



## Q09. Organization of practice (solo, group, etc.)

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey16>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q09. 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).

Topic: Work setting  
Patient care  
Hospital setting  
Collaborative practice

Keywords: Collaborative practice  
Group practice  
Hospital setting  
Interprofessional  
Partner  
Patient care setting  
Practice setting  
Solo practice  
Team practice  
Work setting

Response Choices: Solo practice  
Group practice – community based  
Interprofessional practice – community based (physician(s) & other health professional(s) who have their own caseloads)  
Hospital-based practice

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## Q10. Providing on-call

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey17>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q10. Do you provide on-call services?

Topic: Patient care  
On-call activities  
Hours of work and workload

Keywords: On-call hours  
On-call services  
Work hours  
Oncall  
Workload  
Oncall activities

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## Q11. Average on-call hours

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey18>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q11. Estimate your average number of on-call work hours per month:

Topic: Patient care  
On-call activities  
Hours of work and workload

Keywords: On-call hours  
Oncall activities  
Oncall  
On-call services  
Work hours  
Workload

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## Q12. On-call hours in direct patient care

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey19>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q12. Estimate how many of your on-call hours each month are actually spent in direct patient care (e.g., phone, email, face-to-face):

Topic: Patient care  
On-call activities  
Hours of work and workload

Keywords: Clinical care  
On-call services  
On-call hours  
Oncall  
Oncall activities  
Patient care  
Work hours  
Workload

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## Q13. Work hours

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey20>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question:	Q13. EXCLUDING ON-CALL ACTIVITIES, how many HOURS IN AN AVERAGE WEEK do you usually spend on the following activities? Assume each activity is mutually exclusive for reporting purposes.
Topic:	Patient care On-call activities Practice management (e.g., overhead costs, paperwork) Hours of work and workload
Keywords:	Administrative duties Committee work Indirect patient care On-call services Patient care Practice management Continuing medication education (CME) Research Teaching Work hours Oncall Oncall activities Workload
Response Choices:	Direct patient care without a teaching component, regardless of setting Direct patient care with a teaching component, regardless of setting Teaching/Education without direct patient care (contact with students/residents, preparation, marking, evaluations, etc.) Indirect patient care (charting, reports, phone calls, meeting patients' family, etc.) Health facility committees (academic planning committees) Administration (i.e., management of university program, chief of staff, department head, Ministry of Health, etc.) Research (including management of research and publications) Managing your practice (staff, facility, equipment, etc.) Continuing medical education/professional development (courses, reading, videos, tapes, seminars, etc.)

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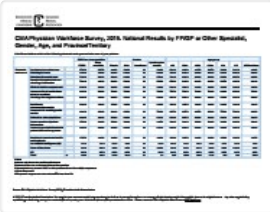
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## Q16. Electronic tools used by physicians

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Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q16. Please indicate which of the following electronic tools you use in the care of your patients

Topic: Patient care  
Electronic records and tools


Keywords: Electronic medical records  
EMR  
Electronic health record  
EHR  
Patient notes

Response Choices: Reminders for patient care  
Ordering lab tests  
Ordering diagnostic tests  
Receipt of hospital visit and discharge information  
Clinical decision support tool  
Access to list of medications taken by a patient  
Warnings for drug interactions  
Interface to pharmacy/pharmacist  
Access to lab test/diagnostic results  
Referral to other physicians  
Secure transfer of patient information  
Access to provincial/territorial patient information systems  
Interface to non-doctor health professionals  
An Artificial Intelligence (AI)  
None of the above

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## Q17. Electronic tools used by patients

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Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q17. Which of the following can patients in your practice do?

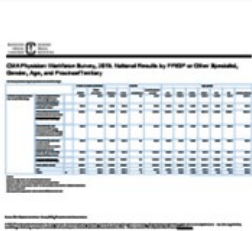
Topic: Patient care  
Electronic records and tools

Keywords: Electronic medical records  
EMR  
Electronic health record  
EHR  
Patient notes  
Virtual care  
Visit  
Consult  
e-scheduling  
Online records  
Online prescriptions  
email


- Response Choices:
- Request appointments online (i.e. advance access e-scheduling)
  - Request prescription renewals online
  - View information from their health record online (e.g. lab test results or immunization history)
  - Electronically add measurements (e.g. blood pressure readings) to their electronic record
  - Electronically add text and/or other documentation to their electronic record
  - Visit with you virtually (i.e. online by video)
  - Consult with you via email or text message
  - None of the above
  - N/A (e.g. hospital practice only)


