Q02. Satisfaction (professional life, balance)
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey89

SURVEY DATE
2019

FULL QUESTION
Q02. Rate your satisfaction with each of the following: Very dissatisfied Dissatisfied Neutral Satisfied Very satisfied

TOPIC
Satisfaction

KEYWORDS
Work-life balance

RESPONSE CHOICES
Your professional life

The balance between your personal and professional commitments

Documents
Q10. Providing on-call
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

Documents
Q11. Average on-call hours

https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

Documents

CMA Physician Workforce Survey - Canadian Medical Association
Q12. On-call hours in direct patient care
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

Q13. Work hours
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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
On-call
On-call 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.)

Documents
Q14. Hours on administrative forms

https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey21

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

Documents
Q17. Accepting new patients
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

KEYWORDS
Access to services

RESPONSE CHOICES
No restrictions; practice is open to all new patients
Partially closed
Completely closed
Does not apply to my practice setting

Documents
Q18. Number of patients seen
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey25

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

KEYWORDS
Access to services

Hours of work and workload
Access to services
On-call activities

Documents
Q18. Providing on-call
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey104

SURVEY DATE
2019

FULL QUESTION
Q18. Do you provide on-call services?

TOPIC
Hours of work and workload

KEYWORDS
On-call activities
Access to services
Patient care
Oncall

RESPONSE CHOICES
Yes
No

Documents
Q19a. Patient access for URGENT cases
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey26

SURVEY DATE
2017

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

Keywords
Access to services

RESPONSE CHOICES
same day
number of days

Documents
Q19. Average on-call hours
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey106

SURVEY DATE
2019

FULL QUESTION
Q19. Estimate your average number of on-call work hours per month:

TOPIC
Access to services

KEYWORDS
Oncall

Documents
Q19b. Patient access for NON-URGENT cases
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

Documents
Q20. On-call hours in direct patient care
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

Documents
Q21 & Q22. Work hours
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/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

KEYWORDS
Workload

RESPONSE CHOICES
Direct patient care without a teaching component, regardless of setting
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Continuing medical education/professional development (courses, reading, videos, tapes, seminars, etc.)
Other

TOTAL HOURS WORKED PER WEEK

Documents
Q25a. Changes made to practice
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey34

SURVEY DATE
2017

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
- On-call
- On-call 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

Documents
Q25b. Planned changes to practice
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey35

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

Documents
Q26. Overworked/underemployed
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey36

SURVEY DATE
2017

FULL QUESTION
Q26. Describe your current employment situation.

TOPIC
Satisfaction

KEYWORDS
Career transition

RESPONSE CHOICES
Overworked in my discipline

Employed in my discipline to my satisfaction

Underemployed in my discipline

Not employed in my discipline

Documents
Q27. Satisfaction (professional life, balance)
https://surveys.cma.ca/link/survey37

SURVEY DATE
2017

FULL QUESTION
Q27. Rate your satisfaction with each of the following:

TOPIC
Satisfaction

KEYWORDS
Satisfaction (professional)

RESPONSE CHOICES
Your professional life

Documents