



Q06. Broad specialty

<https://surveys.cma.ca/en/permalink/survey11>


Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q06. Would you describe yourself as a: [family physician, family physician with a focused practice, other specialty physician]?


Topic: Specialty or subspecialty


Keywords: FP
Family doctor
Family medicine
Family physician
GP
General practitioner
General practice
Specialist
Specialty
Sub-specialty

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Q06iFP. Family practice focus

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Survey Date: 2017
Full Question: Q06iFP. What area does your practice focus on?
Topic: Specialty or subspecialty
Keywords: FP

Family doctor
Family medicine
Family physician
GP
General practice
General practitioner
Specialist
Specialty
Sub-specialty

Response Choices: Administration
Addiction medicine
Child and adolescent health
Chronic non-cancer pain
Emergency medicine
Family practice anesthesia
Health care of the elderly
Hospital medicine
Maternity and newborn care
Mental health
Minor plastic surgery/cosmetics
Occupational medicine
Palliative care
Prison health
Sport and exercise medicine
Surgical assisting
Women's health

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Q06iSP. Specialty/Subspecialty

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Survey Date: 2017

Full Question: Q06iSP. Select the specialty/sub-specialty certificate that is most closely related to the main area of your current practice.

Topic: Specialty or subspecialty

Keywords: Specialist

Specialty

Sub-specialty

Response Choices: Adolescent Medicine

Anatomical Pathology

Anesthesiology

Cardiac Surgery

Cardiology - Adult

Cardiology - Pediatric

Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Clinical Immunology & Allergy - Adult

Clinical Immunology & Allergy – Pediatric

Clinical Pharmacology & Toxicology

Colorectal Surgery

Critical Care Medicine - Pediatric

Critical Care Medicine – Adult

Dermatology

Developmental Pediatrics

Diagnostic Radiology

Emergency Medicine

Endocrinology & Metabolism – Adult

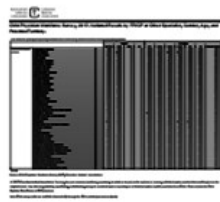
Endocrinology & Metabolism – Pediatric

Family Medicine

Forensic Pathology
Forensic Psychiatry
Gastroenterology - Adult
Gastroenterology - Pediatric
General Internal Medicine
General Pathology
General Surgery
General Surgical Oncology
Geriatric Medicine
Geriatric Psychiatry
Gyn. Reproductive Endocrinology & Infertility
Gynecologic Oncology
Hematological Pathology
Hematology
Infectious Diseases – Adult
Infectious Diseases – Pediatric
Internal Medicine
Maternal Fetal Medicine
Medical Biochemistry
Medical Genetics
Medical Microbiology
Medical Oncology
Neonatal Perinatal Medicine
Nephrology – Adult
Nephrology – Pediatric
Neurology – Adult
Neurology - Pediatric
Neuropathology
Neuroradiology
Neurosurgery
Nuclear Medicine
Obstetrics & Gynecology
Occupational Medicine
Ophthalmology
Orthopedic Surgery
Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery
Pain Medicine
Pediatric Emergency Medicine
Pediatric Hematology/Oncology
Pediatric Radiology

Pediatric Surgery
Pediatrics – General
Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
Plastic Surgery
Psychiatry
Public Health and Preventive Medicine
Radiation Oncology
Respirology – Adult
Respirology – Pediatric
Rheumatology – Adult
Rheumatology – Pediatric
Thoracic Surgery
Urology
Vascular Surgery

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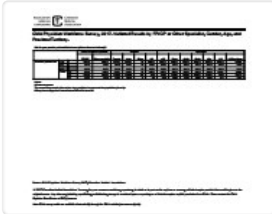
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Q08. Provision of patient/clinical care

<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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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

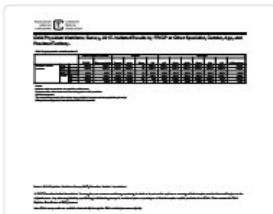
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Q10. Providing on-call

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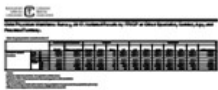
Full Question: Q10. Do you provide on-call services?