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## Q18. Number of patients seen

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Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q18. Please estimate the number of patients you see in a TYPICAL WEEK, EXCLUDING patient visits while you are on-call (on-call is defined as time outside of regularly scheduled activity during which you are available to patients):

Topic: Patient care  
Hours of work and workload  
Access to services  
On-call activities

Keywords: Access to services  
Appointment availability  
Overworked  
Patient care  
Patient load  
Wait time  
Work hours  
Workload  
Wait times  
Waiting times

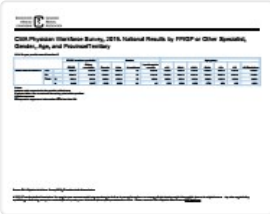
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## Q18. Providing on-call

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey104>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q18. Do you provide on-call services?

Topic: Hours of work and workload  
On-call activities  
Access to services  
Patient care  
Oncall


Keywords: On-call service  
Workload  
Oncall activities  
Oncall


Response Choices: Yes  
No

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CMA Physician Workforce Survey, 2019, National Results by FTE/FP or Other Specialist, Gender, Age, and Province/Territory

Province/Territory	Gender	Age	FTE/FP or Other Specialist	Other
Alberta	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
Alberta	Female	65+	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
British Columbia	Female	65+	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
Manitoba	Female	65+	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
Ontario	Female	65+	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
Quebec	Female	65+	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Male	25-34	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Female	25-34	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Male	35-44	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Female	35-44	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Male	45-54	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Female	45-54	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Male	55-64	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Female	55-64	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Male	65+	1.0	0.0
Atlantic	Female	65+	1.0	0.0

## Q19. Average on-call hours

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey106>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q19. Estimate your average number of on-call work hours per month:

Topic: Access to services  
Hours of work and workload  
Patient care  
On-call activities  
Oncall

Keywords: Oncall  
Time  
Oncall activities  
On-call hours  
Workload

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## Q20. On-call hours in direct patient care

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey109>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q20. Estimate how many of your on-call hours each month are actually spent in direct patient care (e.g., phone, email, face-to-face):

Topic: Access to services  
Hours of work and workload  
On-call activities  
Patient care  
Oncall

Keywords: Oncall  
On-call hours  
Time  
Workload

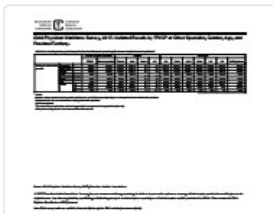
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## Q21b. Rating of collaboration

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey30>

Survey Date: 2017


Full Question: Q21b. How would you rate your interprofessional collaborative practice(s) in terms of optimal care for patients?

Topic: Patient care  
Collaborative practice


Keywords: Collaborative practice  
Group practice  
Interprofessional  
Patient care  
Team practice


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## Q21. Interprofessional collaboration

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Survey Date: 2017

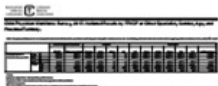
Full Question: Q21. Do you participate in an interprofessional collaborative practice excluding the hospital environment and excluding referrals that do not involve ongoing collaboration on the patient's care?

Topic: Patient care  
Collaborative practice


Keywords: Clinical care  
Collaborative practice  
Group practice  
Interprofessional  
Patient care  
Partner  
Team practice


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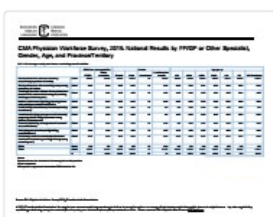
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## Q21 & Q22. Work hours

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey112>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q21 & Q22. EXCLUDING ON-CALL ACTIVITIES, how many HOURS IN AN AVERAGE WEEK do you usually spend on the following activities? Assume each activity is mutually exclusive for reporting purposes (i.e., if an activity spans two categories, please report hours in only one category).


