2639	9.70%	65 and over	17.44%	783	13.36%	4489	13.67%	65 and over	16.78%	1196	11.40%	7128	11.87%
Not known	na	402	8.69%	65	0.24%	Not known	na	463	7.90%	1022	3.11%	Not known	na	865	8.25%	1087	1.81%
			100%		100%				100%		100%				100%		100%
<b>Sex</b>						<b>Sex</b>						<b>Sex</b>					
Male	13.33%	2011	43.47%	15085	55.47%	Male	15.71%	3364	57.40%	21410	65.18%	Male	14.73%	5375	51.25%	36495	60.78%
Female	18.70%	2212	47.82%	11831	43.50%	Female	18.39%	2035	34.72%	11065	33.68%	Female	18.55%	4247	40.50%	22896	38.13%
Not known	na	403	8.71%	279	1.03%	Not known	na	462	7.88%	374	1.14%	Not known	na	865	8.25%	653	1.09%
			100%		100%				100%		100%				100%		100%

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**Confidence Intervals by Age Group / Sex**

Family physicians					Other specialists					All physicians				
	Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*		Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*		Response rate	NPS respondents	Total Population	95% Confidence Interval*
	%	n	N			%	n	N			%	n	N	
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34 and under	18.39%	633	3442	3.90%	34 and under	16.42%	415	2527	4.81%	34 and under	17.56%	1048	5969	3.03%
35 - 44	13.68%	998	7297	3.10%	35 - 44	16.09%	1452	9025	2.57%	35 - 44	15.01%	2450	16322	1.98%
45 - 54	14.63%	1127	7701	2.92%	45 - 54	16.52%	1346	8150	2.67%	45 - 54	15.60%	2473	15851	1.97%
55 - 64	17.40%	1053	6051	3.02%	55 - 64	18.36%	1402	7636	2.62%	55 - 64	17.94%	2455	13687	1.98%
65 and over	15.65%	413	2639	4.82%	65 and over	17.44%	783	4489	3.50%	65 and over	16.78%	1196	7128	2.83%
Not known	na	402	65	na	Not known	na	463	1022	na	Not known	na	865	1087	na
<b>Sex</b>					<b>Sex</b>					<b>Sex</b>				
Male	13.33%	2011	15085	2.19%	Male	15.71%	3364	21410	1.69%	Male	14.73%	5375	36495	1.34%
Female	18.70%	2212	11831	2.08%	Female	18.39%	2035	11065	2.17%	Female	18.55%	4247	22896	1.50%
Not known	na	403	279	na	Not known	na	462	374	na	Not known	na	865	653	na

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q1 Please check ALL that apply to your current situation.

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Are you	Certified by the CFPC	75.4%	8.3%	32.7%	49.7%	40.2%	56.9%	41.9%	42.7%	35.3%	23.6%	40.0%	39.2%
	Certified by the Royal College	3.6%	88.1%	52.9%	43.8%	46.6%	41.9%	54.1%	46.2%	47.6%	55.6%	47.2%	49.3%
	Certified by the CMQ	18.8%	17.4%	17.1%	20.2%	15.7%	23.2%	17.9%	17.2%	19.2%	16.0%	15.5%	18.0%
	Certified outside Canada	8.6%	15.3%	14.2%	8.0%	16.6%	6.4%	10.8%	13.0%	13.0%	12.7%	17.0%	12.3%
	None of the above	14.6%	1.5%	9.1%	4.8%	7.5%	1.2%	1.1%	6.8%	11.4%	16.5%	7.8%	7.5%
	NR	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.9%	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	0.3%
	Total												
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q2 Would you describe yourself as a:**

			Sex			Age group							
			Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
FP/Other specialist	Family Physicians		41.1%	53.8%	47.7%	57.4%	39.9%	46.8%	48.6%	41.7%	48.2%	46.0%	
	Other Specialty Physicians		58.9%	46.2%	52.3%	42.6%	60.1%	53.2%	51.4%	58.3%	51.8%	54.0%	
	Total	%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
		N		43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

Notes:

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q2i Is your practice focused in any of the following areas? Select all that apply.

Question asked of FP/GPs only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Practice areas	None	38.2%	†	38.4%	38.2%	37.1%	28.4%	32.5%	40.3%	43.2%	41.8%	39.1%	38.2%
	Addiction Medicine	4.5%	†	5.2%	3.4%	5.4%	3.9%	4.2%	3.9%	4.7%	6.2%	4.9%	4.5%
	Chronic Non-Cancer Pain	6.9%	†	8.1%	4.9%	9.2%	4.4%	6.0%	6.4%	7.8%	8.3%	8.9%	6.9%
	Developmental Disabilities	0.9%	†	0.8%	0.9%	1.6%	0.1%	0.6%	1.0%	1.4%	0.4%	1.6%	0.9%
	Child and Adolescent Health	9.7%	†	5.6%	13.6%	15.4%	11.8%	11.2%	10.7%	7.7%	2.9%	15.1%	9.7%
	Emergency Medicine	16.5%	†	19.3%	12.9%	17.0%	31.0%	26.2%	16.6%	7.9%	4.0%	16.3%	16.5%
	Family Practice Anesthesia	1.7%	†	2.4%	1.0%	1.1%	2.7%	2.3%	1.6%	1.6%	0.7%	1.1%	1.7%
	Global Health	3.4%	†	3.3%	3.1%	5.0%	2.9%	3.6%	2.8%	3.5%	3.5%	5.0%	3.4%
	Health Care of the Elderly	19.3%	†	19.8%	17.5%	25.1%	10.7%	16.1%	20.0%	19.7%	27.5%	23.8%	19.3%
	Hospital Medicine	18.2%	†	18.6%	17.1%	21.2%	27.5%	23.1%	17.4%	14.2%	8.9%	21.1%	18.2%
	Maternity and Newborn Care	11.6%	†	6.2%	17.7%	14.1%	18.2%	16.1%	12.1%	6.4%	5.5%	13.6%	11.6%
	Mental Health	12.1%	†	11.4%	12.6%	14.4%	7.6%	11.4%	12.8%	13.7%	11.2%	14.2%	12.1%
	Occupational Medicine	4.7%	†	6.6%	2.3%	4.4%	2.2%	3.3%	4.7%	5.8%	7.9%	4.2%	4.7%
	Palliative Care	10.5%	†	10.4%	9.9%	13.9%	11.3%	8.8%	9.4%	11.4%	11.5%	13.0%	10.5%
	Prison Health	0.7%	†	1.0%	0.4%	0.8%	0.1%	0.5%	0.5%	1.3%	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%
	Respiratory Medicine	2.2%	†	2.2%	1.7%	4.0%	1.5%	2.9%	2.1%	1.6%	1.2%	3.9%	2.2%
	Sport and Exercise Medicine	4.0%	†	5.2%	2.5%	4.2%	3.1%	4.3%	4.0%	4.8%	2.4%	4.0%	4.0%
NR		6.2%	†	5.6%	6.6%	7.8%	4.9%	7.1%	5.7%	6.8%	5.5%	6.7%	6.2%
Total	N	31587	0	16082	12748	2757	3313	6458	7809	7788	3445	2774	31587
	n	4233	0	1839	2015	379	607	944	1029	921	355	377	4233

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NR=No Response.

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\*\*Responses suppressed when column 'n' is less than 30.

Note that several family physicians (198 nationally), certified by CFPC in emergency medicine, completed the "other specialist" part of the survey and are not included in this table.

†Question asked of FP/GPs only.

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q2i Select ALL of your current certifications (specialties, sub-specialties) from the following menu.

Question asked of Other Specialists only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	Total
Practice areas	Adolescent Medicine	†	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	0.2%	0.2%
	Anatomical Pathology	†	2.0%	1.8%	2.3%	1.8%	1.3%	1.8%	2.3%	2.1%	1.7%	2.0%	2.0%
	Anesthesiology	†	10.7%	11.9%	7.8%	11.7%	9.8%	11.0%	11.7%	12.0%	6.2%	11.3%	10.7%
	Cardiac Surgery	†	0.7%	1.0%	0.2%	0.9%	0.2%	0.6%	0.5%	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	0.7%
	Cardiology - Adult	†	2.7%	3.6%	0.7%	2.7%	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	3.9%	2.9%	2.7%
	Cardiology - Pediatric	†	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	0.7%	0.4%
	Child and Adolescent Psychiatry	†	1.6%	1.2%	2.5%	1.4%	0.4%	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	2.2%	1.4%	1.6%
	Clinical Immunology & Allergy - Adult	†	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%	0.2%	0.4%	1.1%	0.0%	0.4%
	Clinical Immunology & Allergy - Pediatric	†	0.4%	0.2%	0.8%	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%	0.3%	0.1%	0.6%	0.5%	0.4%
	Clinical Pharmacology & Toxicology	†	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.1%	0.5%	0.2%
	Colorectal Surgery	†	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	0.1%	0.9%	0.4%
	Critical Care Medicine - Adult	†	2.0%	2.5%	1.2%	0.5%	2.9%	3.4%	2.9%	0.9%	0.0%	0.5%	2.0%
	Critical Care Medicine - Pediatric	†	0.7%	0.8%	0.5%	1.1%	0.4%	0.8%	1.1%	0.6%	0.2%	0.8%	0.7%
	Dermatology	†	1.3%	1.1%	1.7%	1.5%	0.8%	1.1%	1.0%	1.5%	2.0%	1.6%	1.3%
	Developmental Pediatrics	†	0.4%	0.2%	0.9%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%
	Diagnostic Radiology	†	5.7%	6.6%	4.0%	5.5%	5.1%	6.2%	5.3%	5.4%	6.9%	5.1%	5.7%
Emergency Medicine	†	6.7%	7.3%	5.6%	5.7%	8.7%	9.2%	8.2%	5.0%	2.3%	4.7%	6.7%	
Endocrinology & Metabolism - Adult	†	0.9%	0.8%	1.2%	1.2%	0.8%	1.2%	0.6%	0.5%	1.6%	1.3%	0.9%	

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		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	Total
	Endocrinology & Metabolism - Pediatric	†	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	1.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.6%	0.5%	0.6%	1.0%	0.5%
	Family Medicine	†	0.9%	0.8%	1.1%	1.1%	0.0%	1.1%	0.9%	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	0.9%
	Forensic Pathology	†	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	0.1%
	Forensic Psychiatry	†	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%
	Gastroenterology - Adult	†	1.3%	1.5%	0.9%	1.7%	2.5%	1.5%	0.9%	1.1%	1.4%	1.4%	1.3%
	Gastroenterology - Pediatric	†	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%
	General Internal Medicine	†	3.0%	2.7%	3.5%	3.2%	6.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.0%	3.4%	2.8%	3.0%
	General Pathology	†	1.1%	1.0%	0.8%	2.1%	0.4%	0.8%	0.8%	1.3%	1.0%	2.1%	1.1%
	General Surgery	†	4.8%	5.5%	3.3%	5.2%	3.1%	4.5%	5.6%	4.7%	4.5%	5.5%	4.8%
	General Surgical Oncology	†	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.7%	0.3%
	Geriatric Medicine	†	1.1%	0.8%	1.7%	0.8%	0.5%	1.1%	1.1%	1.5%	0.5%	0.6%	1.1%
	Geriatric Psychiatry	†	0.6%	0.4%	1.1%	0.9%	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	1.1%	0.5%	0.7%	0.6%
	Gyn. Reproductive Endocrinology & Infertility	†	0.6%	0.5%	0.7%	0.5%	0.2%	0.7%	0.5%	0.4%	0.9%	0.7%	0.6%
	Gynecologic Oncology	†	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	0.2%
	Hematological Pathology	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.8%	0.3%
	Hematology	†	1.0%	0.8%	1.5%	0.7%	0.4%	1.5%	0.7%	0.7%	1.5%	1.0%	1.0%
	Infectious Diseases - Adult	†	1.1%	1.0%	1.4%	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	0.8%	1.4%	0.4%	1.2%	1.1%
	Infectious Diseases - Pediatric	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.6%	0.3%
	Internal Medicine	†	10.5%	10.2%	11.4%	9.6%	17.5%	12.0%	9.8%	9.4%	8.2%	9.6%	10.5%
	Maternal Fetal Medicine	†	0.5%	0.3%	0.9%	1.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.5%	0.5%	0.2%	1.0%	0.5%
	Medical Biochemistry	†	0.4%	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%	0.8%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%
	Medical Genetics	†	0.4%	0.2%	0.7%	0.4%	0.2%	0.5%	0.3%	0.6%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%
	Medical Microbiology	†	0.9%	0.9%	1.1%	0.5%	1.1%	0.9%	0.8%	1.3%	0.8%	0.4%	0.9%

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Source: 2013 National Physician Survey. The College of Family Physicians of Canada, Canadian Medical Association, The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

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		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	Total
	Medical Oncology	†	1.2%	1.0%	1.7%	1.0%	1.2%	1.3%	1.2%	1.1%	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%
	Neonatal Perinatal Medicine	†	0.9%	0.7%	1.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.9%	1.0%	1.1%	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%
	Nephrology - Adult	†	1.4%	1.3%	1.6%	1.0%	2.7%	2.3%	1.3%	0.8%	0.4%	1.0%	1.4%
	Nephrology - Pediatric	†	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.4%	0.1%	0.5%	0.0%	0.5%	0.3%
	Neurology - Adult	†	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%	1.3%	2.6%	2.4%	1.1%	1.5%	1.5%	2.1%	1.8%
	Neurology - Pediatric	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	0.6%	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.8%	0.3%
	Neuropathology	†	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.1%
	Neuroradiology	†	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%
	Neurosurgery	†	0.8%	1.1%	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	0.8%
	Nuclear Medicine	†	0.7%	0.9%	0.4%	0.4%	1.5%	0.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%
	Obstetrics & Gynecology	†	5.0%	3.7%	8.4%	3.5%	5.1%	5.6%	5.3%	4.4%	5.4%	3.7%	5.0%
	Occupational Medicine	†	0.7%	0.6%	0.8%	1.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	1.2%	1.0%	1.0%	0.7%
	Ophthalmology	†	2.9%	3.5%	2.1%	1.2%	3.1%	1.7%	3.1%	3.6%	5.1%	0.6%	2.9%
	Orthopedic Surgery	†	4.0%	5.4%	1.3%	3.1%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	3.1%	5.0%	3.0%	4.0%
	Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery	†	1.7%	2.1%	0.8%	1.6%	1.7%	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	3.1%	1.9%	1.7%
	Pain Medicine	†	0.9%	1.1%	0.6%	1.0%	0.1%	1.0%	1.0%	1.2%	0.6%	0.8%	0.9%
	Pediatric Emergency Medicine	†	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	0.6%	1.0%	1.4%	0.8%	0.3%	0.1%	0.6%	0.7%
	Pediatric Hematology/ Oncology	†	1.2%	0.9%	2.0%	1.4%	0.9%	1.0%	1.3%	1.2%	1.5%	1.6%	1.2%
	Pediatric Radiology	†	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.8%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.8%	0.2%
	Pediatric Surgery	†	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%
	Pediatrics - General	†	6.4%	4.8%	9.9%	5.8%	5.9%	7.7%	5.8%	5.8%	6.6%	6.0%	6.4%
	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	†	1.4%	1.6%	1.3%	0.9%	0.4%	1.3%	1.5%	2.0%	1.3%	1.0%	1.4%
	Plastic Surgery	†	1.0%	1.2%	0.5%	1.2%	1.2%	0.9%	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%	1.2%	1.0%
	Psychiatry	†	11.3%	9.7%	13.9%	14.6%	7.3%	6.7%	10.8%	13.0%	18.2%	14.1%	11.3%
	Public Health and Preventive Medicine	†	2.3%	1.9%	3.0%	2.5%	1.4%	1.7%	2.3%	3.3%	1.6%	2.8%	2.3%

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		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	Total	
	Radiation Oncology	†	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.8%	1.5%	2.5%	1.5%	1.2%	0.2%	2.1%	1.6%	
	Respirology - Adult	†	2.1%	2.4%	1.6%	1.5%	2.8%	1.8%	1.9%	2.4%	1.8%	2.4%	2.1%	
	Respirology - Pediatric	†	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.1%	
	Rheumatology - Adult	†	1.0%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	1.4%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	
	Rheumatology - Pediatric	†	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	
	Thoracic Surgery	†	0.6%	0.7%	0.3%	1.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.2%	0.6%	0.9%	1.0%	0.6%	
	Urology	†	1.0%	1.4%	0.2%	1.1%	2.0%	0.8%	1.1%	1.0%	0.9%	1.1%	1.0%	
	Vascular Surgery	†	0.7%	0.6%	0.3%	2.3%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.9%	0.7%	2.4%	0.7%	
	NR	†	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.6%	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
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		n	0	5861	3364	2035	462	415	1452	1346	1402	783	463	5861

Notes:

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

\*\*Responses suppressed when column 'n' is less than 30.