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

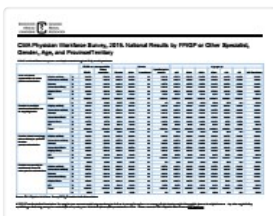
Keywords: On-call hours
Oncall activities
Oncall
On-call services
Work hours
Workload

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Q12. Impact of national licensure on physician practices

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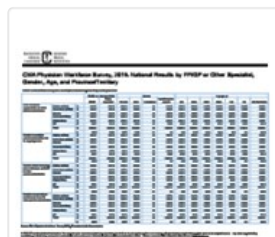
Full Question: Q12. If a national licensure system were implemented today, how likely would you be to:
Highly unlikely
Somewhat unlikely
Unsure
Somewhat likely
Highly likely

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

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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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Response	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
Strongly disagree	10%	20%	30%	25%	15%
Somewhat disagree	15%	25%	35%	20%	5%
Neither agree nor disagree	20%	30%	35%	15%	10%
Somewhat agree	15%	25%	25%	30%	5%
Strongly agree	10%	15%	15%	25%	35%

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

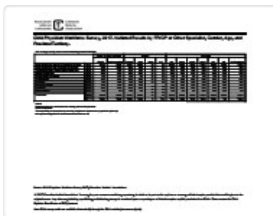
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Q13. Work hours



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

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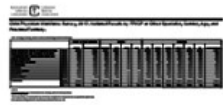
Full Question: Q13. EXCLUDING ON-CALL ACTIVITIES, how many HOURS IN AN AVERAGE WEEK do you usually spend on the following activities? Assume each activity is mutually exclusive for reporting purposes.

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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Q14 Provision of Patient Services, 2019, National Results by FPEP or Other Specialist, Gender, Age, and Practice Territory

Response	Male	Female	All	Age 18-29	Age 30-39	Age 40-49	Age 50-59	Age 60-69	Age 70+	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All
Yes	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0
No	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0

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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Q14 Provision of Patient Services, 2019, National Results by FPEP or Other Specialist, Gender, Age, and Practice Territory

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Q16 Electronic Tools Used by Physicians, 2019, National Results by FPEP or Other Specialist, Gender, Age, and Practice Territory

Response	Male	Female	All	Age 18-29	Age 30-39	Age 40-49	Age 50-59	Age 60-69	Age 70+	Urban	Suburban	Rural	All
Yes	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
No	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

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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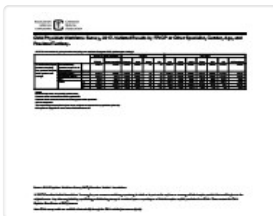


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Q17. Accepting new patients



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Survey Date: 2017

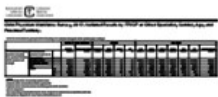
Full Question: Q17. To what extent is your practice accepting new patients into your MAIN patient care setting? Please check only ONE.

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

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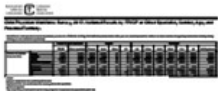
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Full Question: Q18. Please estimate the number of patients you see in a TYPICAL WEEK, EXCLUDING patient visits while you are on-call (on-call is defined as time outside of regularly scheduled activity during which you are available to patients):


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

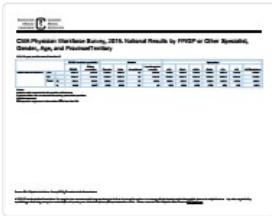
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Q18. Providing on-call

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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

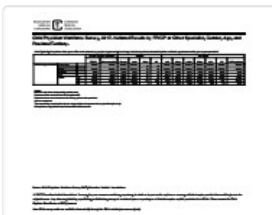
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Q19a. Patient access for URGENT cases

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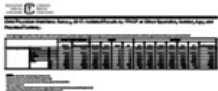
Full Question: Q19a. Typically, if a patient visits your office or is referred to you, how long would that patient wait until the first available appointment WITH YOU OR YOUR PRACTICE?

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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Province/Territory	Gender	Age	Specialty	Mean	SD	Min	Max
Alberta	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
British Columbia	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
Ontario	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
Quebec	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
Atlantic	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
National	Male	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0
	Female	18-24	Family Medicine	10.5	3.5	5.0	15.0
		25-34	Family Medicine	11.0	3.5	5.0	15.0

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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