

National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q1. Please check ALL that apply to your current situation.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
Multiple response set for Current Situation	In full-time or part-time practice	93.0%	90.7%	94.2%	91.9%
	Semi-retired	1.8%	6.9%	.9%	4.2%
	Locum tenens	6.2%	2.9%	5.5%	4.7%
	Medical/medically related field	18.0%	12.0%	26.4%	15.2%
	<i>Related field: Administration</i>	8.5%	6.8%	15.6%	7.7%
	<i>Related field: Teaching</i>	13.2%	5.9%	20.0%	9.8%
	<i>Related field: Research</i>	3.8%	3.5%	6.8%	3.6%
	<i>Related field: Not specified</i>	.8%	.9%	.3%	.9%
	On leave/sabbatical	1.8%	.6%	3.2%	1.2%
	Faculty appointment	23.7%	10.6%	35.3%	17.6%
	Hospital appointment	35.7%	24.2%	48.8%	30.3%
	NR	1.6%	1.2%	1.7%	1.4%

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Q3. Which of these best describes you? Please check only one.

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		%	%	%	%
Which of the following best describes you?	Family physician/general practitioner	59.7%	56.4%	17.7%	58.2%
	FP/GP with a special focus to my practice	33.0%	25.6%	56.6%	29.5%
	Medical/ surgical/ laboratory specialist	3.1%	10.2%	12.3%	6.4%
	Working exclusively in a non-clinical setting	1.2%	3.2%	.5%	2.1%
	Other	2.8%	4.3%	12.8%	3.5%
	NR	.2%	.3%	.0%	.3%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q3. Family physician/ general practitioner with a specified special focus to practice.

Among all family physicians: Among family physicians/general practitioners with a special focus to their practice, the most frequently indicated foci were: Emergency medicine (24%), Geriatric medicine (9%), Obstetrics (9%), Palliative care (7%), Anesthesiology (5%), Psychiatry (4%), Sports medicine (3%), Psychotherapy (3%), Addiction medicine (3%), Occupational medicine (3%), Hospitalist care (3%).

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Q3. Physician working exclusively in a specified non-clinical setting.

Among all Family Physicians: Among physicians working exclusively in a non-clinical setting, they most frequently indicated: Administration (26%), Community medicine/public health (20%), consultant (16%) and Occupational medicine (11%).

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Q4. Age

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5413 N=16211 %	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182 %	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515 %	Total n=10270 N=30393 %
Age Groups	<35	14.5%	2.5%	18.6%	8.9%
	35-44	35.4%	13.5%	45.3%	25.2%
	45-54	31.0%	36.8%	23.3%	33.7%
	55-64	15.5%	32.3%	11.0%	23.3%
	65+	2.9%	13.7%	1.1%	7.9%
	NR	.8%	1.2%	.7%	1.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q4. Age

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5369 N=16082	non-CCFP n=4797 N=14006	CCFP(EM)* n=470 N=1504	Total n=10166 N=30088
Age	Mean	45.24	53.85	42.73	49.25
	Median	44.00	54.00	41.00	49.00
	Mode	48.00	56.00	38.00	48.00
	Standard Deviation	9.76	9.70	8.74	10.64
	Minimum	26.00	27.00	28.00	26.00
	Maximum	80.00	80.00	68.00	80.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated their year of birth.

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Q6. Marital Status. Please check only ONE.

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		%	%	%	%
Marital Status	Married/ living with partner	85.5%	84.2%	86.5%	84.9%
	Single	8.3%	5.3%	9.3%	6.9%
	Separated	1.9%	2.5%	1.7%	2.2%
	Divorced	3.1%	5.5%	1.2%	4.2%
	Widowed	.5%	1.3%	.6%	.9%
	NR	.6%	1.1%	.7%	.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q6. Please specify the profession of your spouse/ partner.

Among all Family Physicians: Thirty-five percent of physicians with a spouse/ partner indicated their profession. Among them, the most frequently indicated professions were: health diagnosing and treating occupations (35%, with the most common being physicians/surgeons (21%) and nurses (8%)), homemaking or retired (13%), education/training/library and museum occupations (9%), management occupations (7%), architects/surveyors/cartographers (6%), business and financial operations occupations (5%).

Notes:

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Q7. Do you have children?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512 %	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872 %	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499 %	Total n=3978 N=30384 %
Do you have children?	Yes	79.1%	86.6%	75.7%	82.5%
	No	20.6%	12.2%	23.2%	16.8%
	NR	.3%	1.2%	1.1%	.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q7a. If you have children, age of the youngest?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=1663 N=13062	non-CCFP n=1640 N=12009	CCFP(EM)* n=137 N=1135	Total n=3303 N=25071
		%	%	%	%
Age of youngest child (grouped)	up to 5 years old	33.7%	10.0%	48.7%	22.3%
	between 5 and 10 years old	16.3%	12.2%	19.2%	14.3%
	older than 10	49.5%	76.9%	32.0%	62.6%
	NR	.6%	.9%	.0%	.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q8. In which province(s)/territory(ies) did you grow up prior to university?

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		%	%	%	%
multiple response set for province in which respondent grew up	Grew up in BC	9.0%	8.2%	9.3%	8.7%
	Grew up in AB	11.3%	6.2%	14.3%	9.0%
	Grew up in SK	3.1%	4.1%	3.3%	3.6%
	Grew up in MB	4.5%	3.9%	3.3%	4.2%
	Grew up in ON	35.3%	20.6%	43.2%	28.6%
	Grew up in QC	25.0%	25.5%	17.8%	25.2%
	Grew up in NB	3.7%	2.5%	2.7%	3.2%
	Grew up in NS	3.2%	3.5%	3.4%	3.3%
	Grew up in PE	.9%	.7%	.8%	.8%
	Grew up in NL	1.9%	2.2%	1.6%	2.1%
	Grew up in NT	.1%	.3%	.0%	.2%
	Grew up in YT	.0%	.2%	.0%	.1%
	Grew up in NU	.0%	.1%	.0%	.0%
	Grew up outside Canada	13.0%	31.7%	8.8%	21.5%
	NR	.7%	1.2%	1.1%	.9%

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Q9ai. Year of undergraduate medical graduation.

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		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
Year of undergraduate medical graduation, Grouped	prior to 1960s	.5%	2.5%	.0%	1.4%
	1960s	3.7%	13.6%	2.3%	8.3%
	1970s	15.9%	34.1%	11.9%	24.4%
	1980s	29.6%	33.8%	24.3%	31.6%
	1990s	34.4%	11.8%	46.2%	23.9%
	2000s	14.2%	1.6%	14.0%	8.3%
	NR	1.6%	2.6%	1.2%	2.1%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q9a.ii. Year of completion of your MOST RECENT postgraduate medical training (i.e., residency/internship).