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		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Main area of current practice	Anatomical Pathology	†	1.9%	1.7%	2.2%	1.8%	1.0%	1.8%	2.2%	1.9%	1.4%	2.1%	1.9%
	Anesthesiology	†	9.5%	10.4%	7.5%	10.0%	9.3%	10.2%	10.6%	10.4%	5.1%	9.7%	9.5%
	Cardiac Surgery	†	0.7%	1.0%	0.1%	0.7%	0.2%	0.6%	0.5%	0.9%	1.1%	0.7%	0.7%
	Dermatology	†	1.3%	1.0%	1.8%	1.3%	0.8%	1.0%	1.1%	1.4%	1.8%	1.4%	1.3%
	Diagnostic Radiology	†	5.4%	6.3%	3.6%	5.0%	4.3%	5.8%	5.0%	5.1%	6.5%	5.1%	5.4%
	Emergency Medicine	†	6.1%	6.7%	5.3%	4.8%	8.7%	8.2%	7.6%	4.6%	2.1%	4.6%	6.1%
	General Pathology	†	0.7%	0.7%	0.5%	1.4%	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	0.8%	1.4%	0.7%
	General Surgery	†	3.5%	4.0%	2.3%	3.5%	3.1%	3.1%	3.9%	3.3%	3.6%	4.0%	3.5%
	Hematological Pathology	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.6%	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%
	Internal Medicine	†	2.0%	1.9%	2.1%	3.0%	4.7%	1.6%	1.9%	1.8%	1.7%	3.0%	2.0%
	Medical Biochemistry	†	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%	0.7%	0.3%	0.0%	0.3%
	Medical Genetics	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.4%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%
	Medical Microbiology	†	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	1.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%
	Neurology - Adult	†	1.7%	1.8%	1.7%	1.1%	2.6%	2.3%	1.1%	1.4%	1.7%	1.6%	1.7%
	Neurology - Pediatric	†	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%	0.8%	0.6%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.8%	0.3%
	Neuropathology	†	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
	Neurosurgery	†	0.8%	1.0%	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	0.6%	0.7%	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%
	Nuclear Medicine	†	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	0.0%	1.5%	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.2%	0.0%	0.5%
	Obstetrics & Gynecology	†	4.0%	2.9%	6.5%	2.8%	4.6%	4.3%	4.2%	3.2%	4.5%	3.0%	4.0%
	Ophthalmology	†	2.8%	3.3%	2.1%	1.0%	3.1%	1.5%	3.1%	3.4%	4.8%	0.6%	2.8%
	Orthopedic Surgery	†	3.9%	5.2%	1.2%	3.1%	4.2%	4.2%	4.1%	3.0%	4.8%	3.0%	3.9%
	Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery	†	1.7%	2.1%	0.8%	1.6%	1.7%	1.5%	1.5%	1.2%	3.0%	1.6%	1.7%
	Pediatrics - General	†	4.4%	3.1%	7.3%	4.5%	3.2%	4.2%	4.4%	4.4%	5.3%	4.7%	4.4%
	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	†	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	0.7%	0.4%	1.1%	1.6%	1.6%	1.1%	0.8%	1.3%
	Plastic Surgery	†	0.9%	1.1%	0.5%	1.2%	1.2%	0.7%	1.1%	0.9%	0.9%	1.2%	0.9%
	Psychiatry	†	8.9%	7.4%	11.0%	12.5%	5.9%	5.1%	8.4%	10.3%	13.6%	12.2%	8.9%

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			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+		NR
	Public Health and Preventive Medicine		†	2.0%	1.7%	2.8%	2.1%	1.4%	1.7%	2.1%	3.0%	1.1%	2.4%	2.0%
	Radiation Oncology		†	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%	1.8%	1.5%	2.5%	1.4%	1.1%	0.1%	2.1%	1.5%
	Urology		†	1.0%	1.4%	0.2%	1.1%	2.0%	0.8%	1.1%	1.0%	0.9%	1.1%	1.0%
	Vascular Surgery		†	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	2.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%	0.1%	2.1%	0.4%
	Adolescent Medicine		†	0.1%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%
	Cardiology - Adult		†	2.8%	3.7%	0.9%	2.8%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.6%	4.2%	3.0%	2.8%
	Cardiology - Pediatric		†	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	0.5%	0.4%	0.4%	0.1%	0.7%	0.4%
	Child and Adolescent Psychiatry		†	1.5%	1.0%	2.6%	1.2%	1.1%	1.6%	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	1.2%	1.5%
	Clinical Immunology & Allergy - Adult		†	0.4%	0.4%	0.5%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.3%	1.0%	0.0%	0.4%
	Clinical Immunology & Allergy - Pediatric		†	0.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.7%	0.2%	0.3%
	Clinical Pharmacology & Toxicology		†	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	Colorectal Surgery		†	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%
	Critical Care Medicine - Adult		†	1.7%	2.1%	1.0%	1.2%	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%	1.1%	0.1%	0.7%	1.7%
	Critical Care Medicine - Pediatric		†	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%
	Developmental Pediatrics		†	0.4%	0.2%	0.9%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%
	Endocrinology & Metabolism - Adult		†	1.1%	0.9%	1.4%	1.6%	0.8%	1.2%	0.7%	0.9%	1.7%	1.7%	1.1%
	Endocrinology & Metabolism - Pediatric		†	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%
	Forensic Pathology		†	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%
	Forensic Psychiatry		†	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%
	Gastroenterology - Adult		†	1.3%	1.4%	1.0%	2.1%	2.4%	1.5%	0.8%	1.3%	1.4%	1.6%	1.3%
	Gastroenterology - Pediatric		†	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%

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	General Surgical Oncology		†	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.6%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.6%	0.3%
	Geriatric Medicine		†	0.9%	0.6%	1.7%	0.4%	0.5%	1.1%	0.9%	1.3%	0.6%	0.4%	0.9%
	Geriatric Psychiatry		†	0.9%	0.7%	1.4%	1.2%	0.4%	0.3%	1.3%	0.9%	1.8%	1.0%	0.9%
	Gynecologic Oncology		†	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	0.2%
	Gyn. Reproductive Endocrinology & Infertility		†	0.4%	0.4%	0.6%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%
	Hematology		†	0.9%	0.7%	1.3%	0.8%	0.4%	1.3%	0.6%	0.5%	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%
	Infectious Diseases - Adult		†	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	0.6%	1.3%	1.2%	0.8%	0.8%	0.2%	0.9%	0.9%
	Infectious Diseases - Pediatric		†	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
	Maternal Fetal Medicine		†	0.5%	0.3%	0.9%	1.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.4%	0.7%	0.2%	1.0%	0.5%
	Medical Oncology		†	1.1%	0.9%	1.6%	0.5%	1.2%	1.2%	1.1%	1.0%	0.8%	0.7%	1.1%
	Neonatal Perinatal Medicine		†	0.8%	0.7%	1.1%	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	0.6%	0.8%	1.0%	1.0%	0.8%
	Nephrology - Adult		†	1.3%	1.2%	1.6%	1.0%	2.4%	2.0%	1.2%	0.8%	0.5%	1.0%	1.3%
	Nephrology - Pediatric		†	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	0.5%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%
	Neuroradiology		†	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.6%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	0.0%	0.2%
	Occupational Medicine		†	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%	1.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	1.0%	0.7%	0.8%	0.6%
	Pain Medicine		†	0.8%	0.9%	0.5%	1.0%	0.2%	0.6%	0.9%	0.8%	1.2%	1.0%	0.8%
	Pediatric Emergency Medicine		†	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	0.6%	1.0%	1.5%	0.7%	0.4%	0.0%	0.6%	0.7%
	Pediatric Surgery		†	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%
	Pediatric Hematology/Oncology		†	0.4%	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	0.9%	0.3%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%
	Pediatric Radiology		†	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
	Respirology - Adult		†	1.8%	2.0%	1.5%	1.5%	3.0%	1.5%	1.6%	1.9%	1.8%	2.2%	1.8%
	Respirology - Pediatric		†	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.1%

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Q2ii Select the specialty/sub-specialty certificate that is most closely related to the MAIN AREA of your current practice.

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Question asked of Other Specialists only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
	Rheumatology - Adult	†	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	1.2%	1.1%	0.9%	0.6%	1.3%	1.0%	0.8%	1.0%	
	Rheumatology - Pediatric	†	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	
	Thoracic Surgery	†	0.4%	0.6%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	0.0%	0.4%	
	NR	†	2.8%	2.9%	2.6%	3.2%	0.4%	1.7%	2.5%	4.3%	4.3%	2.1%	2.8%	
Total	%	†	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
	N		0	40827	25555	12040	3232	2555	10286	9698	9486	5610	3193	40827
	n		0	5861	3364	2035	462	415	1452	1346	1402	783	463	5861

Notes:

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q2iii Select the statement that best describes your scope of practice.

Question asked of Subspecialists only			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Your scope of practice	I am practicing in the area of my sub-specialty only		†	50.1%	49.3%	52.1%	47.9%	40.8%	48.7%	48.3%	55.2%	51.0%	52.9%	50.1%	
	I am practicing in the area of my primary specialty and my sub-specialty		†	34.8%	35.8%	33.4%	33.7%	46.7%	37.4%	35.6%	32.6%	27.1%	32.1%	34.8%	
	I am practicing in the area of my primary specialty only		†	8.6%	9.3%	7.1%	10.1%	7.8%	8.2%	9.8%	6.7%	12.7%	6.4%	8.6%	
	Other, please specify		†	5.5%	4.6%	6.8%	7.5%	4.7%	5.2%	5.3%	4.5%	7.5%	7.7%	5.5%	
	NR		†	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	0.8%	0.0%	0.5%	1.0%	1.0%	1.8%	0.8%	0.9%	
Total	%		†	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
	N			0	11584	6873	3838	873	793	3298	2590	2532	1517	853	11584
	n			0	1682	900	654	128	128	470	365	379	212	128	1682

Notes:

Includes only respondents indicating the following subspecialties: Adolescent Medicine, Cardiology (Adult or Pediatric), Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Clinical Immunology & Allergy (Adult or Pediatric), Clinical Pharmacology & Toxicology, Colorectal Surgery, Developmental Pediatrics, Endocrinology & Metabolism (Adult or Pediatric), Forensic Pathology, Forensic Psychiatry, Gastroenterology (Adult or Pediatric), General Internal Medicine, General Surgical Oncology, Geriatric Medicine, Geriatric Psychiatry, Gynecologic Oncology, Gyn. Reproductive Endocrinology & Infertility, Hematology, Infectious Diseases (Adult or Pediatric), Maternal Fetal Medicine, Medical Oncology, Neonatal Perinatal Medicine, Nephrology (Adult or Pediatric), Neuroradiology, Occupational Medicine, Pain Medicine, Pediatric Emergency Medicine, Pediatric Surgery, Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Pediatric Radiology, Respiriology (Adult or Pediatric), Rheumatology (Adult or Pediatric), Thoracic Surgery

NR=No Response.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. National Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

Q2iv Select the focus of your practice and describe the focus.

Question asked of Other Specialists only			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Focus of practice	Full scope of my specialty/sub-specialty		†	78.3%	78.1%	78.4%	79.3%	87.5%	83.1%	79.4%	76.5%	66.0%	79.6%	78.3%
	Limited to particular diseases/conditions		†	11.6%	11.4%	12.6%	10.4%	7.5%	10.1%	12.0%	11.5%	16.3%	10.6%	11.6%
	Limited to particular treatments/procedures		†	3.7%	4.0%	3.0%	4.1%	1.5%	1.9%	2.7%	3.9%	9.2%	3.9%	3.7%
	Limited to particular organs/part of the anatomy		†	2.3%	2.5%	2.0%	1.9%	2.1%	2.5%	2.2%	1.8%	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%
	NR		†	4.1%	4.1%	4.0%	4.3%	1.3%	2.4%	3.7%	6.2%	5.8%	3.4%	4.1%
	Total		†	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	%													
	N		0	40827	25555	12040	3232	2555	10286	9698	9486	5610	3193	40827
	n		0	5861	3364	2035	462	415	1452	1346	1402	783	463	5861

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Q3a In the last TWO years to what extent have you experienced change in the following:

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Need for services I provide	Major decrease	1.1%	1.9%	1.8%	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%	1.5%	1.5%	1.3%	2.2%	1.5%	1.5%
	Minor decrease	3.3%	4.6%	4.8%	3.0%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.8%	4.4%	6.5%	3.5%	4.0%
	No change	25.6%	24.9%	26.4%	23.9%	23.0%	29.0%	25.8%	22.9%	24.1%	30.2%	22.8%	25.2%
	Minor increase	33.5%	34.2%	34.2%	34.0%	31.6%	33.7%	34.8%	35.7%	34.4%	29.7%	31.3%	33.9%
	Major increase	33.1%	31.4%	30.8%	34.6%	31.7%	25.8%	32.3%	34.7%	33.7%	28.7%	31.9%	32.2%
	N/A	3.0%	2.5%	1.8%	3.1%	7.8%	7.2%	2.4%	1.1%	1.7%	2.1%	7.7%	2.7%
	NR	0.3%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	1.4%	0.1%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.7%	1.4%	0.4%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487
Services I offer being provided by other health professionals	Major decrease	2.5%	2.4%	2.4%	2.6%	2.2%	1.0%	1.9%	2.8%	2.6%	3.4%	2.3%	2.4%
	Minor decrease	7.0%	6.1%	7.1%	5.8%	5.0%	4.7%	6.6%	6.4%	7.6%	6.6%	4.9%	6.5%
	No change	47.6%	57.0%	53.4%	53.1%	46.1%	56.2%	58.5%	53.3%	49.4%	49.5%	45.9%	52.7%
	Minor increase	30.8%	19.3%	23.9%	25.5%	25.8%	25.9%	22.0%	25.6%	26.1%	23.1%	25.3%	24.6%
	Major increase	5.7%	3.9%	4.9%	4.3%	5.0%	3.6%	3.9%	4.7%	5.7%	4.8%	5.3%	4.7%
	N/A	5.8%	10.4%	7.6%	8.2%	13.5%	8.5%	6.9%	6.6%	7.7%	11.3%	13.8%	8.3%
	NR	0.6%	0.8%	0.6%	0.5%	2.4%	0.1%	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	1.3%	2.5%	0.7%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487
Supply of physicians in my specialty	Major decrease	7.7%	5.0%	5.2%	7.9%	6.3%	2.6%	4.0%	6.7%	8.0%	8.4%	6.2%	6.2%
	Minor decrease	18.4%	13.0%	15.5%	16.0%	13.0%	10.6%	13.5%	17.0%	18.1%	15.9%	12.8%	15.5%
	No change	39.7%	36.2%	37.9%	39.1%	32.1%	37.7%	39.0%	37.7%	36.6%	41.7%	32.9%	37.8%
	Minor increase	25.3%	32.9%	30.4%	27.1%	32.2%	33.3%	32.0%	29.1%	28.6%	23.4%	30.9%	29.4%
	Major increase	3.4%	9.1%	7.2%	5.4%	5.7%	9.2%	8.4%	6.7%	4.9%	4.3%	6.0%	6.5%
	N/A	4.7%	3.2%	3.0%	4.2%	9.0%	6.5%	3.1%	2.3%	3.0%	5.1%	9.5%	3.9%
	NR	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	0.3%	1.8%	0.2%	0.0%	0.5%	0.7%	1.3%	1.8%	0.6%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
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Q3a In the last TWO years to what extent have you experienced change in the following:

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Restrictive policies or privileges	Major decrease	1.4%	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	1.6%	0.6%	0.8%	1.2%	1.4%	2.1%	1.8%	1.3%
	Minor decrease	3.2%	2.4%	3.0%	2.7%	1.5%	2.1%	2.7%	2.6%	3.2%	3.4%	2.0%	2.8%
	No change	59.2%	60.7%	60.9%	60.4%	52.5%	59.3%	63.6%	58.8%	60.5%	60.0%	52.9%	60.0%
	Minor increase	16.5%	14.1%	16.5%	13.5%	13.5%	17.8%	14.9%	17.1%	15.3%	12.1%	12.3%	15.2%
	Major increase	6.2%	7.3%	7.1%	5.7%	8.8%	5.6%	6.3%	8.0%	6.4%	5.7%	8.2%	6.8%
	N/A	12.1%	13.3%	10.1%	15.7%	18.9%	14.3%	11.2%	11.3%	11.6%	15.2%	19.5%	12.7%
	NR	1.4%	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%	3.2%	0.2%	0.6%	1.0%	1.6%	1.5%	3.2%	1.2%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

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NR=No Response.