Topic: Hours of work and workload  
 Access to services  
 Patient care  
 Practice management (e.g., overhead costs, paperwork)  
 On-call activities  
 Oncall

Keywords: Workload  
 Time  
 Oncall


Response Choices: Direct patient care without a teaching component, regardless of setting  
 Direct patient care with a teaching component, regardless of setting  
 Teaching/Education without direct patient care (contact with students/residents, preparation, marking, evaluations, etc.)  
 Indirect patient care (charting, reports, phone calls, meeting patients' family, etc.)  
 Health facility committees (academic planning committees)  
 Administration (i.e., management of university program, chief of staff, department head, Ministry of Health, etc.)  
 Research (including management of research and publications)  
 Managing your practice (staff, facility, equipment, etc.)  
 Continuing medical education/professional development (courses, reading, videos, tapes, seminars, etc.)  
 Other  
 TOTAL HOURS WORKED PER WEEK

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## Q22. Use of electronic records

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey31>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q22. Do you use electronic records to enter and retrieve clinical patient notes in the care of your patients?

Topic: Patient care  
Electronic records and tools

Keywords: EHR  
Electronic health records  
Electronic medical records  
Electronic tools  
EMR  
Patient care  
Patient notes  
Patient record

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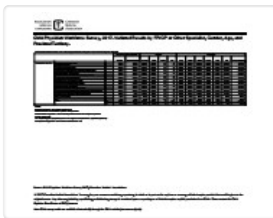


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## Q23. Electronic tools used by physicians

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Full Question: Q23. Please indicate which of the following electronic tools you use in the care of your patients:

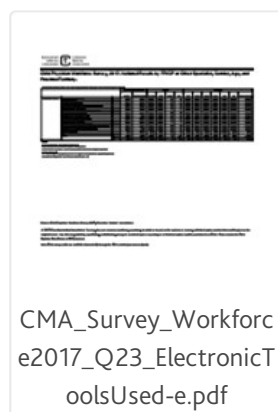
Topic: Patient care  
Electronic records and tools

Keywords: EHR  
Electronic health records  
Electronic medical records  
Electronic tools  
EMR  
Patient care  
Patient notes  
Patient record

Response Choices: Reminders for patient care  
Ordering lab tests  
Ordering diagnostic tests  
Receipt of hospital visit and discharge information  
Clinical decision support tool  
Access to list of medications taken by a patient  
Warnings for drug interactions  
Interface to pharmacy/pharmacist  
Access to lab test/diagnostic results  
Referral to other physicians  
Secure transfer of patient information  
Access to provincial/territorial patient information systems  
Interface to non-doctor health professionals

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## Q24. Electronic tools used by patients

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey33>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q24. Can patients in your practice do the following?

Topic: Patient care  
Electronic records and tools

Keywords: EHR  
Electronic health records  
Electronic medical records  
Electronic tools  
EMR  
Patient care  
Patient notes  
Patient record

Response Choices: Request appointments online (i.e. advance access e-scheduling)  
Request prescription renewals online  
View information from their health record online (e.g. lab test results or immunization history)  
Electronically add measurements (e.g. blood pressure readings) to their electronic record  
Electronically add text and/or other documentation to their electronic record

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## Q25a. Changes made to practice

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Full Question: Q25a. With reference to the LAST 2 YEARS, please check all of the following changes you have already made:

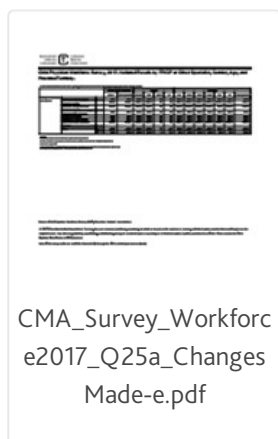
Topic: Retirement  
Practice relocation  
On-call activities  
Hours of work and workload

Keywords: Career transition  
Oncall  
Oncall activities  
On-call services  
Overworked  
Patient load  
Practice relocation  
Retirement  
Work hours  
Work location  
Work-life balance  
Workload

Response Choices: Retired from clinical practice  
Reduced weekly work hours (excluding on-call)  
Increased weekly work hours (excluding on-call)  
Relocated my practice to another province/territory in Canada  
Practised in the USA  
Practised in another country

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## Q25b. Planned changes to practice

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Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q25b. With reference to the NEXT 2 YEARS, please check all of the following changes that you are planning to make:

Topic: Retirement  
Practice relocation  
On-call activities  
Hours of work and workload

Keywords: Career transition  
On-call services  
Oncall  
Oncall activities  
Overworked  
Patient load  
Practice relocation  
Retirement  
Work hours  
Work location  
Work-life balance  
Workload

Response Choices: Retire from clinical practice  
Retire completely from medical practice  
Reduce weekly work hours (excluding on-call)  
Increase weekly work hours (excluding on-call)  
Relocate my practice to another province/territory in Canada  
Practise in the USA  
Practise in another country

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