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		%	%	%	%
Year of completion of most recent postgraduate training, Grouped	prior to 1960s	.2%	.7%	.0%	.4%
	1960s	1.6%	5.4%	.3%	3.4%
	1970s	10.5%	25.2%	8.1%	17.4%
	1980s	23.5%	32.3%	16.2%	27.6%
	1990s	34.0%	14.5%	37.4%	24.9%
	2000s	26.0%	8.1%	35.3%	17.7%
	NR	4.2%	13.8%	2.7%	8.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q9bi. Please indicate where you completed your undergraduate medical training. Please check only one.

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		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
Location where undergraduate training was completed	University of British Columbia	5.7%	5.3%	6.7%	5.5%
	University of Calgary	4.7%	1.0%	4.3%	2.9%
	University of Alberta	6.2%	3.7%	8.7%	5.0%
	University of Saskatchewan	2.5%	1.8%	3.2%	2.2%
	University of Manitoba	3.7%	2.6%	2.3%	3.2%
	University of Western Ontario	5.7%	3.8%	7.6%	4.8%
	McMaster	5.7%	1.3%	6.1%	3.6%
	University of Toronto	12.4%	9.6%	15.4%	11.1%
	University of Ottawa	4.7%	2.5%	6.3%	3.7%
	Queen's University	4.9%	2.0%	6.9%	3.6%
	Université de Sherbrooke	5.7%	2.4%	5.6%	4.2%
	Université de Montréal	7.7%	10.0%	4.6%	8.7%
	McGill University	4.0%	2.1%	4.1%	3.1%
	Université Laval	6.8%	9.3%	4.7%	8.0%
	Dalhousie University	4.5%	4.2%	4.8%	4.4%
	Memorial University of Newfoundland	2.2%	1.6%	2.0%	1.9%
	U.S.A.	.4%	1.3%	.4%	.8%
	Other	11.1%	31.3%	5.4%	20.5%
NR	1.3%	4.2%	1.1%	2.7%	
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

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Q9bi. Please indicate where you completed your undergraduate medical training. Please check only one.

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		CCFP n=5413 N=16211 %	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182 %	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515 %	Total n=10270 N=30393 %
Country where undergrad training completed - CAN, USA or Oth	Canada	87.1%	63.1%	93.2%	75.9%
	USA	.4%	1.3%	.4%	.8%
	Other	11.1%	31.3%	5.4%	20.5%
	NR	1.3%	4.2%	1.1%	2.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q9bi. Please indicate where you completed your undergraduate medical training: Other country.

Among all Family Physicians: Among the respondents who indicated that they completed their undergraduate medical graduation in a country other than Canada or the U.S.A, the most frequently indicated countries included: UK (24%), South Africa (23%), Asia (17%), Africa (excluding South Africa) (9%), Central Europe (7%).

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Q9bii. Please indicate where you completed your most recent postgraduate medical training. Please check only one.

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		%	%	%	%
Location where post-graduate training was completed	University of British Columbia	5.6%	4.6%	5.5%	5.2%
	University of Calgary	5.8%	1.0%	7.4%	3.6%
	University of Alberta	5.5%	3.2%	7.9%	4.4%
	University of Saskatchewan	2.6%	1.6%	3.4%	2.2%
	University of Manitoba	3.6%	2.9%	2.0%	3.3%
	University of Western Ontario	5.3%	2.5%	8.7%	4.0%
	McMaster	5.6%	1.3%	4.2%	3.6%
	University of Toronto	12.5%	9.8%	11.6%	11.3%
	University of Ottawa	5.9%	2.5%	9.0%	4.3%
	Queen's University	3.9%	.9%	6.4%	2.5%
	Université de Sherbrooke	5.7%	1.9%	3.5%	3.9%
	Université de Montréal	7.2%	8.3%	4.9%	7.7%
	McGill University	5.2%	3.4%	6.9%	4.4%
	Université Laval	6.6%	6.9%	4.6%	6.7%
	Dalhousie University	5.0%	4.3%	4.7%	4.7%
	Memorial University of Newfoundland	2.9%	2.1%	1.6%	2.6%
	U.S.A.	1.0%	4.1%	1.0%	2.4%
	Other	4.9%	17.6%	2.5%	10.8%
	Canada, location not specified	.3%	.5%	.2%	.4%
NR	4.9%	20.4%	4.0%	12.1%	
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

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Q9bii. Please indicate where you completed your most recent postgraduate medical training. Please check only one.

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		%	%	%	%
Country where most recent postgrad training completed - CAN, USA or Oth	Canada	89.3%	57.9%	92.4%	74.7%
	USA	1.0%	4.1%	1.0%	2.4%
	Other	4.9%	17.6%	2.5%	10.8%
	NR	4.9%	20.4%	4.0%	12.1%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q9bii. Please indicate where you completed your most recent postgraduate medical training: Other country.

Among all Family Physicians: Among the respondents who indicated that they completed their most recent postgraduate medical training in a country other than Canada or the U.S.A, the most frequently indicated countries included: UK (32%), South Africa (29%).

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Q10. Please specify other degree(s).

Among all Family Physicians: Nineteen percent of physicians indicated that they have another degree(s). Nine percent have a PhD. Thirty percent have a Masters of Science/Masters of Health Science (MHSc)/Masters in epidemiology or biostatistics or community health/Masters in Health Administration (MHA)/MPA/MHSA/MPH/ MHCM/MMed/MCLSc. Two percent have an MBA.

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Q11. Number of years licensed to practice in Canada.

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		%	%	%	%
Number of years licensed to practice in Canada, Grouped	1-4 years	13.0%	9.4%	9.0%	11.3%
	5-9 years	18.1%	6.6%	25.6%	12.8%
	10-14 years	15.7%	3.1%	17.8%	9.8%
	15-19 years	14.8%	11.4%	17.3%	13.2%
	20+ years	34.2%	65.2%	25.7%	48.7%
	NR	4.2%	4.3%	4.5%	4.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q11. Mean number of years licensed to practice in Canada.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5191 N=15538	non-CCFP n=4645 N=13573	CCFP(EM)* n=452 N=1447	Total n=9836 N=29111
Number of years licensed to practice in Canada	Mean	16.14	23.47	14.73	19.56
	Median	15.00	25.00	13.00	20.00
	Mode	7.00	21.00	7.00	21.00
	Standard Deviation	10.31	11.49	8.97	11.47
	Minimum	.00	.00	2.00	.00
	Maximum	55.00	55.00	42.00	55.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated their license year.

