



## Q05. Medical education

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey10>

Survey Date: 2017  
Full Question: Q05. Where did you complete your undergraduate medical training?  
Topic: International medical graduates  
Keywords: Canada  
International medical graduate  
IMG  
United States  
Response Choices: Canada  
USA  
Other country

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## Q08. Medical education

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey96>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q08. Where did you complete your undergraduate medical training?

Topic: International medical graduates

Keywords: IMG  
International medical graduate  
Canadian  
American  
Graduated

Response Choices: Canada  
USA  
Other country

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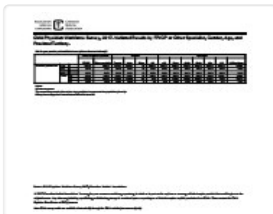
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## Q08. Provision of patient/clinical care

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey15>


Survey Date: 2017  
Full Question: Q08. Do you provide patient/clinical care (either direct or indirect)?  
Topic: Patient care  
Access to services  
Keywords: Access to services  
Clinical care  
Indirect patient care  
Patient care  
Practice setting


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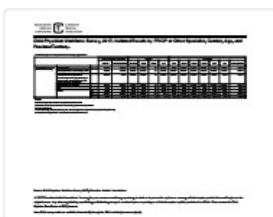
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## Q09. Organization of practice (solo, group, etc.)

<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).

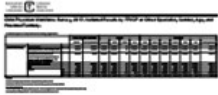
Topic: Work setting  
Patient care  
Hospital setting  
Collaborative practice

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

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Survey Date: 2017

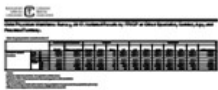
Full Question: Q10. Do you provide on-call services?

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

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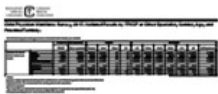
Full Question: Q11. Estimate your average number of on-call work hours per month:

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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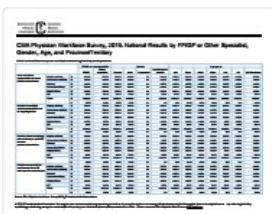
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## Q12. Impact of national licensure on physician practices

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey83>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q12. If a national licensure system were implemented today, how likely would you be to:  
Highly unlikely  
Somewhat unlikely  
Unsure  
Somewhat likely  
Highly likely

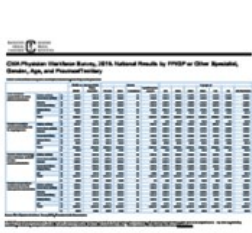
Topic: Access to services  
National licensure  
Patient care

Keywords: License  
Licensure  
Changes  
Portability  
Locum  
Virtual care  
Rural practice  
Access


Response Choices: Seek out locum opportunities in other provinces/ territories  
Practise in multiple provinces/territories on an ongoing basis  
Provide virtual care (e.g., telemedicine) to patients in other provinces/territories  
Practise temporarily in rural/remote areas in other provinces/territories  
Participate in further training in another province or territory


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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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Specialty	Gender	Age	Practice Setting	Q13
FFSP	Male	35-44	Academic	100%
FFSP	Female	35-44	Academic	100%
FFSP	Male	35-44	Community	100%
FFSP	Female	35-44	Community	100%
FFSP	Male	35-44	Other	100%
FFSP	Female	35-44	Other	100%
FFSP	Male	35-44	Total	100%
FFSP	Female	35-44	Total	100%
FFSP	Male	45-54	Academic	100%
FFSP	Female	45-54	Academic	100%
FFSP	Male	45-54	Community	100%
FFSP	Female	45-54	Community	100%
FFSP	Male	45-54	Other	100%
FFSP	Female	45-54	Other	100%
FFSP	Male	45-54	Total	100%
FFSP	Female	45-54	Total	100%
FFSP	Male	55-64	Academic	100%
FFSP	Female	55-64	Academic	100%
FFSP	Male	55-64	Community	100%
FFSP	Female	55-64	Community	100%
FFSP	Male	55-64	Other	100%
FFSP	Female	55-64	Other	100%
FFSP	Male	55-64	Total	100%
FFSP	Female	55-64	Total	100%
FFSP	Male	65+	Academic	100%
FFSP	Female	65+	Academic	100%
FFSP	Male	65+	Community	100%
FFSP	Female	65+	Community	100%
FFSP	Male	65+	Other	100%
FFSP	Female	65+	Other	100%
FFSP	Male	65+	Total	100%
FFSP	Female	65+	Total	100%
FFSP	Male	Total	Academic	100%
FFSP	Female	Total	Academic	100%
FFSP	Male	Total	Community	100%
FFSP	Female	Total	Community	100%
FFSP	Male	Total	Other	100%
FFSP	Female	Total	Other	100%
FFSP	Male	Total	Total	100%
FFSP	Female	Total	Total	100%
Other	Male	35-44	Academic	100%
Other	Female	35-44	Academic	100%
Other	Male	35-44	Community	100%
Other	Female	35-44	Community	100%
Other	Male	35-44	Other	100%
Other	Female	35-44	Other	100%
Other	Male	35-44	Total	100%
Other	Female	35-44	Total	100%
Other	Male	45-54	Academic	100%
Other	Female	45-54	Academic	100%
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Other	Male	65+	Academic	100%
Other	Female	65+	Academic	100%
Other	Male	65+	Community	100%
Other	Female	65+	Community	100%
Other	Male	65+	Other	100%
Other	Female	65+	Other	100%
Other	Male	65+	Total	100%
Other	Female	65+	Total	100%
Other	Male	Total	Academic	100%
Other	Female	Total	Academic	100%
Other	Male	Total	Community	100%
Other	Female	Total	Community	100%
Other	Male	Total	Other	100%
Other	Female	Total	Other	100%
Other	Male	Total	Total	100%
Other	Female	Total	Total	100%

## Q13. Agreement that national licensure will improve access

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey85>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q13. To what extent do you agree that national licensure will improve access to care for Canadians?

