

Number of Active Physicians by Province/Territory and Specialty, Canada, 2001

| Specialty | CANADA | NF | PEI | NS | NB | QC | ON | MB | SK | AB | BC | TERR |
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| GENERAL PRACTICE | 29,936 | 626 | 103 | 997 | 726 | 7,776 | 10,262 | 1,139 | 978 | 2,730 | 4,513 | 86 |
| General Practice | 17,455 | 466 | 67 | 637 | 443 | 4,845 | 5,270 | 767 | 747 | 1,360 | 2,806 | 47 |
| Family Medicine | 12,481 | 160 | 36 | 360 | 283 | 2,931 | 4,992 | 372 | 231 | 1,370 | 1,707 | 39 |
| MEDICAL SPECIALISTS | 20,477 | 261 | 49 | 681 | 307 | 5,651 | 7,983 | 739 | 395 | 1,790 | 2,608 | 13 |
| <i>Clinical Specialists</i> | 19,049 | 234 | 45 | 641 | 273 | 5,247 | 7,499 | 690 | 360 | 1,657 | 2,390 | 13 |
| Anaesthesia | 2,313 | 32 | 7 | 94 | 46 | 550 | 870 | 94 | 59 | 213 | 347 | 1 |
| Community Medicine | 391 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 187 | 116 | 15 | 8 | 22 | 34 | 1 |
| Dermatology | 499 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 7 | 183 | 177 | 10 | 5 | 37 | 61 | 0 |
| Diagnostic Radiology | 1,897 | 31 | 7 | 76 | 44 | 504 | 701 | 61 | 46 | 193 | 234 | 0 |
| Emergency Medicine | 374 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 76 | 136 | 10 | 0 | 56 | 81 | 0 |
| <i>Internal Medicine</i> | 6,026 | 72 | 13 | 205 | 81 | 1,785 | 2,340 | 218 | 126 | 525 | 659 | 2 |
| General Internal Medicine | 2,418 | 29 | 8 | 93 | 35 | 474 | 1,076 | 125 | 68 | 222 | 286 | 2 |
| Cardiology | 889 | 10 | 1 | 33 | 13 | 348 | 315 | 16 | 14 | 67 | 72 | 0 |
| Clinical Immunology/Allergy | 105 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 46 | 30 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 12 | 0 |
| Endocrinology/Metabolism | 296 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 133 | 99 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 22 | 0 |
| Gastroenterology | 415 | 7 | 1 | 15 | 8 | 160 | 134 | 10 | 4 | 39 | 37 | 0 |
| Geriatric Medicine | 171 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 50 | 66 | 6 | 0 | 13 | 27 | 0 |
| Haematology | 247 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 66 | 115 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 28 | 0 |
| Infectious Diseases | 147 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 54 | 13 | 6 | 27 | 18 | 0 |
| Medical Oncology | 290 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 124 | 88 | 3 | 3 | 22 | 37 | 0 |
| Nephrology | 303 | 5 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 118 | 97 | 10 | 4 | 26 | 27 | 0 |
| Respiratory Medicine | 472 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 169 | 159 | 7 | 11 | 50 | 58 | 0 |
| Rheumatology | 273 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 6 | 76 | 107 | 6 | 6 | 23 | 35 | 0 |
| Medical Genetics | 56 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 0 |
| Neurology | 678 | 10 | 1 | 21 | 10 | 213 | 239 | 17 | 13 | 63 | 90 | 1 |
| Nuclear Medicine | 222 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 92 | 75 | 7 | 3 | 13 | 23 | 0 |
| Occupational Medicine | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 21 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 6 | 0 |
| Paediatrics | 2,053 | 33 | 8 | 67 | 26 | 538 | 803 | 101 | 42 | 202 | 229 | 4 |

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| Physical Medicine/Rehabilitation | 325 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 8 | 70 | 138 | 13 | 9 | 25 | 46 | 0 |
| Psychiatry | 3,865 | 38 | 6 | 121 | 37 | 969 | 1,734 | 131 | 42 | 258 | 525 | 4 |
| Radiation Oncology | 306 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 54 | 139 | 6 | 5 | 32 | 48 | 0 |
| Laboratory Specialists | 1,428 | 27 | 4 | 40 | 34 | 404 | 484 | 49 | 35 | 133 | 218 | 0 |
| Anatomical Pathology | 683 | 17 | 0 | 21 | 22 | 195 | 244 | 32 | 15 | 63 | 74 | 0 |
| General/Clinical Pathology | 333 | 7 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 143 | 9 | 11 | 45 | 89 | 0 |
| Haematologic Pathology | 54 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 15 | 0 |
| Medical Biochemistry | 88 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 50 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 0 |
| Medical Microbiology | 236 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 143 | 41 | 4 | 3 | 14 | 22 | 0 |
| Neuropathology | 34 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| SURGICAL SPECIALISTS | 7,658 | 92 | 27 | 262 | 189 | 2,098 | 2,881 | 266 | 201 | 608 | 1,021 | 13 |
| Cardiovascular/Thoracic Surgery | 290 | 4 | 0 | 13 | 6 | 74 | 112 | 13 | 9 | 21 | 38 | 0 |
| General Surgery | 1,815 | 25 | 8 | 68 | 45 | 526 | 646 | 72 | 55 | 151 | 214 | 5 |
| Neurosurgery | 230 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 63 | 85 | 6 | 7 | 21 | 30 | 0 |
| Obstetrics/Gynecology | 1,577 | 20 | 6 | 50 | 33 | 407 | 645 | 58 | 39 | 125 | 191 | 3 |
| Ophthalmology | 1,079 | 11 | 5 | 41 | 25 | 287 | 392 | 32 | 23 | 86 | 176 | 1 |
| Otolaryngology | 594 | 7 | 0 | 19 | 13 | 192 | 217 | 22 | 11 | 32 | 79 | 2 |
| Orthopaedic Surgery | 1,072 | 15 | 3 | 28 | 29 | 287 | 388 | 34 | 29 | 98 | 159 | 2 |
| Plastic Surgery | 435 | 3 | 2 | 12 | 13 | 116 | 167 | 11 | 13 | 36 | 62 | 0 |
| Urology | 566 | 4 | 3 | 22 | 19 | 146 | 229 | 18 | 15 | 38 | 72 | 0 |
| ALL SPECIALISTS | 28,135 | 353 | 76 | 943 | 496 | 7,749 | 10,864 | 1,005 | 596 | 2,398 | 3,629 | 26 |
| MEDICAL SCIENTISTS** | 62 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 30 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| ALL PHYSICIANS | 58,133 | 979 | 179 | 1,941 | 1,222 | 15,539 | 21,156 | 2,150 | 1,575 | 5,133 | 8,147 | 112 |

Note: Excludes residents and physicians over age 80; includes non-clinicians

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