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Accreditation conferences/courses		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of accredited conferences/courses	Not at all	.1%	.3%	.0%	.2%
	Poor	1.4%	2.0%	.3%	1.7%
	Fair	5.4%	5.4%	6.1%	5.4%
	Good	15.8%	18.3%	18.8%	16.9%
	Very good	38.1%	33.8%	37.0%	36.1%
	Excellent	37.8%	35.8%	37.1%	36.9%
	Don't use	.2%	1.9%	.0%	1.0%
	NR	1.2%	2.6%	.7%	1.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of accredited conferences/courses	Not at all	.0%	.1%	.0%	.1%
	Poor	1.0%	.8%	.0%	.9%
	Fair	3.5%	2.8%	3.1%	3.2%
	Good	18.4%	16.8%	22.5%	17.7%
	Very good	46.5%	40.3%	46.9%	43.7%
	Excellent	24.8%	28.8%	22.0%	26.6%
	Don't use	.5%	1.3%	.7%	.9%
	NR	5.2%	9.0%	4.9%	7.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

<i>Unaccredited educational dinners/ lunches sponsored by pharmaceutical companies.</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of unaccredited educational dinners/ lunches sponsored by pharmaceutical companies	Not at all	1.2%	2.9%	2.5%	2.0%
	Poor	4.5%	3.6%	6.3%	4.1%
	Fair	7.4%	8.3%	13.3%	7.8%
	Good	15.9%	18.8%	19.8%	17.2%
	Very good	25.5%	23.6%	19.3%	24.7%
	Excellent	31.9%	29.3%	17.9%	30.7%
	Don't use	10.8%	9.3%	17.5%	10.1%
	NR	2.6%	4.2%	3.4%	3.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of unaccredited educational dinners/ lunches sponsored by pharmaceutical companies	Not at all	1.9%	2.0%	4.0%	1.9%
	Poor	9.0%	5.0%	12.5%	7.2%
	Fair	18.6%	11.7%	20.8%	15.4%
	Good	29.0%	26.2%	24.4%	27.7%
	Very good	18.2%	23.6%	8.8%	20.7%
	Excellent	5.7%	11.8%	3.8%	8.5%
	Don't use	11.1%	8.6%	17.9%	9.9%
	NR	6.6%	11.0%	7.8%	8.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

<i>Peer-reviewed journals</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of peer-reviewed journals	Not at all	1.7%	2.2%	1.4%	1.9%
	Poor	1.4%	3.0%	.0%	2.2%
	Fair	4.6%	4.9%	2.8%	4.7%
	Good	13.7%	15.4%	12.7%	14.5%
	Very good	29.7%	27.2%	33.4%	28.5%
	Excellent	41.4%	34.8%	44.6%	38.4%
	Don't use	4.7%	7.7%	3.4%	6.1%
	NR	2.7%	4.9%	1.7%	3.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of peer-reviewed journals	Not at all	.6%	.8%	.8%	.7%
	Poor	2.0%	2.5%	.7%	2.2%
	Fair	7.6%	7.4%	6.0%	7.5%
	Good	27.4%	23.6%	33.8%	25.7%
	Very good	35.8%	29.7%	35.4%	33.0%
	Excellent	15.0%	17.6%	15.7%	16.2%
	Don't use	4.7%	6.4%	3.0%	5.5%
	NR	6.9%	12.0%	4.7%	9.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

<i>Non-peer-reviewed medical publications</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of non-peer-reviewed medical publications	Not at all	1.4%	2.3%	2.1%	1.8%
	Poor	2.5%	3.2%	2.9%	2.8%
	Fair	5.7%	6.1%	3.8%	5.8%
	Good	14.9%	18.6%	17.3%	16.6%
	Very good	20.4%	19.7%	20.2%	20.1%
	Excellent	35.6%	27.3%	32.1%	31.8%
	Don't use	15.8%	15.5%	18.8%	15.7%
	NR	3.8%	7.3%	2.7%	5.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of non-peer-reviewed medical publications	Not at all	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%
	Poor	9.2%	6.7%	11.4%	8.1%
	Fair	21.6%	15.7%	23.8%	18.9%
	Good	24.7%	25.0%	23.4%	24.8%
	Very good	13.1%	14.0%	10.3%	13.5%
	Excellent	4.1%	6.8%	1.4%	5.3%
	Don't use	15.3%	13.8%	20.5%	14.6%
	NR	9.9%	15.9%	7.1%	12.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

<i>Evidence-based resources (e.g., clinical practice guidelines, data repositories)</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of evidence-based resources (e.g., clinical practice guidelines, data repositories)	Not at all	.1%	.5%	.3%	.3%
	Poor	1.2%	1.5%	1.3%	1.4%
	Fair	5.1%	6.2%	4.8%	5.6%
	Good	20.9%	21.7%	25.8%	21.3%
	Very good	36.6%	31.7%	36.7%	34.4%
	Excellent	30.6%	30.3%	25.7%	30.4%
	Don't use	1.9%	3.4%	2.3%	2.6%
	NR	3.4%	4.7%	3.0%	4.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of evidence-based resources (e.g., clinical practice guidelines, data repositories)	Not at all	.1%	.5%	.0%	.2%
	Poor	1.2%	1.7%	2.3%	1.4%
	Fair	5.5%	7.5%	5.9%	6.4%
	Good	20.0%	19.9%	27.6%	19.9%
	Very good	37.2%	32.2%	33.6%	34.9%
	Excellent	27.7%	24.2%	22.5%	26.1%
	Don't use	1.6%	3.4%	1.2%	2.4%
	NR	6.8%	10.7%	7.0%	8.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Online education courses		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of online education courses	Not at all	2.3%	3.0%	1.9%	2.6%
	Poor	3.7%	4.2%	2.2%	3.9%
	Fair	6.9%	8.7%	10.3%	7.7%
	Good	16.5%	17.6%	22.4%	17.0%
	Very good	20.2%	16.0%	15.3%	18.3%
	Excellent	17.9%	14.4%	14.7%	16.3%
	Don't use	28.4%	29.5%	29.3%	28.9%
	NR	4.1%	6.6%	3.9%	5.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of online education courses	Not at all	1.9%	2.3%	2.1%	2.1%
	Poor	4.5%	5.1%	3.6%	4.7%
	Fair	8.3%	8.4%	7.3%	8.3%
	Good	18.2%	17.6%	21.7%	18.0%
	Very good	15.9%	12.2%	12.3%	14.2%
	Excellent	6.4%	7.3%	6.9%	6.8%
	Don't use	34.3%	31.2%	36.9%	32.9%
	NR	10.6%	15.9%	9.2%	13.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