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Q3b Rate YOUR access to the following:

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Operating Room	Excellent	12.4%	20.5%	19.1%	15.0%	14.1%	16.0%	20.9%	17.4%	16.5%	16.6%	13.1%	17.6%	
	Satisfactory	54.7%	46.1%	47.3%	54.3%	46.6%	50.4%	48.6%	51.6%	48.9%	46.2%	47.1%	49.2%	
	Unsatisfactory	26.7%	29.7%	29.3%	27.7%	26.7%	33.4%	29.7%	28.5%	28.5%	24.1%	27.3%	28.6%	
	NR	6.1%	3.7%	4.3%	3.0%	12.6%	0.2%	0.7%	2.4%	6.1%	13.1%	12.5%	4.6%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	8516	15131	15318	6562	1768	1782	6025	6025	5544	2527	1746	23648
n		1072	2090	1880	1032	250	303	818	782	722	293	244	3162	
Endoscopy Suites	Excellent	9.6%	13.7%	12.8%	10.2%	8.8%	13.4%	12.4%	12.4%	12.1%	9.4%	8.2%	11.8%	
	Satisfactory	42.8%	44.4%	42.2%	45.6%	47.4%	51.8%	46.5%	45.1%	37.9%	39.0%	44.9%	43.6%	
	Unsatisfactory	40.3%	31.4%	35.4%	39.3%	24.4%	34.5%	39.1%	37.2%	39.8%	23.2%	26.3%	35.6%	
	NR	7.3%	10.6%	9.6%	4.8%	19.4%	0.3%	2.0%	5.3%	10.2%	28.4%	20.6%	9.0%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	8076	9123	10748	4992	1459	1401	4108	4405	3976	1897	1413	17199
n		953	1256	1275	736	198	233	547	547	485	205	192	2209	
Procedural rooms	Excellent	14.6%	13.0%	14.2%	12.4%	14.1%	15.5%	13.9%	13.6%	12.2%	15.3%	13.0%	13.7%	
	Satisfactory	59.7%	53.1%	55.3%	57.7%	54.5%	59.6%	56.5%	55.7%	55.4%	56.2%	52.0%	56.0%	
	Unsatisfactory	21.6%	29.6%	26.3%	26.8%	21.8%	24.3%	28.7%	27.9%	26.7%	17.1%	24.0%	26.1%	
	NR	4.2%	4.3%	4.1%	3.2%	9.6%	0.7%	0.9%	2.8%	5.7%	11.3%	10.9%	4.2%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	13733	18091	20277	9190	2357	2774	8316	8060	7060	3325	2289	31824
n		1799	2548	2525	1489	333	475	1147	1062	942	398	323	4347	
Anesthetist	Excellent	14.1%	17.0%	16.6%	15.2%	13.2%	15.9%	16.0%	17.4%	15.4%	15.9%	11.9%	15.9%	
	Satisfactory	60.3%	54.9%	56.8%	58.9%	50.5%	66.7%	58.7%	57.6%	55.4%	51.9%	49.0%	56.9%	
	Unsatisfactory	19.4%	23.1%	21.7%	21.6%	22.5%	16.5%	24.0%	21.8%	22.0%	17.1%	24.6%	21.7%	
	NR	6.2%	5.0%	5.0%	4.2%	13.8%	0.9%	1.2%	3.2%	7.1%	15.1%	14.5%	5.4%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	9542	16158	16161	7561	1978	2131	6686	6577	5785	2582	1939	25700
n		1228	2250	1993	1216	269	358	912	864	773	310	261	3478	
Nurses	Excellent	17.0%	13.6%	16.3%	13.5%	13.1%	16.1%	15.0%	14.4%	14.3%	20.0%	12.8%	15.1%	
	Satisfactory	56.2%	53.4%	55.9%	52.3%	55.2%	53.0%	53.2%	53.2%	57.6%	55.5%	55.0%	54.6%	

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Q3b Rate YOUR access to the following:

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group								
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians		
	Unsatisfactory		25.2%	30.9%	26.0%	32.9%	26.2%	30.7%	31.3%	31.5%	25.9%	18.9%	26.9%	28.4%	
	NR		1.6%	2.1%	1.8%	1.3%	5.4%	0.2%	0.5%	0.9%	2.2%	5.6%	5.4%	1.9%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N		24854	31925	32905	19552	4322	5073	14044	14098	13402	5872	4289	56779
		n		3209	4543	4043	3116	593	868	1972	1874	1736	710	592	7752
Technicians	Excellent		9.1%	13.1%	12.8%	9.2%	9.2%	10.7%	12.8%	10.0%	11.1%	14.8%	9.4%	11.5%	
	Satisfactory		66.9%	61.0%	63.8%	61.7%	65.3%	65.0%	61.7%	61.9%	65.3%	63.9%	64.2%	63.3%	
	Unsatisfactory		20.4%	23.0%	20.4%	26.3%	18.2%	23.5%	24.3%	25.8%	20.2%	13.2%	19.4%	22.0%	
	NR		3.6%	2.9%	2.9%	2.7%	7.2%	0.8%	1.2%	2.3%	3.5%	8.1%	7.0%	3.2%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N			18047	27244	28395	13264	3632	3732	10852	11199	10843	5087	3577	45291	
n			2296	3832	3511	2124	493	621	1489	1466	1432	635	485	6128	
Social workers	Excellent		9.0%	9.6%	10.6%	7.4%	8.6%	10.4%	10.5%	8.5%	8.5%	10.1%	7.9%	9.3%	
	Satisfactory		45.4%	54.6%	53.4%	44.3%	48.9%	46.6%	50.1%	49.3%	49.6%	52.2%	49.6%	49.7%	
	Unsatisfactory		44.3%	33.2%	33.8%	47.4%	37.4%	42.6%	38.7%	41.1%	40.4%	31.0%	37.6%	39.1%	
	NR		1.4%	2.5%	2.2%	0.8%	5.1%	0.4%	0.7%	1.0%	1.5%	6.7%	5.0%	1.9%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N			30331	26507	31440	20940	4458	5002	13319	14161	13637	6251	4469	56838	
n			4023	3821	3841	3381	622	877	1914	1914	1767	749	623	7844	
Publicly funded physiotherapists	Excellent		3.4%	4.3%	4.6%	2.5%	4.0%	3.6%	4.1%	3.3%	3.6%	5.2%	3.5%	3.8%	
	Satisfactory		16.4%	34.6%	27.9%	17.8%	24.7%	23.4%	25.0%	22.8%	21.9%	27.9%	25.6%	24.0%	
	Unsatisfactory		78.9%	57.7%	65.2%	78.7%	65.0%	72.7%	70.5%	72.5%	72.6%	60.1%	64.7%	70.1%	
	NR		1.3%	3.3%	2.4%	0.9%	6.2%	0.3%	0.4%	1.4%	1.9%	6.8%	6.1%	2.1%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N			31660	22454	30195	19702	4217	4846	12590	13560	12903	5942	4273	54114	
n			4226	3214	3661	3192	587	855	1813	1825	1651	702	594	7440	
Publicly funded occupational therapists	Excellent		3.1%	4.4%	4.4%	2.6%	3.1%	3.7%	3.9%	3.3%	3.4%	4.5%	3.1%	3.6%	
	Satisfactory		24.8%	39.0%	34.8%	24.8%	30.9%	30.4%	33.6%	30.2%	28.5%	31.6%	31.6%	30.9%	
	Unsatisfactory		70.9%	53.4%	58.7%	71.5%	59.5%	65.7%	62.1%	65.2%	66.5%	57.0%	59.0%	63.4%	
	NR		1.2%	3.2%	2.1%	1.0%	6.5%	0.2%	0.4%	1.3%	1.6%	6.9%	6.3%	2.1%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N			30567	22643	29701	19312	4197	4735	12413	13295	12661	5881	4224	53210	
n			4070	3239	3606	3120	583	827	1781	1792	1629	694	586	7309	
Dieticians	Excellent		8.6%	8.4%	9.5%	7.3%	7.9%	10.4%	10.3%	7.9%	6.8%	9.6%	7.2%	8.5%	

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Source: 2013 National Physician Survey. The College of Family Physicians of Canada, Canadian Medical Association, The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q3b Rate YOUR access to the following:

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
	Satisfactory	44.6%	54.4%	50.6%	46.0%	50.0%	51.8%	53.7%	48.0%	44.1%	47.6%	50.9%	48.9%	
	Unsatisfactory	45.5%	34.1%	37.6%	45.9%	35.6%	37.5%	35.5%	43.0%	47.1%	36.7%	35.7%	40.5%	
	NR	1.3%	3.1%	2.3%	0.8%	6.6%	0.3%	0.5%	1.1%	2.0%	6.1%	6.3%	2.1%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	31596	24618	30926	20822	4465	4842	12945	13964	13557	6409	4498	56213
	n	4220	3530	3756	3367	627	853	1865	1888	1751	762	631	7750	
Hospital beds	Excellent	3.8%	3.9%	4.2%	3.3%	3.1%	5.2%	4.0%	3.8%	3.1%	4.9%	2.5%	3.8%	
	Satisfactory	37.7%	37.9%	37.8%	38.1%	36.4%	42.8%	40.8%	35.4%	36.8%	36.5%	35.2%	37.8%	
	Unsatisfactory	56.8%	55.8%	56.1%	57.1%	53.9%	51.5%	54.2%	59.6%	58.1%	52.9%	56.1%	56.3%	
	NR	1.7%	2.4%	1.9%	1.5%	6.6%	0.5%	1.0%	1.2%	1.9%	5.7%	6.2%	2.1%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N		24647	29697	31574	18440	4329	4716	13167	13759	12756	5673	4273	54343	
n		3269	4253	3923	2996	603	807	1864	1855	1714	688	594	7522	
MRI scans	Excellent	5.7%	8.6%	8.0%	5.9%	6.5%	8.7%	7.5%	7.8%	6.4%	6.4%	5.6%	7.1%	
	Satisfactory	40.3%	50.6%	45.5%	45.4%	45.2%	47.1%	48.2%	45.3%	42.3%	45.5%	45.0%	45.4%	
	Unsatisfactory	52.7%	38.9%	45.0%	48.0%	42.5%	43.9%	43.9%	45.7%	49.6%	44.8%	43.7%	45.8%	
	NR	1.2%	2.0%	1.6%	0.8%	5.8%	0.3%	0.4%	1.1%	1.7%	3.3%	5.7%	1.6%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N		31837	31784	36601	22096	4924	5430	14843	15859	15285	7343	4862	63621	
n		4257	4538	4516	3592	687	952	2125	2139	2012	889	678	8795	
CT scans	Excellent	14.2%	16.9%	17.4%	13.2%	12.0%	19.8%	18.0%	16.5%	13.3%	13.0%	10.8%	15.5%	
	Satisfactory	59.1%	65.0%	61.5%	63.1%	61.6%	64.8%	63.9%	62.3%	59.8%	60.5%	61.9%	62.1%	
	Unsatisfactory	25.8%	16.1%	19.8%	22.9%	21.2%	15.3%	17.8%	20.5%	25.2%	23.0%	22.2%	20.9%	
	NR	0.9%	2.0%	1.3%	0.8%	5.2%	0.1%	0.4%	0.7%	1.7%	3.4%	5.0%	1.5%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N		32112	32088	36874	22322	5004	5577	14990	15907	15372	7431	4923	64200	
n		4309	4589	4559	3638	701	977	2145	2152	2031	902	691	8898	
PET scans	Excellent	2.7%	6.2%	4.6%	4.1%	4.9%	5.1%	5.0%	4.9%	3.0%	5.0%	4.7%	4.5%	
	Satisfactory	34.1%	38.1%	34.8%	38.7%	35.3%	52.4%	42.9%	36.1%	31.0%	24.0%	34.8%	36.1%	
	Unsatisfactory	60.3%	49.4%	56.2%	54.1%	47.7%	41.3%	49.7%	55.9%	61.9%	60.9%	48.1%	54.8%	
	NR	2.9%	6.3%	4.4%	3.1%	12.2%	1.2%	2.4%	3.1%	4.1%	10.1%	12.4%	4.6%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
N		17412	17989	20859	11576	2966	2888	7766	8764	8900	4142	2940	35401	
n		2160	2513	2509	1763	401	470	1061	1132	1135	478	397	4673	

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### Q3b Rate YOUR access to the following:

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Quality equipment e.g. microscopes, analyzer, computers	Excellent	5.9%	6.4%	6.6%	5.1%	7.4%	5.7%	6.6%	5.7%	5.9%	6.5%	7.2%	6.2%	
	Satisfactory	62.1%	56.7%	59.9%	57.8%	57.5%	60.7%	56.4%	57.8%	59.6%	66.0%	57.8%	59.0%	
	Unsatisfactory	30.0%	34.6%	31.6%	35.5%	28.1%	33.2%	36.3%	35.1%	32.1%	22.4%	28.0%	32.6%	
	NR	2.0%	2.4%	1.9%	1.6%	7.0%	0.4%	0.7%	1.3%	2.5%	5.2%	7.0%	2.2%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	21970	28637	29965	16780	3863	4441	12465	12691	11610	5548	3853	50607
n		2825	4035	3679	2651	530	749	1712	1678	1521	667	533	6860	
Physical space	Excellent	10.3%	6.7%	8.2%	8.0%	10.4%	8.2%	7.5%	7.7%	8.4%	10.2%	9.9%	8.3%	
	Satisfactory	60.0%	48.5%	54.5%	52.4%	52.5%	55.2%	51.6%	51.6%	55.1%	59.2%	51.5%	53.6%	
	Unsatisfactory	28.4%	43.5%	36.0%	39.1%	32.8%	36.5%	40.7%	40.0%	35.0%	26.9%	34.5%	36.8%	
	NR	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	0.5%	4.3%	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	1.5%	3.7%	4.1%	1.3%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	29195	36356	37857	22641	5052	5582	15573	16350	15682	7378	4985	65551
n		3868	5194	4689	3670	703	964	2211	2200	2078	912	697	9062	
Electronic health records	Excellent	15.8%	7.9%	11.7%	11.1%	12.1%	13.1%	12.3%	10.3%	10.8%	12.7%	11.8%	11.5%	
	Satisfactory	47.2%	43.5%	44.7%	45.1%	48.4%	46.8%	44.4%	45.3%	43.0%	47.5%	48.7%	45.2%	
	Unsatisfactory	36.1%	47.1%	42.3%	43.2%	35.4%	39.8%	42.9%	43.9%	44.7%	36.8%	35.5%	42.1%	
	NR	1.0%	1.5%	1.2%	0.5%	4.1%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	1.4%	2.9%	3.9%	1.2%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	30279	35852	37919	23004	5208	5611	16034	16532	15631	7171	5152	66131
n		4101	5141	4727	3783	732	983	2299	2251	2092	892	725	9242	

#### Notes:

Excludes those who indicated "Not applicable".