Topic: Access to services  
National licensure  
Patient care

Keywords: License  
Licensure  
Better  
Patients  
Access

Response Choices: Strongly disagree  
Somewhat disagree  
Neither agree nor disagree  
Somewhat agree  
Strongly agree

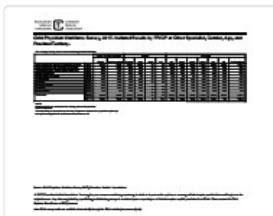
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## Q13. Work hours



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

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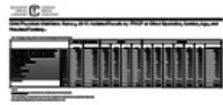
Full Question: Q13. EXCLUDING ON-CALL ACTIVITIES, how many HOURS IN AN AVERAGE WEEK do you usually spend on the following activities? Assume each activity is mutually exclusive for reporting purposes.

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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## Q14. Hours on administrative forms

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Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q14. How many hours per week do you spend completing administrative forms on behalf of your patients (e.g. third party insurance forms)?


Topic: Patient care  
Practice management (e.g., overhead costs, paperwork)  
Hours of work and workload


Keywords: 3rd party insurance forms  
Administrative duties  
Indirect patient care  
Paperwork  
Practice management  
Workload

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Response	Yes	No
All	1,100	1,100
Gender		
Male	550	550
Female	550	550
Age		
18-24	100	100
25-34	200	200
35-44	300	300
45-54	400	400
55-64	500	500
65+	600	600
Practice Territory		
Urban	400	400
Suburban	300	300
Rural	400	400

## Q14. Provision of patient/clinical care

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey99>

Survey Date: 2019

Full Question: Q14. Do you provide patient/clinical care (either direct or indirect)?

Topic: Access to services  
Patient care

Keywords: Patients  
Clinical care  
Direct clinical care  
Indirect clinical care

Response Choices: Yes  
No

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Q16 Physician Workforce Survey, 2019: National Results by FPEP or Other Specialist, Gender, Age, and Practice Territory

Response	Yes	No
All	1,100	1,100
Gender		
Male	550	550
Female	550	550
Age		
18-24	100	100
25-34	200	200
35-44	300	300
45-54	400	400
55-64	500	500
65+	600	600
Practice Territory		
Urban	400	400
Suburban	300	300
Rural	400	400

## Q16. Electronic tools used by physicians

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey103>

Survey Date: 2019

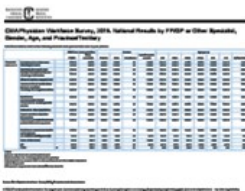
Full Question: Q16. Please indicate which of the following electronic tools you use in the care of your patients

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. Accepting new patients

# <https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey24>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q17. To what extent is your practice accepting new patients into your MAIN patient care setting? Please check only ONE.

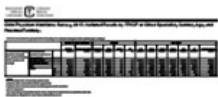
Topic: Patient care  
Hours of work and workload  
Access to services

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


Response Choices: No restrictions; practice is open to all new patients  
Partially closed  
Completely closed  
Does not apply to my practice setting


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## Q17. Electronic tools used by patients

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey88>

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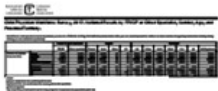
Full Question: Q18. Please estimate the number of patients you see in a TYPICAL WEEK, EXCLUDING patient visits while you are on-call (on-call is defined as time outside of regularly scheduled activity during which you are available to patients):

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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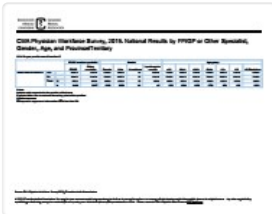
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## Q18. Providing on-call

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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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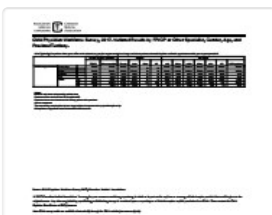
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## Q19a. Patient access for URGENT cases

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Full Question: Q19a. Typically, if a patient visits your office or is referred to you, how long would that patient wait until the first available appointment WITH YOU OR YOUR PRACTICE?

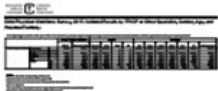
Topic: Patient care  
Hours of work and workload  
Access to services

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


Response Choices: same day  
number of days


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## Q19. Average on-call hours

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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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## Q19b. Patient access for NON-URGENT cases

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey71>

Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q19b. Typically, if a patient visits your office or is referred to you, how long would that patient wait until the first available appointment WITH YOU OR YOUR PRACTICE?

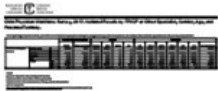
Topic: Patient care  
Hours of work and workload  
Access to services

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


Response Choices: same week  
number of weeks


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