<i>Rounds, journal clubs, small group activities</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of rounds, journal clubs, small group activities	Not at all	3.1%	5.8%	1.0%	4.3%
	Poor	7.3%	7.6%	4.6%	7.4%
	Fair	12.6%	11.9%	11.7%	12.3%
	Good	19.2%	17.0%	29.6%	18.2%
	Very good	20.3%	18.1%	19.1%	19.3%
	Excellent	21.2%	14.3%	28.0%	18.1%
	Don't use	13.1%	18.7%	4.5%	15.7%
	NR	3.2%	6.7%	1.5%	4.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of rounds, journal clubs, small group activities	Not at all	1.4%	2.6%	.0%	2.0%
	Poor	2.0%	3.2%	1.1%	2.6%
	Fair	6.4%	6.4%	7.1%	6.4%
	Good	18.0%	15.6%	21.5%	16.9%
	Very good	26.8%	21.7%	34.7%	24.5%
	Excellent	20.7%	14.6%	23.6%	17.9%
	Don't use	15.9%	21.2%	6.8%	18.3%
	NR	8.8%	14.7%	5.2%	11.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Self-assessment programs (e.g., Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), practice portfolios, CME logs, multi-source feedback)		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of self-assessment programs (e.g., Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), practice portfolios, CME logs, multi-source feedback)	Not at all	2.3%	4.4%	2.0%	3.2%
	Poor	4.1%	6.4%	.0%	5.1%
	Fair	8.5%	11.7%	6.2%	10.0%
	Good	18.9%	17.7%	23.1%	18.3%
	Very good	18.7%	13.4%	17.4%	16.3%
	Excellent	12.9%	10.0%	6.2%	11.6%
	Don't use	30.3%	29.6%	42.0%	30.0%
	NR	4.4%	6.8%	3.2%	5.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of self-assessment programs (e.g., Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), practice portfolios, CME logs, multi-source feedback)	Not at all	1.8%	2.6%	2.2%	2.2%
	Poor	4.7%	6.1%	2.9%	5.3%
	Fair	9.7%	8.6%	7.7%	9.2%
	Good	18.1%	15.9%	20.4%	17.1%
	Very good	14.8%	12.2%	10.6%	13.6%
	Excellent	5.6%	7.0%	3.0%	6.3%
	Don't use	34.8%	30.9%	44.7%	33.0%
	NR	10.5%	16.6%	8.5%	13.3%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Performance practice audits		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of performance practice audits	Not at all	4.5%	7.5%	2.8%	5.9%
	Poor	9.2%	9.7%	7.7%	9.5%
	Fair	12.4%	11.0%	14.0%	11.8%
	Good	16.6%	15.1%	19.5%	15.9%
	Very good	7.4%	7.2%	7.4%	7.3%
	Excellent	5.2%	5.1%	4.1%	5.1%
	Don't use	40.8%	38.0%	41.1%	39.5%
	NR	3.9%	6.4%	3.5%	5.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of performance practice audits	Not at all	3.4%	4.8%	2.1%	4.0%
	Poor	6.7%	7.9%	6.7%	7.2%
	Fair	8.4%	7.8%	11.5%	8.1%
	Good	13.7%	12.7%	9.9%	13.2%
	Very good	9.2%	8.1%	9.3%	8.7%
	Excellent	5.2%	4.5%	6.8%	4.9%
	Don't use	42.0%	36.8%	45.1%	39.6%
	NR	11.5%	17.5%	8.7%	14.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Self-directed learning methods (e.g., self learning, practice-based small group learning.)		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of self-directed learning methods (e.g., self learning, practice-based small group learning)	Not at all	1.8%	3.9%	1.7%	2.8%
	Poor	3.8%	4.3%	4.5%	4.0%
	Fair	7.7%	8.6%	7.6%	8.1%
	Good	17.0%	18.2%	18.6%	17.5%
	Very good	23.0%	20.7%	23.6%	21.9%
	Excellent	30.1%	21.4%	24.0%	26.1%
	Don't use	13.6%	18.6%	18.0%	15.9%
	NR	3.0%	4.4%	2.0%	3.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of self-directed learning methods (e.g., self learning, practice-based small group learning)	Not at all	.9%	2.1%	2.0%	1.5%
	Poor	1.6%	2.9%	1.2%	2.2%
	Fair	4.0%	4.8%	4.5%	4.4%
	Good	16.6%	15.1%	20.8%	15.9%
	Very good	26.5%	24.5%	26.8%	25.6%
	Excellent	27.6%	19.9%	20.2%	24.1%
	Don't use	13.6%	17.4%	17.2%	15.3%
	NR	9.2%	13.4%	7.4%	11.1%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q12a. Please rate the availability and effectiveness of each of the continuing professional education methods:

Simulators		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Availability of simulators	Not at all	12.7%	14.6%	11.9%	13.6%
	Poor	11.8%	9.2%	15.5%	10.6%
	Fair	7.8%	6.9%	8.1%	7.4%
	Good	5.9%	5.5%	7.0%	5.7%
	Very good	2.9%	2.8%	7.0%	2.8%
	Excellent	1.9%	1.8%	4.1%	1.9%
	Don't use	49.9%	49.3%	39.9%	49.6%
	NR	7.0%	10.0%	6.4%	8.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Effectiveness of simulators	Not at all	4.8%	6.3%	5.3%	5.5%
	Poor	3.4%	3.0%	1.4%	3.2%
	Fair	3.2%	4.3%	.7%	3.7%
	Good	6.8%	6.0%	9.6%	6.4%
	Very good	7.1%	6.9%	12.4%	7.0%
	Excellent	6.4%	4.3%	11.4%	5.4%
	Don't use	51.9%	47.2%	47.5%	49.8%
	NR	16.4%	22.1%	11.7%	19.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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Q12b. Do you personally provide continuing professional development (CPD) courses/programs?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512 %	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872 %	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499 %	Total n=3978 N=30384 %
Do you provide CPD courses/programs?	Yes	23.6%	23.1%	39.4%	23.4%
	No	75.8%	75.8%	59.5%	75.8%
	NR	.6%	1.0%	1.1%	.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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Q12b. Audience to whom you personally provide continuing professional development courses/programs.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=512 N=3890	non- CCFP n=440 N=3210	CCFP(EM)* n=74 N=591	Total n=952 N=7100
		%	%	%	%
multiple response set for audience for CPD given by respondents	Physicians in your specialty/area of practice	84.6%	70.2%	82.9%	78.1%
	Physicians not in your specialty/area of practice	28.3%	33.3%	34.9%	30.6%
	Other health professionals	57.5%	60.4%	65.1%	58.8%
	NR	1.4%	2.7%	1.9%	2.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they personally provide CPD courses/ programs. Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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Q13a. Check the category(ies) which best describe(s) the setting(s) where you work. Check all that apply.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
multiple response set for work setting	Private office/ clinic	65.2%	69.2%	25.4%	67.0%
	Community clinic/ Community health centre	17.1%	12.0%	5.8%	14.7%
	Free-standing walk-in clinic	14.2%	12.8%	8.1%	13.6%
	Academic health sciences centre (ahsc)	14.5%	9.7%	18.5%	12.3%
	Community hospital	34.9%	31.0%	26.5%	33.1%
	Emergency department (in community hospital or ahsc)	28.1%	16.3%	76.9%	22.6%
	Nursing home/ Home for the aged	21.9%	22.5%	7.1%	22.1%
	University/ Faculty of medicine	11.8%	6.5%	15.2%	9.3%
	Administrative office	7.0%	5.9%	11.1%	6.5%
	Research unit	2.0%	2.4%	3.4%	2.2%
	Free-standing lab/diagnostic clinic	.3%	.5%	1.0%	.4%
	Other work setting	15.0%	13.2%	9.0%	14.2%
NR	.3%	.6%	.0%	.5%	