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

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**Q3c Are there any clinical, therapeutic, diagnostic, or procedural activities within the domain of your discipline carried out by other health professionals?**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Activities within your domain carried out by other health professionals	Yes		62.8%	46.9%	51.2%	60.7%	47.9%	54.7%	51.7%	55.0%	56.0%	58.2%	46.9%	54.2%
	No		34.9%	51.6%	48.2%	38.9%	35.0%	45.1%	48.2%	44.8%	43.1%	40.8%	35.7%	43.9%
	NR		2.2%	1.5%	0.6%	0.4%	17.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.9%	1.0%	17.3%	1.8%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
		N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca) .

# National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q3ci Please specify up to three professionals [who provide services that are part of your practice domain].

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						Total
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Health Professionals providing services that are part of your practice domain	Acupuncturists	1.0%	0.8%	0.9%	0.9%	0.6%	0.3%	0.7%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%
	Audiologists	0.8%	1.7%	1.3%	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	1.6%	1.4%	1.7%	1.2%
	Chiropodists/orthodists/podiatrists	1.9%	1.9%	2.3%	1.5%	1.3%	1.8%	2.0%	1.5%	1.3%	3.6%	1.6%	1.9%
	Chiropractors	5.2%	3.9%	6.3%	2.2%	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%	4.7%	4.7%	7.9%	4.1%	4.6%
	Counsellors	6.3%	5.3%	5.7%	6.0%	6.3%	4.2%	4.8%	4.9%	6.8%	7.8%	7.1%	5.9%
	Dentists/ dental surgeons	1.1%	2.4%	2.1%	1.1%	2.2%	1.7%	1.5%	2.0%	1.3%	2.1%	2.0%	1.7%
	Diabetes educators/ nurses	16.7%	3.3%	9.7%	11.8%	8.7%	12.4%	9.3%	10.0%	11.2%	11.3%	8.9%	10.4%
	Dieticians/ nutritionists	8.6%	6.0%	6.8%	7.9%	8.4%	7.0%	7.7%	7.1%	6.8%	7.7%	8.6%	7.3%
	Lab technicians	1.8%	3.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.6%	1.5%	2.2%	2.3%	2.2%	3.6%	2.5%	2.4%
	Mental health care workers	8.3%	7.9%	7.7%	9.1%	5.8%	7.7%	6.5%	8.5%	9.0%	9.8%	5.7%	8.1%
	Midwives	11.8%	5.8%	6.6%	12.7%	6.9%	11.9%	9.6%	10.7%	7.7%	6.6%	6.8%	9.0%
	Clinical Nurse Specialists	11.1%	13.5%	11.2%	13.6%	11.9%	11.7%	11.8%	12.2%	13.6%	10.5%	12.3%	12.2%
	Community or public health nurses/ workers	3.6%	3.1%	3.2%	3.8%	1.8%	3.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.7%	5.0%	1.6%	3.4%
	Home care nurses/ workers	3.4%	1.5%	2.0%	3.4%	1.5%	2.8%	1.5%	3.1%	3.1%	2.4%	1.5%	2.5%
	Palliative care nurses/ workers	3.9%	1.0%	2.2%	2.8%	3.6%	1.6%	2.4%	2.3%	3.4%	1.7%	3.7%	2.5%
	Nurse practitioners	42.3%	17.0%	29.5%	32.7%	26.2%	33.6%	29.3%	34.0%	31.2%	25.1%	26.6%	30.5%
	Registered Nurse	18.4%	12.4%	15.4%	16.0%	14.8%	15.9%	16.7%	15.8%	15.8%	13.1%	15.6%	15.6%
	Occupational therapists	2.8%	6.4%	4.3%	4.7%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%	3.4%	4.8%	6.6%	3.9%	4.5%
	Optometrists	2.5%	5.0%	4.5%	2.4%	3.9%	2.3%	2.5%	3.3%	3.9%	6.7%	2.6%	3.6%
	Pharmacists	25.1%	6.9%	16.1%	17.9%	13.5%	15.1%	15.1%	17.5%	19.4%	14.2%	14.2%	16.6%
	Physician Assistants	4.7%	5.2%	5.4%	4.3%	4.6%	5.7%	5.8%	5.6%	4.0%	3.7%	5.1%	4.9%
	Physiotherapists/ rehab therapists/Kinesiologists	12.0%	13.0%	12.9%	12.5%	10.0%	17.1%	12.5%	12.5%	12.1%	11.7%	10.3%	12.5%
	Psychologists	6.6%	18.4%	11.7%	13.2%	9.5%	7.7%	10.8%	12.1%	12.9%	16.5%	10.2%	12.1%
	Social workers	8.4%	14.9%	10.9%	12.2%	11.4%	12.2%	10.7%	10.5%	11.4%	15.2%	9.2%	11.4%
	Speech language pathologists	0.4%	2.5%	1.2%	1.5%	2.2%	0.6%	1.7%	1.0%	1.4%	1.4%	2.4%	1.4%
	Radiology technologists/ rad therapists/ medical physicists	1.7%	5.5%	4.0%	2.4%	5.5%	3.4%	3.8%	3.2%	2.8%	4.1%	4.9%	3.5%
	Respiratory/ inhalation therapists/ asthma educators	2.7%	8.0%	5.7%	4.4%	5.4%	8.1%	6.2%	5.5%	4.2%	2.7%	5.6%	5.2%
	Massage therapists	0.6%	0.2%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	0.3%	0.7%	0.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%
	Naturopaths/ osteopaths	5.2%	2.8%	4.4%	3.8%	3.0%	4.1%	4.0%	4.9%	3.9%	3.4%	3.4%	4.1%
	Other	4.1%	13.9%	9.8%	7.3%	7.9%	5.3%	9.5%	8.1%	9.8%	9.2%	7.3%	8.7%
NR		2.7%	2.5%	1.8%	2.0%	11.2%	2.2%	2.1%	1.3%	1.9%	2.0%	12.5%	2.6%
Total	N	21837	19143	22213	15808	2959	3286	8841	10020	10339	5604	2891	40981
	n	2861	2775	2686	2547	403	586	1273	1353	1355	673	396	5636

**Notes:**

Includes only respondents who indicated that there are clinical, therapeutic, diagnostic, or procedural activities within the domain of their discipline carried out by "other" health professionals.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for up to 3 responses

NR=No Response.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q4 Describe your current employment situation.

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Employment situation	Overworked in my discipline		34.7%	30.1%	32.4%	33.2%	26.3%	20.0%	31.3%	38.4%	37.3%	23.7%	26.7%	32.2%
	Employed in my discipline to my satisfaction		59.3%	59.3%	60.8%	60.5%	44.2%	68.3%	61.0%	55.9%	58.3%	70.1%	42.5%	59.3%
	Underemployed in my discipline		2.9%	7.6%	5.8%	5.0%	5.0%	10.1%	6.4%	5.2%	3.5%	4.5%	6.1%	5.4%
	Not employed in my discipline		0.6%	1.2%	0.8%	1.1%	0.7%	1.6%	1.2%	0.5%	0.7%	1.1%	0.8%	0.9%
	NR		2.5%	1.8%	0.2%	0.1%	23.8%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	23.9%	2.1%
	Total													
	%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

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**Q4i How will you address your underemployment or unemployment within the next TWO years? Check all that apply.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Plan to	No plans	8.2%	16.5%	15.9%	13.5%	5.9%	5.7%	6.1%	20.5%	24.6%	22.2%	10.9%	14.4%
	Underemployed by choice	14.7%	13.3%	12.6%	15.9%	11.9%	6.1%	6.4%	11.1%	20.5%	38.9%	9.9%	13.6%
	Seek optimal employment in my discipline	52.5%	54.4%	53.0%	57.0%	48.1%	75.4%	67.5%	56.2%	32.8%	25.7%	45.9%	53.9%
	Seek employment outside my discipline	15.3%	15.2%	13.9%	16.2%	21.6%	15.4%	17.0%	18.6%	12.6%	7.8%	15.9%	15.3%
	Pursue further medical training	19.9%	14.6%	14.3%	19.7%	12.2%	29.8%	24.0%	6.4%	12.9%	3.1%	13.2%	16.0%
	Pursue other education	7.5%	13.8%	10.8%	13.8%	16.3%	21.2%	15.5%	8.1%	7.7%	2.1%	17.9%	12.2%
	Move within Canada	15.4%	26.0%	25.7%	20.4%	18.0%	37.9%	33.8%	24.4%	10.1%	2.5%	14.9%	23.3%
	Leave Canada	12.1%	22.3%	22.1%	14.8%	22.5%	30.1%	27.7%	18.8%	8.8%	1.2%	23.6%	19.7%
	Leave medicine	6.5%	9.0%	9.8%	5.6%	9.2%	4.9%	7.1%	7.4%	8.9%	16.8%	9.0%	8.4%
	NR	0.5%	1.1%	1.1%	0.7%	0.0%	0.8%	0.4%	1.7%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%
Total	N	1219	3579	2855	1589	355	707	1313	1029	780	542	428	4799
	n	182	512	371	273	50	120	189	140	111	72	62	694

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated "underemployed or not employed in my discipline".

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Q5 With reference to the LAST 2 YEARS, check all the changes you have already made.

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Changes made in the LAST 2 YEARS	Retired from clinical practice		1.4%	1.3%	1.6%	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.6%	1.5%	5.3%	1.3%	1.4%
	Reduce weekly work hours (excluding on-call)		19.8%	17.7%	19.6%	18.4%	13.6%	9.2%	13.0%	13.8%	23.0%	39.0%	13.4%	18.7%
	Increase weekly work hours (excluding on-call)		17.5%	16.4%	15.6%	20.6%	10.3%	23.3%	22.0%	20.9%	13.6%	7.0%	9.9%	16.9%
	Reduce on-call hours		14.9%	12.3%	14.7%	12.6%	9.1%	8.9%	10.4%	10.8%	16.6%	23.8%	9.7%	13.5%
	Increase on-call hours		7.9%	7.2%	7.5%	8.4%	4.2%	11.6%	10.6%	8.9%	5.2%	3.5%	4.1%	7.5%
	Reduce scope of practice		11.2%	9.4%	11.2%	9.5%	6.3%	6.2%	6.1%	8.7%	12.3%	21.5%	6.4%	10.2%
	Increase scope of practice		8.0%	7.4%	7.8%	8.0%	5.5%	11.1%	11.3%	9.7%	5.2%	2.0%	4.9%	7.7%
	Add an area of focus/special interest to your practice		8.8%	10.3%	9.5%	10.5%	6.5%	11.7%	11.4%	10.1%	9.1%	7.3%	6.3%	9.6%
	Change discipline/medical specialty		1.2%	1.0%	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%	0.7%	0.9%	1.2%	1.3%	1.1%	0.7%	1.1%
	Join or expand to a larger group/team of physicians or other health professionals		8.5%	3.6%	5.5%	6.8%	4.5%	10.2%	7.2%	6.1%	4.5%	4.0%	4.1%	5.9%
	Leave a rural area to practise in an urban area		2.5%	0.8%	1.5%	1.8%	1.5%	3.1%	2.2%	2.0%	0.8%	0.6%	1.4%	1.6%
Leave an urban area to practise in a rural area		2.2%	1.4%	1.7%	2.0%	1.1%	4.9%	2.2%	1.4%	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	1.8%	

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**Q5 With reference to the LAST 2 YEARS, check all the changes you have already made.**

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
	Relocate my practice to another province/territory in Canada	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	1.7%	1.1%	4.0%	2.4%	1.2%	1.0%	0.5%	1.2%	1.6%
	Practise in the USA	0.2%	0.7%	0.7%	0.3%	0.4%	0.9%	0.9%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.6%	0.5%
	NR	48.7%	51.6%	50.5%	46.2%	66.1%	49.2%	49.1%	50.9%	50.0%	42.1%	66.7%	50.3%
Total	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q5 For the NEXT 2 YEARS, check all the changes you plan to make.

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Changes you plan to make for the NEXT 2 YEARS	Retire from clinical practice		9.9%	9.3%	12.3%	5.5%	7.5%	0.3%	0.8%	1.6%	13.2%	40.1%	8.0%	9.6%
	Reduce weekly work hours (excluding on-call)		28.2%	26.4%	29.7%	24.8%	19.8%	20.4%	18.3%	24.1%	37.5%	39.0%	18.7%	27.2%
	Increase weekly work hours (excluding on-call)		11.5%	11.2%	10.3%	13.9%	7.4%	25.2%	18.7%	11.3%	5.3%	3.1%	8.2%	11.3%
	Reduce on-call hours		17.7%	17.2%	19.5%	14.8%	13.6%	15.3%	14.2%	16.1%	21.9%	21.8%	12.5%	17.4%
	Increase on-call hours		6.2%	6.2%	6.6%	6.2%	3.5%	15.2%	9.7%	6.1%	3.2%	1.5%	4.1%	6.2%
	Reduce scope of practice		12.3%	12.6%	15.1%	8.8%	9.7%	7.8%	7.4%	10.4%	16.3%	23.1%	9.0%	12.5%
	Increase scope of practice		13.5%	11.4%	11.8%	14.1%	9.4%	29.4%	20.3%	12.8%	5.6%	1.9%	9.1%	12.4%
	Add an area of focus/special interest to your practice		19.3%	20.4%	19.0%	21.7%	17.8%	33.7%	27.0%	21.4%	14.0%	8.7%	17.1%	19.9%
	Change discipline/medical specialty		2.4%	2.0%	2.3%	1.9%	2.5%	3.2%	2.7%	2.5%	1.4%	1.6%	2.5%	2.2%
	Join or expand to a larger group/team of physicians or other health professionals		12.5%	8.3%	9.7%	11.5%	8.4%	22.3%	13.2%	11.4%	6.5%	3.5%	8.3%	10.2%
	Leave a rural area to practise in an urban area		3.8%	2.0%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	5.2%	3.9%	3.0%	1.7%	0.8%	3.6%	2.8%
Leave an urban area to practise in a rural area		1.8%	2.0%	1.9%	2.0%	1.4%	4.6%	2.1%	1.7%	1.7%	1.0%	1.5%	1.9%	

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**Q5 For the NEXT 2 YEARS, check all the changes you plan to make.**

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		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
	Relocate my practice to another province/territory in Canada	5.5%	6.4%	6.1%	5.6%	6.8%	11.8%	9.0%	6.2%	3.2%	1.1%	7.6%	6.0%	
	Practise in the USA	1.7%	3.6%	3.2%	2.1%	2.6%	4.4%	4.2%	3.2%	1.2%	1.1%	2.6%	2.7%	
	NR	34.4%	35.3%	32.2%	35.4%	51.6%	23.5%	35.7%	39.7%	33.5%	23.4%	51.6%	34.9%	
	Total													
		N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
		n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

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Q5i What area did you focus your practice in?