Notes:

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Q13a. Other work settings.

Among all Family Physicians: Among the 14% of physicians who indicated 'other' work setting above, 24% of them specified 'hospital' settings other than those provided in the question (community hospital, academic health sciences centre, emergency department in a health sciences centre). For example: psychiatric hospital, non-academic hospital, short stay hospital.

Notes:

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Q13b. Main patient care setting (i.e. the setting where you spend the most time providing patient care). Please check only one.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Main patient care setting	Private office/ clinic (excluding free standing walk-in clinics)	57.2%	64.5%	18.8%	60.5%
	Community clinic/ Community health centre	9.5%	6.9%	1.6%	8.3%
	Free-standing walk-in clinic	2.7%	3.4%	1.8%	3.0%
	Academic health sciences centre (ahsc)	5.6%	5.8%	5.2%	5.7%
	Community hospital	5.8%	7.3%	6.3%	6.5%
	Emergency department (in community hospital or ahsc)	12.5%	3.7%	62.7%	8.5%
	Nursing home/ Home for the aged	.8%	1.6%	.0%	1.2%
	University/ Faculty of medicine	.2%	.5%	.4%	.3%
	Administrative office	.2%	.2%	.0%	.2%
	Research unit	.0%	.1%	.0%	.0%
	Free-standing lab/ diagnostic clinic	.0%	.1%	.2%	.1%
	Other	4.6%	4.2%	2.8%	4.4%
	NA	.2%	.3%	.0%	.2%
	NR	.6%	1.5%	.2%	1.0%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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Q14. In which province(s)/territory(ies) do you currently work? Check all that apply.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
multiple response set for province of work	Work in BC	14.3%	16.1%	14.9%	15.1%
	Work in AB	12.0%	9.2%	14.1%	10.7%
	Work in SK	2.0%	4.3%	2.4%	3.1%
	Work in MB	2.9%	4.5%	.4%	3.6%
	Work in ON	39.7%	28.9%	47.5%	34.6%
	Work in QC	22.2%	26.5%	16.1%	24.2%
	Work in NB	2.9%	2.7%	2.0%	2.8%
	Work in NS	3.3%	4.1%	3.5%	3.6%
	Work in PE	.6%	.7%	1.0%	.6%
	Work in NL	1.6%	3.1%	.7%	2.3%
	Work in NT	.6%	.4%	.4%	.5%
	Work in YT	.3%	.6%	.0%	.4%
	Work in NU	.4%	.8%	.3%	.6%
	Work outside Canada	.5%	.3%	1.1%	.4%
	NR	.8%	1.5%	.2%	1.1%

Notes:

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Q16. Indicate the main reason(s) you selected your current work location. Check all that apply.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Reason(s) you selected your current work location	Availability of medical support system/ resources	45.1%	37.2%	42.5%	41.5%
	Career opportunities for spouse/ partner	22.4%	14.0%	24.6%	18.6%
	Family reasons	45.8%	33.1%	49.3%	40.0%
	Liked the location	62.2%	54.1%	60.7%	58.5%
	Opportunity for affiliation with a university	18.7%	9.0%	30.1%	14.2%
	Community needs were a good match to my career interests	38.9%	35.8%	36.9%	37.5%
	Practice opportunity was available	49.7%	48.5%	49.7%	49.2%
	Had to fulfill a return of service obligation	2.6%	1.9%	3.2%	2.3%
	Religious/ social/ cultural reasons	4.7%	3.0%	1.7%	3.9%
	Financial recruitment/ retention incentives	9.5%	6.0%	9.3%	7.9%
	Non-financial recruitment/ retention incentives	2.9%	2.4%	2.3%	2.7%
	Other reason for selecting work location	1.4%	1.9%	.3%	1.6%
	NR	.7%	1.4%	.0%	1.0%

Notes:

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Q17. Do you provide patient care?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5413 N=16211	non-CCFP n=4857 N=14182	CCFP(EM)* n=473 N=1515	Total n=10270 N=30393
		%	%	%	%
		Do you provide patient care?			
Yes	98.3%	95.2%	98.5%	96.8%	
No	1.7%	4.8%	1.5%	3.2%	
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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Q18. With respect to your main patient care setting, describe the population primarily served by you in your practice. Please check only one.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Population primarily served in main patient care setting	Inner city	10.0%	11.2%	14.4%	10.6%
	Urban/ suburban	56.4%	47.7%	59.4%	52.4%
	Small town	15.5%	19.5%	13.7%	17.3%
	Rural	10.6%	11.8%	5.8%	11.2%
	Geographically isolated/ remote	2.6%	1.9%	1.8%	2.3%
	Cannot identify a primary population	1.5%	3.1%	2.3%	2.2%
	Other	1.2%	.8%	1.2%	1.0%
	NR	2.1%	4.0%	1.5%	3.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

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Q19. Please indicate how your main patient care setting is organized. Please check only one. Note that a solo or group practice could also include a nurse who does not have her/his own caseload.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Organization of main patient care setting	Solo practice	17.6%	29.4%	15.1%	23.0%
	Group practice	55.1%	45.6%	53.1%	50.7%
	Interprofessional practice	25.4%	21.3%	29.1%	23.5%
	NR	1.9%	3.7%	2.8%	2.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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NR=No Response.

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Q20. Please indicate with whom you regularly collaborate in providing patient care. Check all that apply.

<i>Question asked of FP/GPs only</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
FP - I regularly collaborate with the following in providing patient care	Collaborate with Psychiatric specialists	62.7%	64.4%	69.6%	63.4%
	Collaborate with Pediatric specialists	56.9%	53.1%	66.7%	55.2%
	Collaborate with Obstetrical/ gynecological specialists	65.3%	64.2%	76.0%	64.8%
	Collaborate with Internal specialists	68.3%	68.1%	78.7%	68.2%
	Collaborate with Surgical specialists	70.7%	71.7%	80.5%	71.2%
	Collaborate with Other specialists (answered by FPs)	17.4%	22.2%	20.0%	19.6%
	NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%
	No regular collaboration among FP respondents	16.1%	13.2%	11.1%	14.8%

Notes:

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National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q20. Please indicate with whom you regularly collaborate in providing patient care. Check all that apply.

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
All - I regularly collaborate with the following in providing patient care	Collaborate with Family physicians	83.6%	76.8%	80.6%	80.6%
	Collaborate with Nurse practitioners	23.1%	21.0%	20.1%	22.2%
	Collaborate with Psychiatric nurses	22.8%	23.4%	41.4%	23.1%
	Collaborate with Other nurses (RN, LPN, RPN)	61.2%	50.7%	70.5%	56.5%
	Collaborate with Physician assistants	6.0%	6.2%	7.7%	6.1%
	Collaborate with Dietitians/ nutritionists	50.9%	53.7%	26.2%	52.2%
	Collaborate with Occupational therapists	45.3%	48.8%	25.3%	46.9%
	Collaborate with Physiotherapists	66.9%	67.9%	47.8%	67.4%
	Collaborate with Chiropractors	20.7%	21.9%	12.2%	21.3%
	Collaborate with Psychologists	44.7%	48.2%	21.2%	46.3%
	Collaborate with Mental health counselors	39.6%	38.8%	42.9%	39.3%
	Collaborate with Addiction counselors	28.5%	30.4%	21.9%	29.3%
	Collaborate with Social workers	54.6%	53.5%	63.6%	54.1%
	Collaborate with Pharmacists	74.0%	72.9%	66.8%	73.5%
	Collaborate with Midwives	10.5%	10.0%	3.9%	10.3%
	Collaborate with Speech-language pathologists	30.5%	29.2%	12.4%	29.9%
	Collaborate with Chiropractors	19.2%	21.7%	7.1%	20.3%
	Collaborate with Complementary/ alternative medicine providers	10.7%	12.0%	3.6%	11.3%
	NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%
No regular collaboration among all respondents	2.6%	4.3%	4.1%	3.4%	

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Q20. Please indicate with whom you have a formal arrangement for collaborating. Check all that apply.

Question asked of FP/GPs only		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
FP - I have a formal arrangement for collaborating with the following	Formal arrangement with Psychiatric specialists	19.4%	12.7%	27.0%	16.4%
	Formal arrangement with Pediatric specialists	12.4%	9.5%	20.6%	11.1%
	Formal arrangement with Obstetrical/ gynecological specialists	15.2%	10.3%	25.2%	13.0%
	Formal arrangement with Internal specialists	14.1%	9.8%	26.4%	12.2%
	Formal arrangement with Surgical specialists	13.4%	10.6%	24.5%	12.1%
	Formal arrangement with Other specialists (answered by FPs)	3.6%	4.0%	6.1%	3.8%
	NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%
	No formal arrangements among FP respondents	71.2%	78.1%	64.6%	74.3%

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Q20. Please indicate with whom you have a formal arrangement for collaborating. Check all that apply.

<i>Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
ALL - I have a formal arrangement for collaborating with the following	Formal arrangement with Family physicians	24.3%	19.7%	25.2%	22.3%
	Formal arrangement with Nurse practitioners	12.0%	6.4%	12.4%	9.5%
	Formal arrangement with Psychiatric nurses	7.7%	5.1%	13.2%	6.5%
	Formal arrangement with Other nurses (RN, LPN, RPN)	18.0%	10.7%	22.8%	14.7%
	Formal arrangement with Physician assistants	2.2%	1.9%	2.6%	2.0%
	Formal arrangement with Dietitians/nutritionists	15.2%	11.4%	8.4%	13.5%
	Formal arrangement with Occupational therapists	11.5%	9.3%	9.4%	10.5%
	Formal arrangement with Physiotherapists	12.9%	10.8%	13.5%	12.0%
	Formal arrangement with Chiropractors	4.7%	3.9%	.6%	4.3%
	Formal arrangement with Psychologists	10.7%	9.3%	5.9%	10.1%
	Formal arrangement with Mental health counselors	12.1%	7.8%	11.8%	10.2%
	Formal arrangement with Addiction counselors	8.0%	6.9%	5.8%	7.5%
	Formal arrangement with Social workers	15.4%	10.5%	21.5%	13.2%
	Formal arrangement with Pharmacists	11.9%	9.3%	21.4%	10.7%
	Formal arrangement with Midwives	2.5%	1.9%	.7%	2.2%
	Formal arrangement with Speech-language pathologists	7.7%	6.4%	4.4%	7.1%
	Formal arrangement with Chiroprodists	4.6%	4.4%	1.7%	4.5%
	Formal arrangement with Complementary/ alternative medicine providers	2.4%	2.0%	.0%	2.2%
	NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%
No formal arrangements among all respondents	50.9%	60.3%	52.0%	55.1%	

Notes:

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Q20. Please indicate with whom you do not collaborate. Check all that apply.

<i>Question asked of FP/GPs only</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
FP - I do not collaborate with the following	No collaboration with Psychiatric specialists	11.5%	10.0%	4.7%	10.8%
	No collaboration with Pediatric specialists	17.1%	19.0%	7.8%	18.0%
	No collaboration with Obstetrical/ gynecological specialists	11.2%	12.7%	2.5%	11.9%
	No collaboration with Internal specialists	9.1%	9.7%	2.0%	9.4%
	No collaboration with Surgical specialists	8.6%	8.0%	2.3%	8.3%
	No collaboration with Other specialists (answered by FPs)	10.9%	11.1%	7.9%	11.0%
	NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%
	No collaboration at all among FP respondents	73.0%	70.9%	83.7%	72.1%

Notes:

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Q20. Please indicate with whom you do not collaborate. Check all that apply.