Question asked of FP/GPs only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Area of focus made	Addiction Medicine	2.2%	†	2.6%	1.7%	**	2.1%	2.4%	0.0%	5.0%	**	**	2.2%
	Chronic Non-Cancer Pain	0.0%	†	0.0%	0.0%	**	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	**	**	0.0%
	Developmental Disabilities	0.3%	†	0.5%	0.2%	**	0.8%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	**	**	0.3%
	Child and Adolescent Health	1.7%	†	0.0%	3.9%	**	5.0%	3.2%	0.8%	0.8%	**	**	1.7%
	Emergency Medicine	8.8%	†	11.8%	6.2%	**	13.3%	18.3%	11.3%	1.2%	**	**	8.8%
	Family Practice Anesthesia	1.1%	†	0.8%	1.5%	**	4.0%	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	**	**	1.1%
	Global Health	3.3%	†	2.9%	4.2%	**	1.0%	4.9%	3.1%	3.4%	**	**	3.3%
	Health Care of the Elderly	8.4%	†	6.8%	10.6%	**	8.9%	4.4%	9.3%	10.6%	**	**	8.4%
	Hospital Medicine	5.9%	†	5.5%	4.1%	**	2.7%	5.4%	9.7%	2.9%	**	**	5.9%
	Maternity and Newborn Care	5.6%	†	3.9%	7.3%	**	6.5%	8.0%	3.4%	6.8%	**	**	5.6%
	Mental Health	5.2%	†	3.5%	7.4%	**	7.4%	6.2%	6.6%	2.4%	**	**	5.2%
	Occupational Medicine	4.8%	†	8.5%	1.2%	**	0.0%	7.6%	3.5%	2.1%	**	**	4.8%
	Palliative Care	4.6%	†	2.7%	7.0%	**	6.8%	7.8%	1.5%	5.1%	**	**	4.6%
	Prison Health	0.0%	†	0.0%	0.0%	**	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	**	**	0.0%
	Respiratory Medicine	0.3%	†	0.4%	0.0%	**	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	**	**	0.3%
	Sport and Exercise Medicine	3.7%	†	4.7%	3.1%	**	7.8%	0.9%	3.6%	3.3%	**	**	3.7%
	Other	40.0%	†	40.5%	39.3%	**	30.3%	29.4%	38.8%	52.2%	**	**	40.0%
NR	3.9%	†	5.0%	2.3%	**	3.6%	0.6%	6.8%	3.1%	**	**	3.9%	
Total	%	100.0%	†	100.0%	100.0%	**	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	**	**	100.0%
	N	3059	0	1559	1340	160	390	639	813	806	253	157	3059
	n	405	0	164	220	21	75	94	105	90	21	20	405

Notes:

Includes only FP/GP respondents who selected "Added an area of focus/special interest".

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†Question asked of FP/GPs only.

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Q5ii What area are you planning to focus in?

Question asked of FP/GPs only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Area of focus planned	Addiction Medicine	2.3%	†	2.5%	1.9%	3.7%	2.6%	2.9%	0.9%	3.0%	1.3%	3.9%	2.3%
	Chronic Non-Cancer Pain	3.0%	†	4.4%	1.7%	2.4%	1.5%	3.6%	1.5%	5.7%	5.0%	2.5%	3.0%
	Developmental Disabilities	0.1%	†	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
	Child and Adolescent Health	3.8%	†	2.1%	5.1%	6.3%	4.3%	5.0%	4.3%	0.4%	0.0%	6.3%	3.8%
	Emergency Medicine	9.2%	†	13.0%	5.9%	5.1%	16.1%	14.3%	8.5%	0.0%	0.0%	5.4%	9.2%
	Family Practice Anesthesia	0.9%	†	1.6%	0.4%	0.0%	1.5%	0.9%	0.9%	0.5%	2.1%	0.0%	0.9%
	Global Health	2.6%	†	2.3%	3.0%	2.4%	3.1%	2.9%	1.3%	4.0%	2.1%	2.5%	2.6%
	Health Care of the Elderly	9.7%	†	7.2%	11.8%	13.3%	3.5%	8.6%	8.0%	15.8%	22.1%	11.1%	9.7%
	Hospital Medicine	5.6%	†	6.0%	4.2%	10.5%	10.1%	5.1%	5.0%	2.3%	0.0%	10.8%	5.6%
	Maternity and Newborn Care	3.8%	†	0.5%	7.6%	2.7%	9.5%	4.1%	2.3%	2.0%	0.0%	2.9%	3.8%
	Mental Health	5.1%	†	3.6%	5.5%	11.8%	3.2%	4.9%	5.3%	4.7%	3.5%	11.2%	5.1%
	Occupational Medicine	2.0%	†	2.6%	1.4%	2.4%	1.0%	2.8%	2.8%	1.0%	0.0%	2.5%	2.0%
	Palliative Care	6.9%	†	6.0%	8.5%	2.8%	8.8%	6.0%	5.7%	8.3%	13.5%	1.8%	6.9%
	Prison Health	0.5%	†	0.6%	0.5%	0.0%	2.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
	Respiratory Medicine	0.4%	†	0.3%	0.3%	1.5%	0.3%	0.5%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.6%	0.4%
	Sport and Exercise Medicine	6.6%	†	8.8%	4.6%	3.5%	5.5%	8.4%	9.4%	3.4%	2.5%	1.5%	6.6%
	Other	34.3%	†	34.6%	35.7%	24.3%	24.4%	26.8%	40.7%	44.0%	45.9%	30.2%	34.3%
	NR	3.2%	†	3.8%	1.9%	7.4%	2.5%	3.1%	3.3%	3.5%	2.1%	5.6%	3.2%
Total	%	100.0%	†	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	6692	0	3221	2962	510	1094	1826	1834	1095	361	481	6692
	n	957	0	401	482	74	206	277	235	139	32	68	957

Notes:

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**Q6a Remuneration method.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Payment method	90%+ Fee-for-service (insured)		32.3%	41.4%	41.2%	34.1%	22.7%	35.9%	36.4%	37.9%	37.2%	48.3%	21.6%	37.2%
	90%+ Fee-for-service (uninsured)		0.6%	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	0.1%	0.3%	0.7%	0.7%	1.7%	0.7%	0.7%
	90%+ Salary		6.3%	9.1%	7.1%	9.7%	5.4%	8.5%	9.5%	8.1%	8.0%	4.7%	6.2%	7.8%
	90%+ Capitation		2.5%	0.1%	1.3%	1.3%	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	1.2%	1.7%	1.9%	1.0%	1.2%
	90%+ Sessional/per diem/ hourly		4.9%	2.4%	3.0%	4.6%	3.2%	4.2%	3.3%	4.0%	3.1%	4.0%	3.0%	3.5%
	90%+ Service contract		2.7%	4.5%	3.9%	3.6%	2.1%	2.7%	3.8%	3.7%	4.0%	4.4%	2.2%	3.7%
	90%+ Incentives and premiums		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
	90%+ Other		0.7%	1.7%	1.0%	1.7%	0.9%	0.8%	1.3%	1.1%	1.4%	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%
	Blended		45.9%	36.7%	41.7%	44.0%	22.9%	46.5%	44.4%	43.1%	43.8%	33.5%	22.4%	40.9%
	NR		4.1%	3.3%	0.2%	0.6%	41.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	41.5%	3.7%
Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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**Q6a Average percent of income from each source for those receiving BLENDED INCOME.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Fee-for-service insured	Mean	42.12	50.25	47.15	44.25	46.70	43.34	46.21	47.97	44.83	45.97	47.14	46.06
Fee-for-service uninsured (private pay services)	Mean	4.13	5.25	5.51	3.38	4.47	2.93	3.98	4.21	4.92	8.41	4.52	4.67
Salary	Mean	11.29	15.63	12.31	14.55	17.77	15.70	14.36	12.53	12.76	11.02	17.48	13.39
Capitation	Mean	12.98	.43	7.13	6.96	3.53	5.38	6.21	7.40	7.45	8.78	3.43	6.90
Sessional/per diem/hourly	Mean	17.05	14.27	14.33	18.05	14.14	23.82	15.71	14.53	15.64	12.34	14.07	15.70
Service contract	Mean	6.57	7.52	7.42	6.43	6.87	4.48	6.94	7.37	7.99	6.50	6.32	7.03
Incentives and premiums	Mean	3.44	2.00	2.59	3.04	2.35	3.05	3.12	2.94	2.53	1.88	2.20	2.74
Other	Mean	2.42	4.66	3.56	3.33	4.18	1.31	3.47	3.04	3.88	5.09	4.83	3.50
Total	N	15968	14969	18071	11450	1416	2792	7599	7858	8085	3222	1382	30937
	n	2093	2123	2177	1839	200	491	1069	1035	1019	402	200	4216

Notes:

NR=No Response.

Includes only respondents for whom no one payment method comprised 90% or more of their total income.

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**Q6b Are you remunerated for teaching beyond payment for clinical services?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Remunerated for teaching	Yes		36.7%	44.6%	41.4%	44.5%	22.6%	42.9%	47.7%	46.9%	41.7%	27.7%	21.6%	41.0%
	No		28.4%	37.5%	36.3%	31.6%	19.3%	35.9%	34.7%	32.0%	34.9%	37.9%	18.4%	33.3%
	Do not teach		30.4%	14.6%	22.3%	23.7%	11.4%	21.1%	17.6%	21.1%	23.3%	34.3%	13.2%	21.9%
	NR		4.5%	3.4%	0.1%	0.1%	46.7%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	46.8%	3.9%
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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**Q6b [For those who teach] are you remunerated for teaching beyond payment for clinical services?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Remunerated for teaching	Yes		56.4%	54.3%	53.3%	58.5%	54.0%	54.5%	57.9%	59.4%	54.4%	42.2%	54.0%	55.2%
	No		43.6%	45.7%	46.7%	41.5%	46.0%	45.5%	42.1%	40.6%	45.6%	57.8%	46.0%	44.8%
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N		22622	33494	33691	19838	2588	4731	14093	14376	14140	6308	2467
	n		2972	4842	4196	3250	368	807	1998	1953	1906	794	356	7814

Notes:

Includes only those who teach and who responded to the question.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

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**Q6bi What is the source of your teaching remuneration? Check all that apply.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Source of teaching remuneration	Paid by department/faculty of medicine		68.9%	62.7%	65.2%	65.8%	62.3%	60.2%	68.3%	65.3%	64.8%	63.7%	62.6%	65.3%
	Paid via an alternate funding or payment arrangement (AFP, APP)		10.3%	22.7%	18.5%	16.1%	18.3%	12.8%	18.5%	17.1%	17.5%	20.4%	18.8%	17.6%
	Paid directly by the provincial ministry of health		29.1%	23.7%	24.4%	28.5%	24.0%	36.7%	25.4%	26.6%	24.1%	22.0%	21.4%	25.9%
	Paid through a practice plan		3.3%	5.9%	5.3%	4.2%	4.7%	2.2%	6.0%	4.5%	5.1%	4.6%	3.6%	4.8%
	Other source of remuneration		2.6%	1.7%	2.1%	1.9%	2.7%	1.5%	1.7%	2.3%	2.1%	2.5%	2.8%	2.1%
	NR		0.9%	0.8%	0.6%	1.4%	0.0%	2.0%	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	1.7%	0.9%	0.8%
	Total	N	12763	18204	17970	11600	1397	2577	8161	8541	7691	2663	1333	30967
	n	1581	2595	2170	1816	190	418	1132	1112	1008	323	183	4176	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated they are remunerated for teaching beyond payment for clinical services.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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**Q7 Do you provide patient care?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Provide patient care	Yes	92.9%	90.1%	94.6%	95.6%	50.8%	97.1%	97.4%	95.9%	93.9%	90.0%	50.4%	91.4%	
	No	2.8%	6.4%	5.4%	4.4%	1.7%	2.9%	2.6%	4.1%	6.1%	10.0%	2.0%	4.7%	
	NR	4.4%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	47.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	47.6%	3.9%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

Notes:

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**Q8 How is your MAIN patient care setting organized? Check only one.**

**(Note that a solo or group practice could also include another health professional who does not have her/his own caseload).**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Organization of main patient care setting	Solo practice		18.1%	30.8%	28.5%	19.6%	19.2%	13.1%	19.4%	24.0%	28.0%	40.3%	19.6%	24.8%
	Group practice		55.8%	47.6%	50.2%	53.7%	49.8%	58.7%	56.7%	52.0%	48.8%	41.0%	50.7%	51.5%
	Interprofessional practice		25.1%	21.0%	20.7%	26.4%	25.5%	27.9%	23.6%	23.2%	22.5%	18.3%	24.7%	22.9%
	NR		1.0%	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%	5.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.8%	0.6%	0.4%	5.1%	0.8%
	Total													
		%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
		n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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**Q9 With respect to your MAIN patient care/practice setting, describe the population PRIMARILY served by you in your practice.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Primary population	Inner city	12.3%	12.3%	12.7%	11.0%	17.7%	10.4%	11.3%	11.5%	11.1%	17.1%	19.1%	12.3%
	Urban/suburban	54.2%	63.8%	58.5%	61.7%	51.2%	56.0%	60.1%	59.2%	61.6%	58.5%	51.9%	59.3%
	Small town	15.4%	9.5%	12.7%	11.8%	10.9%	14.9%	12.0%	12.9%	11.8%	11.5%	10.4%	12.3%
	Rural	11.6%	3.7%	7.5%	7.1%	7.4%	8.9%	8.0%	7.8%	6.9%	5.3%	7.2%	7.4%
	Geographically isolated/remote	4.0%	1.8%	2.7%	3.1%	2.3%	5.0%	2.4%	3.0%	2.6%	2.0%	2.6%	2.8%
	Cannot identify a primary geographic population	2.1%	8.5%	5.8%	5.0%	7.0%	4.7%	6.1%	5.6%	5.3%	5.3%	5.5%	5.5%
	NR	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	3.5%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.6%	0.3%	3.4%	0.4%
Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
	n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602

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**Q9ii Was there a return of service provision attached to your first practice location?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Return of service provision in first practice location	Yes	13.5%	10.6%	12.1%	11.8%	12.1%	15.9%	17.0%	12.6%	7.4%	7.1%	13.0%	12.0%	
	No	84.8%	87.8%	86.8%	87.3%	74.3%	83.6%	82.3%	86.6%	91.8%	90.1%	72.9%	86.4%	
	NR	1.6%	1.6%	1.1%	0.9%	13.6%	0.5%	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	2.8%	14.1%	1.6%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
	n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

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**Q9iii Did you receive an incentive (financial or otherwise) to set up your current practice?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Incentive to set up current practice	Yes	11.9%	9.6%	10.8%	11.0%	6.7%	21.5%	15.9%	10.7%	6.8%	2.7%	6.5%	10.7%	
	No	86.6%	89.1%	88.3%	88.2%	80.5%	78.0%	83.5%	88.4%	92.3%	95.7%	81.6%	87.9%	
	NR	1.5%	1.3%	0.9%	0.7%	12.9%	0.5%	0.6%	0.9%	0.9%	1.6%	12.0%	1.4%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
	n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602	

Notes:

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**Q9iv Do you currently or will you eventually receive a retention bonus to remain in your community?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Retention bonus to remain in your community	Yes	18.5%	17.1%	18.2%	17.2%	16.1%	17.8%	18.5%	19.2%	18.2%	12.6%	16.7%	17.7%	
	No	80.2%	82.3%	81.4%	82.5%	71.7%	81.8%	81.1%	80.3%	81.5%	86.7%	71.1%	81.3%	
	NR	1.3%	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	12.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.7%	12.2%	0.9%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
	n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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**Q9v Are the majority of your patients rostered?**

Question asked of FP/GPs only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Patients are rostered	Yes	47.9%	†	48.4%	48.1%	39.6%	44.9%	47.0%	49.4%	49.1%	49.5%	38.1%	47.9%
	No	50.5%	†	50.8%	51.0%	42.0%	54.1%	52.1%	50.0%	50.4%	48.1%	43.3%	50.5%
	NR	1.7%	†	0.9%	0.9%	18.4%	1.0%	0.9%	0.6%	0.5%	2.4%	18.6%	1.7%
	Total	%	100.0%	†	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	32273	0	17151	13708	1414	3408	6766	8322	8580	3768	1429	32273
	n	4317	0	1952	2172	193	625	990	1107	1013	391	191	4317

Notes:

Includes only FP/GP respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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\*\*Responses suppressed when column 'n' is less than 30.