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
ALL - I do not collaborate with the following	No collaboration with Family physicians	3.1%	5.8%	2.9%	4.3%
	No collaboration with Nurse practitioners	45.3%	40.8%	47.0%	43.3%
	No collaboration with Psychiatric nurses	43.9%	36.9%	30.4%	40.8%
	No collaboration with Other nurses (RN, LPN, RPN)	14.3%	17.8%	4.4%	15.8%
	No collaboration with Physician assistants	58.8%	50.6%	61.0%	55.1%
	No collaboration with Dietitians/nutritionists	5.4%	6.8%	7.0%	6.1%
	No collaboration with Occupational therapists	23.9%	17.8%	37.9%	21.2%
	No collaboration with Physiotherapists	11.6%	9.1%	23.7%	10.5%
	No collaboration with Chiropractors	45.0%	37.9%	55.8%	41.8%
	No collaboration with Psychologists	26.1%	19.9%	44.0%	23.4%
	No collaboration with Mental health counselors	30.4%	27.0%	29.6%	28.9%
	No collaboration with Addiction counselors	38.4%	30.7%	45.4%	34.9%
	No collaboration with Social workers	17.8%	16.6%	10.7%	17.3%
	No collaboration with Pharmacists	7.1%	6.0%	7.3%	6.6%
	No collaboration with Midwives	56.4%	50.0%	63.2%	53.5%
	No collaboration with Speech-language pathologists	35.7%	30.5%	54.3%	33.3%
	No collaboration with Chiropractors	47.7%	38.4%	60.7%	43.5%
	No collaboration with complementary/alternative medicine providers	56.9%	48.0%	64.0%	52.9%
NR to questions above	.8%	2.1%	.6%	1.4%	
No collaboration at all among all respondents	27.7%	33.9%	26.9%	30.4%	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

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Q21. When collaborating with other professionals to provide patient care, do you: (Check ALL that apply)

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2025 N=15992	non-CCFP n=1736 N=12747	CCFP(EM)* n=175 N=1459	Total n=3761 N=28739
		%	%	%	%
	Consult by telephone	92.1%	87.6%	96.8%	90.1%
	Discuss patients/ clinical issues electronically	19.6%	20.7%	14.9%	20.1%
	Meet together to review patients/ clinical problems	58.4%	53.0%	63.8%	56.0%
	Provide a consultation/ opinion without seeing the patient in person	36.3%	29.9%	41.2%	33.5%
	Share patient care decisions	84.8%	81.1%	81.0%	83.1%
	Discuss new evidence and its applicability to your patients	75.7%	72.2%	78.1%	74.1%
	Review adverse events/ critical incidents together	63.7%	62.6%	74.7%	63.2%
	Participate in joint educational activities	63.6%	62.8%	64.8%	63.2%
	Feel this working relationship improves the care your patients receive	92.7%	91.9%	93.1%	92.3%
	Feel this working relationship enhances the care you can deliver	91.5%	90.1%	92.0%	90.9%
	NR	1.4%	1.6%	1.8%	1.5%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they collaborate with other professionals.

NR=No Response.

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Q22. What languages do you speak with your patients?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Languages spoken with patients	English	90.6%	86.8%	96.5%	88.9%
	French	32.7%	32.8%	28.9%	32.8%
	Other	14.2%	20.4%	9.9%	17.0%
	NR	1.1%	1.7%	.0%	1.4%

Notes:

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This question was asked only of those respondents who completed the long questionnaire.

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Q22. What languages do you speak with your patients: Other.

Among all Family Physicians: The languages other than English and French that were most frequently indicated include: Spanish, German, Italian, and Chinese.

Notes:

This question was asked only of respondents completing the long questionnaire.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca.

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Q23ai. Typically, if a patient contacts your office or is referred to you URGENTLY, how many days would that patient wait until the first available appointment with you or your practice.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Wait for urgent referral: number of days	One day or less	63.5%	66.5%	39.4%	64.9%
	More than one day, up to one week	14.1%	13.6%	4.4%	13.8%
	More than one week, up to 2 weeks	1.0%	1.0%	.6%	1.0%
	More than two weeks	.6%	.8%	.0%	.7%
	Unsure	2.3%	1.8%	1.4%	2.1%
	Not applicable	14.1%	11.2%	49.0%	12.8%
	NR	4.4%	5.2%	5.2%	4.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

* CCFP (EM) respondents are also included in the CCFP column . The last column showing the total number of family physicians captures these respondents once.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca .

Q23ai. Mean number of days that a patient contacting your office urgently or referred to you urgently, will wait until the first available appointment with you or your practice.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=4220 N=12611	non-CCFP n=3770 N=11047	CCFP(EM)* n=206 N=663	Total n=7990 N=23658
Wait for urgent referral: number of days	Mean	.96	1.13	.49	1.04
	Median	.00	.00	.00	.00
	Mode	.00	.00	.00	.00
	Standard Deviation	3.37	6.59	1.70	5.13
	Minimum	.00	.00	.00	.00
	Maximum	90.00	180.00	14.00	180.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated number of days.

NR=No Response.

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Q23a.ii. Typically, if a patient contacts your office or is referred to you NON-URGENTLY, how many weeks would that patient wait until the first available appointment with you or your practice?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Wait for non-urgent referral	Up to 1 week	39.3%	43.6%	19.9%	41.3%
	More than 1 week, up to 2 weeks	14.7%	13.0%	4.6%	13.9%
	More than 2 weeks, up to 4 weeks	10.3%	11.2%	4.2%	10.7%
	More than 4 weeks, up to 6 weeks	4.5%	4.2%	1.4%	4.4%
	More than 6 weeks, up to 2 months	3.0%	3.2%	.6%	3.1%
	More than 2 months, up to 3 months	3.1%	3.2%	.4%	3.1%
	More than 3 months, up to 6 months	1.3%	1.6%	.6%	1.4%
	More than 6 months	.7%	.9%	.2%	.8%
	Unsure	2.8%	2.2%	1.7%	2.5%
	Not applicable	14.8%	10.0%	56.1%	12.6%
	NR	5.6%	6.8%	10.3%	6.2%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

* CCFP (EM) respondents are also included in the CCFP column . The last column showing the total number of family physicians captures these respondents once.

The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca .

Q23a.ii. Mean number of weeks that a patient contacting your office non-urgently or referred to you non-urgently, will wait until the first available appointment with you or your practice.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=4109 N=12239	non-CCFP n=3733 N=10925	CCFP(EM)* n=151 N=477	Total n=7842 N=23163
Wait for non-urgent referral	Mean	2.67	2.82	1.98	2.74
	Median	1.00	1.00	.00	1.00
	Mode	.00	.00	.00	.00
	Standard Deviation	5.87	7.76	5.01	6.82
	Minimum	.00	.00	.00	.00
	Maximum	130.00	192.00	48.00	192.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated number of weeks.