†Question asked of FP/GPs only.

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**Q9vi What improvements would most influence you to remain in rural practice? Check all that apply.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Improvements that would influence you to remain in rural practice	Opportunities for CME/CPD	51.6%	57.2%	56.1%	50.2%	47.0%	43.7%	53.0%	54.6%	55.2%	60.5%	49.7%	53.6%
	Access to hospital facilities and services	45.0%	47.3%	46.0%	46.3%	38.3%	52.7%	46.6%	49.4%	40.9%	42.2%	37.5%	45.8%
	Access to other medical facilities and equipment	31.9%	32.9%	33.2%	31.6%	24.0%	38.2%	35.1%	33.4%	28.1%	30.0%	21.5%	32.2%
	Alternate funding payment arrangements	29.9%	25.2%	28.8%	27.4%	28.2%	31.9%	30.8%	29.3%	25.9%	21.2%	28.8%	28.3%
	Emergency transportation services	23.4%	17.6%	21.6%	20.3%	25.1%	25.1%	22.0%	21.5%	19.1%	18.4%	26.3%	21.3%
	Access to short and long term beds	34.1%	27.6%	33.5%	29.3%	28.1%	31.7%	29.8%	30.4%	35.5%	32.8%	28.3%	31.8%
	More reasonable workload	45.7%	38.6%	39.8%	50.0%	33.6%	45.0%	43.9%	45.5%	44.9%	31.4%	38.6%	43.2%
	Availability of locums	45.9%	31.1%	39.8%	42.7%	35.1%	38.9%	41.4%	40.5%	45.6%	34.1%	29.5%	40.7%
	Better education opportunities for my children	22.6%	26.4%	22.7%	25.6%	28.0%	34.3%	35.0%	26.5%	11.9%	5.9%	31.8%	24.0%
	Job opportunities for spouse/partner	23.6%	28.2%	22.5%	30.0%	24.2%	47.9%	36.5%	21.5%	14.3%	11.1%	22.8%	25.2%
	More multidisciplinary team support	36.6%	30.9%	32.7%	37.8%	35.0%	39.2%	37.4%	34.9%	31.8%	29.4%	33.4%	34.6%
	Ability to reduce on-call duties	38.4%	36.3%	35.7%	42.3%	27.0%	40.2%	37.5%	38.7%	37.7%	34.8%	32.1%	37.7%
	NR		5.5%	9.0%	6.5%	5.0%	24.9%	2.3%	3.5%	6.2%	8.8%	7.7%	27.0%
Total	N	9987	5525	9381	5485	645	1681	3732	4146	3697	1629	627	15512
	n	1355	795	1169	881	100	289	534	561	472	199	95	2150

**Notes:**

Includes only respondents who provide patient care and who indicated they serve a small town, rural or geographically isolated population as per question 9.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q10 Do you have active hospital privileges?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Hospital privileges	Yes	60.9%	88.2%	78.2%	72.1%	66.4%	82.5%	82.4%	77.4%	71.3%	65.2%	66.0%	75.5%	
	No	37.8%	11.1%	21.5%	27.6%	18.8%	17.5%	17.5%	22.2%	28.2%	34.4%	19.0%	23.6%	
	NR	1.3%	0.7%	0.3%	0.2%	14.8%	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.4%	15.0%	1.0%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
	n	4317	5285	5093	4064	445	1019	2386	2376	2306	1072	443	9602	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q10i Does the lack of active hospital privileges negatively affect your practice?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Negatively affects your practice	Yes	10.2%	17.8%	12.3%	11.7%	14.0%	18.3%	19.0%	11.0%	11.4%	5.8%	12.6%	12.1%	
	No	88.4%	80.9%	86.4%	86.8%	83.5%	78.9%	78.7%	88.2%	87.1%	93.4%	86.6%	86.5%	
	NR	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%	1.5%	2.5%	2.8%	2.3%	0.8%	1.5%	0.8%	0.8%	1.4%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	12201	4080	8816	6875	590	1019	2916	3881	4893	2981	591	16281
	n	1637	596	1047	1103	83	201	446	536	595	369	86	2233	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care and do not have active hospital privileges.

NR=No Response.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q11 Do you use or refer patients to any of the following services [for Mental Illness]?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Services referred to for Mental Illness	Group medical visits		23.0%	11.2%	16.0%	18.1%	15.0%	14.9%	14.9%	17.4%	18.8%	17.3%	13.4%	16.8%
	Inter-disciplinary team or shared care		48.9%	22.0%	30.6%	41.7%	29.2%	37.2%	32.4%	36.6%	36.4%	32.2%	26.1%	34.6%
	Telephone support hotline		24.0%	9.7%	12.9%	22.7%	11.5%	23.6%	17.5%	18.7%	14.2%	11.0%	11.1%	16.4%
	Patient support groups (phone or in-person)		27.3%	13.0%	15.9%	26.3%	16.5%	26.8%	18.7%	20.0%	20.5%	15.7%	15.6%	19.7%
	None of the above used for Mental Illness		32.5%	70.5%	57.7%	43.5%	61.4%	46.6%	55.0%	50.6%	51.3%	55.6%	64.3%	52.7%
	NR		17.1%	45.7%	35.8%	25.3%	42.3%	28.7%	33.7%	30.9%	30.7%	33.8%	44.9%	32.3%
	Total	N		32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103
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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q11 Do you use or refer patients to any of the following services [for Diabetes]?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Services referred to for Diabetes	Group medical visits		31.9%	10.8%	19.1%	23.7%	16.8%	22.2%	18.9%	21.7%	22.7%	18.8%	15.2%	20.7%
	Inter-disciplinary team or shared care		59.0%	19.0%	34.5%	43.8%	31.1%	45.3%	36.8%	39.6%	38.3%	32.3%	29.4%	37.7%
	Telephone support hotline		5.8%	1.7%	3.3%	4.1%	2.5%	4.0%	3.8%	3.9%	3.4%	3.1%	2.1%	3.6%
	Patient support groups (phone or in-person)		12.8%	3.0%	6.6%	9.4%	6.3%	9.3%	7.1%	7.4%	8.7%	5.9%	6.2%	7.6%
	None of the above used for Diabetes		29.0%	75.7%	57.5%	47.1%	60.6%	47.0%	56.1%	52.4%	51.9%	57.7%	63.8%	53.9%
	NR		17.1%	45.7%	35.8%	25.3%	42.3%	28.7%	33.7%	30.9%	30.7%	33.8%	44.9%	32.3%
Total	N		32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q11 Do you use or refer patients to any of the following services [for Cancer Care].

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Services referred to for Cancer Care	Group medical visits		10.9%	11.6%	12.3%	9.7%	10.2%	7.5%	10.7%	11.6%	11.8%	13.9%	9.8%	11.3%
	Inter-disciplinary team or shared care		38.4%	23.7%	29.6%	32.6%	27.8%	30.8%	29.2%	33.2%	30.4%	29.3%	27.4%	30.6%
	Telephone support hotline		6.8%	2.7%	4.0%	5.6%	4.6%	3.9%	4.7%	4.9%	4.5%	4.5%	5.1%	4.6%
	Patient support groups (phone or in-person)		16.0%	6.6%	8.5%	15.1%	10.3%	14.6%	10.4%	10.8%	12.0%	7.5%	12.1%	11.0%
	None of the above used for Cancer Care		50.8%	71.0%	63.0%	58.8%	65.5%	61.8%	63.3%	58.8%	61.2%	63.4%	65.5%	61.6%
	NR		17.1%	45.7%	35.8%	25.3%	42.3%	28.7%	33.7%	30.9%	30.7%	33.8%	44.9%	32.3%
	Total	N		32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103
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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q11a Do you engage in extended (long-term) supervision of your patients suffering from chronic diseases such as diabetes?

Question asked of Internal Medicine Specialists only		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group							
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Extended supervision of chronic disease patients	Yes	†	63.5%	67.1%	58.9%	**	48.0%	62.0%	72.5%	66.9%	**	**	63.5%	
	No	†	35.8%	32.9%	41.1%	**	52.0%	38.0%	27.5%	33.1%	**	**	35.8%	
	NR	†	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	**	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	**	**	0.7%	
	Total	%	†	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	**	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	**	**	100.0%
		N		0	1541	912	540	89	243	354	426	283	158	77
	n		0	229	125	90	14	36	53	59	45	23	13	229

Notes:

Includes only Internal Medicine respondents who provide patient care.

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†Question not asked of FP/GPs.

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q12 Do you use electronic records to enter and retrieve clinical patient notes in the care of your patients?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Use electronic records to enter and retrieve clinical patient notes	Yes	64.3%	59.5%	62.1%	63.0%	48.2%	69.4%	70.3%	63.1%	57.4%	51.2%	48.0%	61.8%	
	No	34.3%	39.6%	37.7%	36.8%	31.8%	30.6%	29.6%	36.5%	42.4%	48.5%	31.8%	37.1%	
	NR	1.3%	0.9%	0.2%	0.2%	20.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%	20.2%	1.1%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q12i How long have you been using electronic records in your practice?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Time using the electronic records in your practice.	Less than a year		9.3%	9.8%	8.6%	11.1%	9.5%	16.3%	9.3%	8.4%	8.8%	8.2%	11.6%	9.6%
	1-2 years		15.2%	14.9%	14.5%	15.9%	15.9%	24.9%	14.9%	12.8%	12.3%	17.5%	17.5%	15.0%
	Over two years		74.2%	74.2%	75.8%	71.7%	73.2%	58.0%	74.6%	77.6%	77.9%	73.2%	69.1%	74.2%
	NR		1.3%	1.0%	1.0%	1.3%	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%	1.2%	1.1%	1.1%	1.8%	1.2%
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		20768	21899	25488	15668	1511	4048	11720	11028	9947	4434	1488	42666
	n		3084	3195	3319	2725	235	753	1738	1566	1418	573	231	6279

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care and use electronic records in their practices.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q12ii Since electronic records were implemented, the productivity at your medical practice has:**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Productivity change since implementation of electronic records	Greatly increased	11.3%	9.1%	10.7%	9.7%	8.3%	13.8%	11.7%	10.9%	7.6%	7.6%	8.9%	10.2%
	Increased	34.0%	30.2%	33.2%	29.9%	33.7%	32.0%	35.2%	31.8%	32.0%	25.2%	29.7%	32.0%
	Did not change	26.8%	35.6%	31.9%	30.3%	30.8%	20.3%	27.6%	31.6%	36.1%	40.6%	28.1%	31.3%
	Decreased	14.2%	12.4%	14.0%	12.3%	11.6%	5.8%	9.8%	14.6%	16.2%	18.8%	14.7%	13.3%
	Greatly decreased	3.4%	2.6%	3.0%	2.9%	2.7%	1.1%	2.7%	3.4%	3.1%	3.8%	3.9%	3.0%
	Not sure	8.8%	8.6%	6.0%	12.9%	10.3%	24.1%	10.8%	6.7%	4.3%	3.3%	10.8%	8.7%
	NR	1.5%	1.5%	1.1%	2.0%	2.6%	3.0%	2.2%	0.9%	0.7%	0.8%	3.9%	1.5%
Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	20768	21899	25488	15668	1511	4048	11720	11028	9947	4434	1488	42666
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**Notes:**

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

### Q12iii How has the quality of the patient care you provide changed since electronic records were implemented?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Quality change since implementation of electronic records	Much better	19.2%	13.4%	16.9%	15.2%	15.1%	18.4%	17.7%	16.7%	13.6%	15.5%	14.7%	16.2%
	Better	43.6%	37.0%	41.0%	39.2%	38.1%	39.7%	40.3%	41.7%	42.0%	34.4%	35.5%	40.2%
	No change	24.4%	35.7%	30.5%	29.5%	32.8%	20.9%	27.2%	30.1%	33.3%	39.1%	31.8%	30.2%
	Worse	3.6%	4.9%	4.3%	4.4%	2.5%	1.5%	3.3%	5.2%	5.2%	4.9%	4.4%	4.3%
	Much worse	0.6%	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	1.0%	0.9%	0.5%
	Not sure	7.0%	7.1%	5.6%	9.3%	8.2%	16.8%	9.1%	5.1%	4.1%	3.8%	8.8%	7.1%
	NR	1.6%	1.4%	1.0%	2.1%	3.0%	2.9%	2.0%	0.8%	0.9%	1.3%	3.9%	1.5%
Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	20768	21899	25488	15668	1511	4048	11720	11028	9947	4434	1488	42666
	n	3084	3195	3319	2725	235	753	1738	1566	1418	573	231	6279

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age and All Physicians.

### Q13 How many hours per week do you spend completing administrative forms on behalf of your patients (e.g. third party insurance forms)?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Hours spent per week completing administrative forms on behalf of patients	Up to 3 hours	64.7%	81.4%	73.3%	76.2%	56.8%	78.3%	78.8%	73.0%	72.3%	72.5%	51.5%	73.6%
	More than 3, up to 5	19.1%	9.5%	14.7%	13.4%	9.3%	13.0%	12.2%	14.9%	15.7%	14.7%	8.1%	14.0%
	More than 5, up to 8	5.6%	1.6%	3.7%	3.2%	2.8%	2.4%	3.0%	3.6%	3.8%	4.2%	4.1%	3.5%
	More than 8	8.0%	3.2%	6.0%	4.9%	2.5%	3.9%	4.2%	6.1%	6.4%	6.3%	3.5%	5.4%
	NR	2.5%	4.3%	2.2%	2.3%	28.6%	2.3%	1.8%	2.3%	1.9%	2.3%	32.8%	3.4%
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	32273	36784	41035	24887	3135	5831	16664	17475	17327	8656	3103	69057
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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q13 How many hours per week do you spend completing administrative forms on behalf of your patients (e.g. third party insurance forms)? .**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Hours per week spent completing administrative forms on behalf of patients	Mean	3.61	2.40	3.10	2.92	2.82	2.71	2.75	3.15	3.21	3.14	3.06	3.02
	Median	2.50	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
	Mode	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00
	Standard Deviation	3.62	2.57	3.25	3.18	2.84	2.49	3.05	3.34	3.36	3.39	2.89	3.21
	Minimum	.02	.01	.01	.02	.10	.10	.01	.10	.01	.10	.10	.01
	Maximum	44.00	35.00	40.00	44.00	25.00	20.00	40.00	40.00	44.00	35.00	20.00	44.00
	N	30330	28329	35017	21697	1946	5122	14198	15177	14878	7451	1833	58660
n	4041	4043	4285	3528	271	900	2034	2051	1942	897	260	8084	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated their number of hours per week spent completing administrative forms.

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q14 Do you provide on-call services?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Provide on-call service	Yes	63.5%	75.0%	71.7%	67.9%	56.7%	76.5%	78.4%	73.3%	67.9%	48.9%	56.7%	69.6%	
	No	34.8%	23.9%	28.0%	31.8%	20.5%	23.3%	21.5%	26.4%	31.7%	50.5%	20.2%	29.0%	
	NR	1.7%	1.1%	0.3%	0.3%	22.9%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	0.6%	23.1%	1.3%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
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Notes:

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NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

### Q14i Estimate your average number of on-call work hours per month:

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Number of on-call work hours per month	Up to 120		70.2%	68.0%	68.5%	70.1%	64.2%	71.1%	69.1%	67.2%	70.3%	71.0%	61.3%	68.9%
	More than 120, up to 180		12.9%	17.4%	16.0%	14.7%	15.2%	15.3%	16.1%	17.4%	14.8%	9.7%	16.1%	15.5%
	More than 180, up to 240		5.3%	6.3%	5.8%	5.9%	7.3%	6.0%	6.7%	6.0%	4.6%	6.0%	7.3%	5.9%
	More than 240		9.6%	6.7%	8.1%	7.6%	7.3%	6.2%	6.7%	8.3%	8.6%	11.2%	6.4%	7.9%
	NR or zero hours		2.0%	1.6%	1.5%	1.7%	6.1%	1.4%	1.4%	1.2%	1.7%	2.0%	8.9%	1.7%
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		20506	27588	29410	16907	1776	4458	13072	12803	11768	4232	1761	48094
	n		2745	3925	3648	2771	251	757	1845	1718	1599	500	251	6670

#### Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care and provide on-call services.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

### Q14i Average number of on-call work hours per month.

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Number of on-call work hours per month	Mean	111.02	109.88	111.14	109.14	109.07	106.42	108.42	112.41	110.27	113.82	112.34	110.36
	Median	72.00	90.00	80.00	75.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	88.00	72.00	60.00	80.00	80.00
	Mode	100.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	100.00	100.00	48.00	120.00	48.00	48.00	100.00	48.00
	Standard Deviation	133.90	102.33	114.87	120.41	113.57	103.37	104.19	114.56	123.65	148.00	122.13	116.81
	Minimum	.50	.30	.50	.30	2.00	.50	.50	1.00	.30	1.00	2.00	.30
	Maximum	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00
	N	20106	27161	28970	16629	1669	4394	12893	12652	11570	4153	1605	47267
n	2689	3864	3593	2726	234	746	1820	1696	1573	491	227	6553	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero on-call hours.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

**Q14ii Estimate how many of your on-call hours each month are actually spent in direct patient care (e.g., phone, email, face-to-face)**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians		
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR			
On-call hours each month spent in direct patient care	Up to 10		42.5%	24.6%	32.3%	32.7%	25.8%	25.1%	27.4%	32.5%	37.4%	42.1%	25.3%	32.2%	
	More than 10, up to 40		30.5%	34.5%	32.8%	32.9%	31.0%	32.0%	33.2%	32.3%	33.9%	32.8%	27.6%	32.8%	
	More than 40		23.0%	36.3%	30.8%	30.4%	30.4%	39.3%	35.6%	31.7%	24.4%	20.7%	30.4%	30.7%	
	NR or zero hours		4.0%	4.6%	4.0%	4.0%	12.9%	3.6%	3.8%	3.5%	4.3%	4.4%	16.7%	4.3%	
	Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N		20506	27588	29410	16907	1776	4458	13072	12803	11768	4232	1761	48094
	n		2745	3925	3648	2771	251	757	1845	1718	1599	500	251	6670	

**Notes:**

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero on-call hours spent in direct patient care.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

Q14ii Estimate how many of your on-call hours each month are actually spent in direct patient care (e.g., phone, email, face-to-face).

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
On-call hours each month spent in direct patient care	Mean	32.05	43.57	38.93	37.90	41.06	45.94	41.57	39.43	34.10	31.15	40.98	38.64
	Median	15.00	30.00	24.00	20.00	25.00	30.00	26.50	20.00	20.00	14.00	30.00	20.00
	Mode	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	10.00	10.00	20.00	8.00	20.00
	Standard Deviation	45.80	44.49	45.59	45.08	45.46	47.95	43.87	46.25	44.74	45.01	43.81	45.41
	Minimum	.10	.20	.10	.10	1.00	.25	.20	.10	.10	.10	1.00	.10
	Maximum	500.00	420.00	500.00	490.00	300.00	490.00	336.00	500.00	360.00	336.00	280.00	500.00
	N	19684	26330	28239	16228	1548	4295	12581	12361	11265	4045	1467	46015
n	2631	3747	3499	2660	219	729	1778	1654	1532	476	209	6378	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated their average number of on-call work hours per month.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca) .

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q15 Average weekly work hours - excluding on-call activities.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Direct patient care without a teaching component	Mean	29.40	25.33	28.45	24.98	29.27	28.40	26.15	27.98	28.15	24.85	27.97	27.19
Direct patient care with a teaching component	Mean	4.44	9.69	7.69	6.62	6.92	7.23	9.55	8.09	5.87	4.56	6.73	7.28
Teaching/Education without direct patient care	Mean	1.22	2.12	1.62	1.80	2.44	1.56	2.01	1.83	1.61	1.10	2.52	1.71
Indirect patient care	Mean	7.37	5.72	5.87	7.44	7.36	7.25	7.09	6.72	6.08	4.94	8.24	6.48
Health facility committees	Mean	.71	1.16	1.03	.85	.68	.67	1.03	1.06	1.03	.70	.66	.96
Administration	Mean	2.41	3.27	3.22	2.34	2.07	.93	2.27	3.35	3.90	2.43	1.96	2.88
Research	Mean	.72	2.52	1.80	1.52	1.56	1.61	2.21	1.46	1.66	1.40	1.27	1.70
Managing your practice	Mean	1.71	1.76	1.92	1.44	1.62	1.32	1.70	1.88	1.83	1.57	1.83	1.73
Continuing medical education/professional development	Mean	3.34	3.63	3.58	3.36	3.36	2.99	3.15	3.45	3.58	4.31	3.86	3.50
Other work activity	Mean	.78	1.33	1.09	1.07	.66	.69	.69	1.04	1.37	1.54	.80	1.07
Total hours worked per week	Mean	52.08	56.53	56.29	51.41	55.95	52.65	55.85	56.85	55.09	47.40	55.86	54.49
Total	N	32160	38050	42975	25786	1450	5932	16898	18063	18350	9551	1416	70211
	n	4269	5463	5323	4205	204	1037	2421	2449	2439	1185	201	9732

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero hours per week.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

Please note that due to a structural change in how this question was asked, results may not be directly comparable to previous years. Please contact the NPS Technical Advisory Group for further information ([info@nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](mailto:info@nationalphysiciansurvey.ca)).

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q16 How many weeks (out of 52) did you work in the last year?**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Weeks worked in the last year	Up to 26 weeks		3.7%	3.3%	2.9%	5.2%	0.4%	8.3%	4.2%	1.8%	2.5%	6.0%	0.5%	3.5%
	27 to 36 weeks		2.7%	3.2%	2.7%	4.0%	0.7%	6.3%	3.5%	2.1%	2.5%	4.0%	0.9%	3.0%
	37 to 46 weeks		40.7%	48.4%	48.1%	48.0%	8.9%	42.9%	44.1%	48.2%	52.2%	51.0%	7.4%	44.9%
	47 to 52 weeks		43.1%	36.1%	43.1%	40.3%	8.1%	40.4%	46.2%	45.6%	39.6%	33.5%	8.4%	39.3%
	NR		9.8%	9.0%	3.2%	2.5%	81.9%	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%	3.1%	5.5%	82.8%	9.4%
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q16. How many weeks (out of 52) did you work in the last year?**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians
Weeks worked in last year	Mean	44.82	44.32	44.91	43.95	44.66	42.63	44.68	45.45	44.90	43.15	44.18	44.55
	Median	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00	46.00
	Mode	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	48.00	46.00	48.00	48.00
	Standard Deviation	6.68	6.52	6.04	7.41	6.16	9.12	6.67	5.26	5.64	7.99	6.88	6.60
	Minimum	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00
	Maximum	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00	52.00
	N	31331	37153	41980	25384	1121	5876	16764	17806	17884	9095	1060	68484
n	4163	5335	5202	4137	159	1025	2399	2413	2381	1128	152	9498	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero weeks.

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q17a What best describes your work setting(s). Check all that apply.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Work setting(s)	Private office/clinic (excluding free standing walk-in clinics)	60.2%	36.3%	51.0%	50.4%	8.5%	47.1%	44.0%	50.8%	54.1%	59.0%	7.6%	47.3%
	Community clinic/community health centre	17.1%	7.6%	10.9%	16.1%	2.3%	18.5%	13.2%	12.7%	12.8%	8.5%	2.8%	12.0%
	Free-standing walk-in clinic	14.5%	1.1%	7.5%	8.2%	1.8%	11.1%	7.4%	8.2%	7.3%	6.3%	2.0%	7.3%
	Academic health sciences centre (AHSC)	12.6%	41.8%	30.5%	30.2%	5.8%	29.9%	35.6%	30.3%	28.7%	24.6%	5.8%	28.4%
	Non-AHSC teaching hospital	6.7%	13.8%	11.0%	11.7%	1.5%	14.9%	14.5%	11.8%	9.5%	5.8%	1.7%	10.5%
	Community hospital	28.7%	31.3%	34.2%	28.9%	6.8%	39.6%	35.0%	33.2%	29.7%	25.6%	6.8%	30.1%
	Other hospital	2.8%	4.1%	3.9%	3.5%	1.2%	2.6%	3.5%	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	0.7%	3.5%
	Emergency department (in community hospital or AHSC)	17.5%	13.9%	17.3%	15.6%	3.2%	29.7%	22.5%	17.5%	11.7%	6.5%	2.6%	15.6%
	Nursing home/ long term care facility / seniors' residence	18.7%	1.9%	9.9%	11.1%	1.8%	8.2%	8.1%	10.7%	11.8%	12.2%	1.7%	9.6%
	University	10.5%	17.8%	15.5%	15.5%	2.8%	12.4%	18.1%	16.0%	15.9%	11.1%	2.5%	14.5%
	Research Unit	1.8%	4.9%	4.1%	2.9%	0.6%	2.2%	4.4%	3.1%	4.1%	3.6%	0.8%	3.4%
	Free-standing lab/diagnostic clinic	0.5%	2.5%	2.1%	1.1%	0.3%	1.1%	1.8%	1.6%	1.7%	2.4%	0.4%	1.6%
	Administrative office / corporate office	5.7%	5.7%	7.1%	4.6%	0.9%	1.6%	3.8%	6.6%	8.8%	7.3%	1.2%	5.7%
	Other	8.7%	5.2%	6.8%	8.4%	0.8%	4.0%	5.6%	7.2%	9.0%	9.8%	1.0%	6.8%
	NR		7.6%	6.4%	0.4%	0.4%	80.9%	0.5%	0.2%	0.5%	0.2%	81.1%	7.0%
Total	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

NR=No Response.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q17b Of the settings you identified, which is your primary work setting? Pick one.

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Main work setting	Private office/clinic (excluding free standing walk-in clinics)	48.9%	20.1%	34.5%	37.8%	6.0%	30.2%	29.1%	35.8%	39.6%	44.2%	5.1%	33.3%
	Community clinic/ community health centre	9.2%	2.7%	5.1%	7.7%	1.3%	9.1%	6.1%	6.7%	5.1%	4.5%	1.7%	5.7%
	Free-standing walk-in clinic	2.8%	0.2%	1.6%	1.2%	0.5%	2.2%	0.8%	1.5%	1.2%	2.5%	0.2%	1.4%
	Academic health sciences centre (AHSC)	4.5%	28.9%	19.5%	17.8%	4.3%	17.6%	23.6%	18.6%	17.9%	13.9%	3.8%	17.7%
	Non-AHSC teaching hospital	2.4%	8.5%	6.4%	5.6%	0.8%	7.3%	7.8%	6.1%	5.3%	3.7%	0.9%	5.7%
	Community hospital	5.3%	14.8%	12.2%	9.3%	2.6%	14.0%	13.3%	11.2%	9.5%	8.7%	2.4%	10.4%
	Other hospital	0.6%	1.2%	0.9%	1.0%	0.6%	0.7%	0.6%	1.1%	1.1%	1.5%	0.3%	0.9%
	Emergency department (in community hospital or AHSC)	5.4%	4.9%	5.9%	5.0%	0.5%	11.2%	8.3%	5.9%	3.0%	1.3%	0.7%	5.1%
	Nursing home/ long term care facility/ seniors' residence	1.3%	0.1%	0.7%	0.8%	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.8%	2.4%	0.0%	0.7%
	University	1.2%	1.1%	1.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.5%	1.2%	1.4%	1.5%	1.0%	0.0%	1.2%
	Research Unit	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	0.0%	0.5%
	Free-standing lab/ diagnostic clinic	0.0%	0.8%	0.6%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	1.1%	0.1%	0.4%
	Administrative office/ corporate office	1.5%	1.8%	2.0%	1.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	1.6%	2.8%	3.1%	0.4%	1.6%
	Other	3.1%	2.4%	2.6%	3.4%	0.2%	1.8%	2.1%	2.7%	3.8%	3.5%	0.5%	2.7%
	NR	13.4%	12.1%	6.3%	6.8%	82.7%	3.9%	5.5%	6.2%	7.5%	7.9%	84.0%	12.7%
Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

Notes:

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q18 Rate your satisfaction with these aspects of your practice.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Professional life	Very Satisfied		20.6%	22.1%	25.4%	19.1%	3.3%	16.3%	17.1%	19.8%	24.7%	41.0%	2.4%	21.4%
	Satisfied		51.4%	49.9%	52.6%	57.2%	8.9%	62.7%	57.6%	54.0%	53.5%	46.5%	6.7%	50.6%
	Neutral		11.8%	11.2%	11.8%	13.0%	2.6%	12.9%	13.6%	13.7%	11.5%	7.0%	4.3%	11.5%
	Dissatisfied		7.2%	8.3%	7.9%	8.8%	2.4%	6.4%	9.6%	9.5%	8.2%	4.3%	2.8%	7.8%
	Very Dissatisfied		1.5%	2.2%	2.1%	1.9%	0.3%	1.7%	1.9%	2.9%	1.9%	0.8%	0.9%	1.9%
	NR		7.5%	6.3%	0.1%	0.1%	82.5%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	83.0%	6.9%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580	
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	
The balance between your personal and professional commitments	Very Satisfied		12.0%	12.4%	13.9%	11.8%	2.0%	9.8%	8.6%	10.0%	13.7%	28.0%	1.8%	12.2%
	Satisfied		37.0%	37.1%	40.8%	38.2%	5.9%	47.0%	38.0%	36.9%	40.6%	43.1%	4.9%	37.0%
	Neutral		19.4%	20.6%	21.8%	20.8%	4.5%	22.1%	24.4%	22.7%	20.1%	16.0%	4.4%	20.1%
	Dissatisfied		20.6%	19.7%	19.7%	24.6%	4.2%	17.7%	24.5%	25.1%	21.7%	11.2%	4.4%	20.1%
	Very Dissatisfied		3.6%	3.8%	3.6%	4.4%	0.9%	3.1%	4.3%	5.2%	3.8%	1.3%	1.4%	3.7%
	NR		7.5%	6.4%	0.2%	0.2%	82.5%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	83.1%	6.9%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580	
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	
Your remuneration model	Very Satisfied		13.3%	13.6%	15.2%	13.0%	2.3%	13.7%	11.8%	12.4%	15.8%	21.4%	1.1%	13.4%
	Satisfied		40.5%	42.5%	45.2%	43.9%	6.6%	47.9%	44.0%	43.7%	45.2%	45.5%	5.8%	41.6%
	Neutral		20.5%	19.1%	20.2%	22.6%	4.4%	25.0%	22.5%	21.5%	19.3%	18.6%	4.8%	19.7%
	Dissatisfied		13.7%	13.6%	14.2%	15.2%	3.4%	10.9%	16.3%	15.9%	14.7%	10.6%	3.7%	13.6%
	Very Dissatisfied		4.3%	4.6%	4.8%	4.8%	0.8%	2.3%	5.0%	6.1%	4.6%	3.4%	1.7%	4.5%
	NR		7.7%	6.6%	0.3%	0.5%	82.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	83.0%	7.1%
	Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580	
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q19 Where did you complete your medical training? Pick one location per category.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group					All Physicians	
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+		NR
Undergraduate medical graduation	University of British Columbia		5.3%	4.2%	4.5%	5.8%	1.2%	4.2%	5.3%	5.9%	4.7%	3.9%	0.7%	4.7%
	University of Calgary		2.8%	3.2%	2.6%	4.3%	0.1%	4.0%	4.2%	2.5%	4.2%	0.7%	0.2%	3.0%
	University of Alberta		4.1%	5.2%	5.4%	4.5%	1.0%	7.1%	5.5%	5.2%	4.6%	3.7%	0.6%	4.7%
	University of Saskatchewan		2.0%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	0.0%	2.9%	2.5%	2.7%	2.1%	2.0%	0.2%	2.2%
	University of Manitoba		2.7%	3.9%	3.8%	3.3%	0.8%	3.6%	3.2%	3.7%	4.0%	3.5%	0.5%	3.4%
	University of Western Ontario		3.9%	5.0%	5.1%	4.5%	0.4%	6.1%	5.6%	4.4%	4.1%	5.0%	0.5%	4.5%
	Northern Ontario School of Medicine		0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
	McMaster University		4.4%	3.6%	3.0%	6.3%	0.6%	4.9%	4.2%	4.8%	4.3%	2.2%	1.5%	4.0%
	University of Toronto		9.3%	9.5%	10.7%	9.2%	1.8%	8.6%	9.1%	9.3%	10.6%	13.4%	1.9%	9.4%
	University of Ottawa		3.9%	3.8%	3.9%	4.5%	0.4%	5.0%	5.2%	3.7%	3.8%	3.0%	0.4%	3.8%
	Queen's University		4.0%	4.0%	4.6%	3.9%	0.5%	4.6%	4.9%	4.3%	3.7%	4.6%	0.4%	4.0%
	Université de Sherbrooke		3.6%	3.3%	3.1%	4.8%	0.3%	8.9%	3.4%	4.0%	3.5%	1.0%	0.3%	3.4%
	Université de Montréal		7.5%	6.6%	6.1%	9.9%	0.7%	9.5%	8.2%	7.7%	8.2%	4.1%	0.3%	7.0%
	McGill University		5.2%	6.3%	6.4%	5.6%	2.0%	7.2%	4.8%	6.2%	6.3%	7.8%	1.2%	5.8%
	Universite Laval		6.1%	5.5%	6.1%	6.5%	0.8%	8.7%	6.0%	5.4%	6.8%	6.0%	0.4%	5.8%
	Dalhousie University		4.1%	4.0%	4.3%	4.6%	0.8%	3.1%	4.9%	4.2%	4.7%	4.0%	0.9%	4.1%
	Memorial University		1.9%	1.9%	1.7%	2.6%	0.4%	1.8%	2.7%	2.3%	2.0%	0.4%	0.2%	1.9%
	U.S.A		0.5%	1.3%	1.1%	0.8%	0.2%	0.5%	0.9%	0.8%	1.2%	1.5%	0.2%	0.9%
	Other Country:		19.9%	19.3%	24.2%	15.4%	4.3%	8.6%	18.7%	22.1%	20.6%	30.9%	4.7%	19.6%
	NR		8.4%	7.0%	0.9%	0.8%	83.6%	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	0.5%	2.2%	84.7%	7.7%
Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580	
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q19 Please indicate where you completed your most recent post-graduate medical training. Pick one location per category.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Postgraduate medical training (i.e. residency/internship)	University of British Columbia		5.9%	6.6%	6.5%	7.1%	1.0%	8.1%	6.7%	6.4%	7.4%	5.3%	0.9%	6.3%
	University of Calgary		3.4%	3.5%	3.2%	4.7%	0.3%	3.6%	4.7%	3.4%	4.0%	1.9%	0.8%	3.5%
	University of Alberta		4.0%	4.6%	4.7%	4.6%	0.3%	5.6%	6.5%	4.6%	3.6%	2.8%	0.6%	4.3%
	University of Saskatchewan		2.3%	1.8%	2.3%	2.0%	0.3%	1.9%	2.2%	2.6%	2.4%	1.3%	0.2%	2.1%
	University of Manitoba		2.8%	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	1.0%	2.9%	3.8%	3.9%	3.7%	2.5%	0.8%	3.3%
	University of Western Ontario		3.2%	4.2%	4.0%	3.9%	0.9%	4.5%	4.2%	3.8%	3.7%	4.2%	0.1%	3.7%
	Northern Ontario School of Medicine		0.6%	0.1%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.7%	0.8%	0.4%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.3%
	McMaster University		4.4%	4.4%	4.0%	5.7%	1.0%	4.7%	5.0%	4.3%	4.6%	4.6%	1.4%	4.4%
	University of Toronto		11.5%	16.2%	15.2%	14.6%	3.1%	12.8%	14.1%	14.3%	15.1%	18.8%	3.2%	14.0%
	University of Ottawa		3.9%	5.3%	4.6%	5.8%	0.9%	5.1%	5.3%	5.7%	4.4%	4.4%	1.0%	4.7%
	Queen's University		2.9%	2.9%	2.8%	3.7%	0.7%	4.0%	3.3%	3.1%	3.1%	2.2%	0.8%	2.9%
	Université de Sherbrooke		3.8%	2.3%	2.3%	4.8%	0.3%	9.2%	3.9%	3.4%	2.3%	0.1%	0.0%	3.0%
	Université de Montréal		6.7%	7.3%	6.4%	9.6%	1.0%	9.5%	7.6%	7.4%	7.5%	7.3%	0.5%	7.0%
	McGill University		6.5%	8.0%	8.5%	6.7%	2.1%	6.1%	6.3%	7.4%	8.0%	12.0%	2.1%	7.3%
	Universite Laval		5.7%	3.8%	4.8%	5.5%	0.1%	8.3%	5.2%	4.8%	5.3%	2.9%	0.1%	4.7%
	Dalhousie University		5.1%	3.9%	4.7%	5.0%	0.5%	4.2%	4.7%	5.0%	5.1%	4.3%	0.6%	4.4%
	Memorial University		2.9%	1.7%	2.3%	2.6%	0.3%	1.5%	2.8%	3.2%	2.2%	1.3%	0.2%	2.2%
	U.S.A.		1.8%	5.3%	5.0%	2.3%	0.8%	2.0%	3.4%	4.0%	3.8%	6.7%	0.6%	3.7%
	Other Country:		9.6%	7.1%	11.0%	5.2%	1.5%	4.4%	8.4%	9.8%	9.7%	8.7%	1.5%	8.2%
	NR		13.0%	7.4%	3.8%	2.7%	83.7%	0.7%	1.3%	2.4%	4.2%	8.7%	84.7%	9.9%
Total	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N	34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580	
	n	4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians..

### Q20 Number of years licensed to practice medicine in Canada

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Number of years licensed to practice medicine in Canada	4 years or fewer		13.4%	11.7%	11.0%	17.3%	2.1%	70.5%	22.2%	5.6%	1.2%	0.2%	2.4%	12.5%
	5-9 years		11.7%	14.4%	11.9%	18.1%	1.4%	28.9%	34.2%	9.5%	2.6%	0.3%	2.1%	13.2%
	10-14 years		9.7%	11.5%	10.3%	13.6%	1.0%	0.4%	30.0%	12.3%	2.7%	0.4%	1.6%	10.7%
	15-19 years		8.1%	8.1%	7.8%	10.2%	1.3%	0.0%	12.4%	18.0%	3.4%	0.5%	0.8%	8.1%
	20 + years		49.2%	47.6%	58.7%	40.4%	9.0%	0.0%	0.9%	54.5%	89.8%	98.4%	7.0%	48.4%
	NR		7.8%	6.8%	0.3%	0.2%	85.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	86.2%	7.2%
Total	%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

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### Q20 In what year did you become licensed to practice medicine in Canada for the first time?

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Year licensed to practice medicine in Canada for first time	Prior to 1960s		0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.3%	0.3%	0.2%
	1960s		2.6%	4.4%	5.7%	0.9%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	28.0%	0.2%	3.6%
	1970s		16.4%	13.9%	20.6%	8.8%	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	30.2%	59.1%	2.4%	15.1%
	1980s		21.4%	21.6%	23.9%	21.5%	4.9%	0.0%	0.0%	29.4%	53.5%	8.6%	3.2%	21.5%
	1990s		18.8%	17.6%	17.9%	22.2%	2.5%	0.0%	17.9%	46.3%	10.2%	2.0%	1.8%	18.1%
	2000s		22.3%	26.6%	22.6%	33.3%	2.5%	40.8%	66.2%	19.9%	4.9%	0.6%	4.3%	24.7%
	2010s		10.5%	8.9%	8.7%	13.0%	1.7%	59.0%	15.6%	4.2%	1.0%	0.2%	1.6%	9.6%
	NR		7.8%	6.8%	0.3%	0.2%	85.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	86.2%	7.2%
Total	%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487

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Q21 Do you hold any other post-graduate degrees?

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians	
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR		
Other post-graduate degrees	Yes		16.5%	23.8%	22.7%	20.4%	4.7%	9.6%	26.7%	22.3%	21.0%	21.8%	4.3%	20.5%	
	No		75.3%	69.2%	76.5%	78.9%	10.8%	89.9%	72.9%	77.4%	78.2%	76.5%	10.3%	72.0%	
	NR		8.1%	7.1%	0.7%	0.7%	84.5%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	1.7%	85.4%	7.5%	
	Total	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
		N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	5375	4247	865	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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## National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q21i Please indicate all post-graduate degrees. Check all that apply.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Master degree(s)	Biomedical/ life sciences area of study		50.5%	55.4%	53.1%	54.6%	53.0%	68.4%	57.7%	52.4%	52.0%	46.3%	49.9%	53.6%
	Natural sciences/ engineering/ computer science/ architecture area of study		7.8%	6.9%	8.4%	5.0%	6.0%	8.3%	6.6%	4.8%	8.8%	10.7%	2.8%	7.2%
	Business/ commerce/ law/ political science/ economics related area of study		12.4%	7.4%	9.9%	8.1%	9.9%	5.8%	5.7%	9.8%	12.1%	11.8%	8.2%	9.3%
	Arts/ humanities/ languages/ communication/ theology area of study		6.8%	4.4%	4.7%	6.5%	1.9%	1.6%	4.2%	6.6%	6.2%	4.6%	4.2%	5.3%
	Social sciences/ education/ library science area of study		7.2%	8.3%	6.0%	11.2%	9.5%	5.4%	8.2%	9.1%	9.3%	2.9%	7.8%	7.9%
	Other field		0.9%	1.3%	1.1%	0.8%	8.1%	0.7%	0.8%	1.7%	1.0%	0.6%	4.3%	1.1%
	NR		18.7%	21.5%	22.2%	17.5%	16.1%	12.4%	20.6%	20.1%	16.3%	30.4%	22.7%	20.5%
	Total	N	5751	9713	9858	5315	291	578	4575	4069	3880	2097	265	15464
	n	699	1377	1174	859	43	101	647	537	499	254	38	2076	

**Notes:**

Includes only respondents who hold other post-graduate degrees.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

Q21i Please indicate all post-graduate degrees. Check all that apply.

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			Age group						All Physicians
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	
Doctorate(s)	Biomedical/ life sciences area of study	10.2%	17.6%	16.9%	11.4%	10.3%	3.9%	16.3%	14.0%	15.9%	15.7%	5.3%	14.9%
	Natural sciences/ engineering/ computer science/ architecture area of study	1.8%	1.1%	1.7%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	1.3%	0.9%	3.0%	2.8%	1.4%
	Business/ commerce/ law/ political science/ economics related area of study	0.7%	0.4%	0.5%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.7%	0.2%	0.7%	2.8%	0.5%
	Arts/ humanities/ languages/ communication/ theology area of study	0.7%	0.3%	0.3%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%	2.8%	0.5%
	Social sciences/ education/ library science area of study	0.6%	0.2%	0.2%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	2.8%	0.4%
	Doctor - Other field	1.7%	0.5%	1.1%	0.4%	4.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.9%	0.6%	3.5%	2.2%	0.9%
	NR	84.5%	80.3%	79.5%	86.0%	85.5%	96.1%	81.7%	82.6%	81.5%	76.3%	92.4%	81.9%
	Total												
	N	5751	9713	9858	5315	291	578	4575	4069	3880	2097	265	15464
	n	699	1377	1174	859	43	101	647	537	499	254	38	2076

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National Physician Survey, 2013. Results by FP/GP or Other Specialist, Sex, Age, and All Physicians.

**Q22 Age.**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex				
			FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	All Physicians	
Age group	<35		9.9%	6.3%	5.6%	13.6%	0.6%	7.9%	
	35-44		19.6%	25.2%	21.1%	30.1%	2.0%	22.6%	
	45-54		24.5%	23.8%	24.5%	28.5%	3.0%	24.1%	
	55-64		25.8%	23.2%	28.9%	22.0%	3.6%	24.4%	
	65+		11.5%	13.7%	19.1%	4.7%	1.6%	12.7%	
	NR		8.5%	7.8%	0.8%	1.2%	89.2%	8.1%	
	Total	%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
		N		34753	40827	43364	26042	6174	75580
n			4626	5861	5375	4247	865	10487	

Notes:

NR=No Response.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca).

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**Q22 Age.**

		FP/GP or Other Specialist		Sex			
		FP/GP	Other Spec	Male	Female	NR	All Physicians
Age	Mean	50.72	51.14	53.29	46.96	53.30	50.95
	Median	51.00	51.00	54.00	46.00	54.00	51.00
	Mode	57.00	58.00	58.00	40.00	58.00	58.00
	Standard Deviation	11.72	11.90	11.88	10.59	11.35	11.82
	Minimum	25.00	27.00	26.00	25.00	29.00	25.00
	Maximum	87.00	86.00	87.00	81.00	79.00	87.00
	N	31788	37635	43014	25741	668	69423
	n	4224	5398	5329	4199	94	9622

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated their year of birth.

NR=No Response.

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**Q23 You are:**

			FP/GP or Other Specialist		Age group							
			FP/GP	Other Spec	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	NR	All Physicians	
Sex	Male		51.2%	62.6%	40.4%	53.5%	58.3%	67.8%	86.2%	5.7%	57.4%	
	Female		40.3%	29.5%	59.0%	45.7%	40.7%	31.0%	12.8%	4.9%	34.5%	
	NR		8.5%	7.9%	0.6%	0.7%	1.0%	1.2%	1.0%	89.4%	8.2%	
	Total	%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
		N		34753	40827	6003	17112	18226	18461	9621	6158	75580
	n		4626	5861	1048	2450	2473	2455	1196	865	10487	

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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