NR=No Response.

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Q23b. To what extent is your practice accepting new patients into your MAIN patient care setting? Please check only ONE.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Extent to which your practice is accepting new patients	No restrictions; practice is open to all new patients	15.6%	25.7%	17.5%	20.2%
	Partially closed.	43.7%	39.6%	12.4%	41.8%
	Completely closed	16.5%	16.0%	7.5%	16.3%
	Does not apply to my practice setting	22.0%	15.7%	59.2%	19.1%
	NR	2.2%	3.0%	3.5%	2.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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Q23b. If your practice is partially closed, please estimate the number of new patients you accepted into your practice in the last 12 months.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2366 N=6972	non-CCFP n=1855 N=5344	CCFP(EM)* n=60 N=185	Total n=4221 N=12316
		%	%	%	%
Estimated number of new patients in past 12 months	Up to 10	13.9%	10.8%	15.4%	12.6%
	More than 10, up to 20	22.3%	24.2%	24.4%	23.1%
	More than 20, up to 30	14.5%	14.8%	13.1%	14.6%
	More than 30, up to 50	17.8%	19.9%	11.4%	18.7%
	More than 50, Up to 100	13.0%	13.1%	18.3%	13.0%
	More than 100, up to 200	5.7%	4.9%	6.7%	5.4%
	More than 200, up to 500	3.8%	2.4%	10.7%	3.2%
	More than 500	1.2%	1.0%	.0%	1.1%
	NR	7.8%	8.8%	.0%	8.2%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that their practice was partially closed.

NR=No Response.

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Q23b. If your practice is partially closed, mean number of new patients accepted into your practice in the last 12 months.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2176 N=6429	non-CCFP n=1692 N=4875	CCFP(EM)* n=60 N=185	Total n=3868 N=11304
Estimated number of new patients in past 12 months	Mean	66.11	62.68	71.60	64.63
	Median	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
	Mode	20.00	20.00	100.00	20.00
	Standard Deviation	122.39	137.79	82.41	129.26
	Minimum	1.00	1.00	5.00	1.00
	Maximum	2000.00	2000.00	300.00	2000.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero patients.

NR=No Response.

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Q24. What do you see as major impediments to your delivery of care to your patients? Please check all that apply.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Impediments to your delivery of care to your patients	System funding	55.0%	48.5%	68.6%	52.0%
	Payment mechanisms	29.0%	23.0%	25.7%	26.3%
	Paperwork	59.2%	54.1%	39.9%	56.9%
	Bureaucracy	46.7%	47.6%	47.9%	47.1%
	Availability of personnel	46.9%	37.4%	64.9%	42.5%
	External demands on your time	42.2%	35.1%	28.8%	39.0%
	Availability of test results	18.3%	16.3%	18.1%	17.4%
	Availability of relevant patient information at the point of care	23.3%	17.2%	26.3%	20.5%
	Computer and communications technology that are not compatible with needs	24.0%	18.4%	24.5%	21.4%
	Lack of evidence-based clinical information	4.4%	4.5%	2.6%	4.5%
	Lack of appropriate facilities to care for complex/ elderly/ failing patients	47.1%	42.4%	60.2%	44.9%
	Poor inter-personal communications with family physicians	4.8%	3.4%	9.8%	4.1%
	Poor inter-personal communications with other specialists	21.4%	17.4%	19.3%	19.6%
	Poor inter-personal communications with other allied health professionals	7.0%	5.9%	5.8%	6.5%
	Other impediments	14.2%	12.7%	20.2%	13.5%
NR	2.7%	4.8%	3.2%	3.7%	

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National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q25a. Please rate the accessibility to the following for your patients.

Question asked of FP/GPs only		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Other specialist physicians in general	Excellent	6.2%	7.8%	13.6%	6.9%
	Very good	18.4%	15.7%	31.1%	17.2%
	Good	32.8%	32.5%	25.7%	32.7%
	Fair	27.3%	24.6%	14.7%	26.1%
	Poor	8.7%	12.0%	5.8%	10.2%
	Don't know	1.3%	1.6%	1.2%	1.4%
	NR	5.3%	5.8%	7.9%	5.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Obstetricians/ Gynecologists	Excellent	11.5%	9.4%	21.8%	10.6%
	Very good	25.9%	22.2%	31.8%	24.3%
	Good	30.6%	29.5%	23.4%	30.1%
	Fair	16.5%	17.3%	9.2%	16.8%
	Poor	6.1%	6.5%	6.0%	6.3%
	Don't know	4.7%	8.0%	1.8%	6.2%
	NR	4.8%	7.0%	6.1%	5.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Pediatricians/Pediatric specialists	Excellent	12.2%	9.9%	26.4%	11.1%
	Very good	25.2%	22.2%	28.7%	23.9%
	Good	31.2%	28.8%	21.8%	30.1%
	Fair	14.3%	14.2%	10.2%	14.2%
	Poor	5.7%	6.7%	4.1%	6.1%
	Don't know	8.1%	12.3%	5.5%	10.0%
	NR	3.3%	6.0%	3.2%	4.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Orthopedic surgeons	Excellent	6.7%	5.3%	18.1%	6.1%
	Very good	11.9%	11.4%	25.9%	11.7%
	Good	21.8%	18.7%	23.6%	20.4%
	Fair	26.6%	23.5%	14.3%	25.2%
	Poor	27.8%	32.5%	12.7%	29.9%
	Don't know	2.1%	4.6%	1.2%	3.2%
	NR	3.1%	4.1%	4.2%	3.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Ophthalmologists	Excellent	6.6%	6.0%	12.5%	6.3%
	Very good	15.7%	14.7%	21.7%	15.3%
	Good	29.8%	27.8%	32.3%	28.9%
	Fair	25.9%	23.6%	14.4%	24.9%
	Poor	16.6%	17.3%	13.7%	16.9%
	Don't know	2.6%	5.6%	1.2%	3.9%
	NR	2.9%	5.0%	4.2%	3.9%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q25a. Please rate the accessibility to the following for your patients. (continued).

Question asked of FP/GPs only		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Psychiatrists	Excellent	4.7%	5.4%	12.2%	5.0%
	Very good	9.1%	10.1%	17.0%	9.5%
	Good	16.4%	16.8%	22.0%	16.6%
	Fair	22.3%	20.7%	18.3%	21.6%
	Poor	43.2%	40.3%	24.5%	41.9%
	Don't know	1.5%	3.3%	.5%	2.3%
	NR	2.9%	3.6%	5.4%	3.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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NR=No Response.

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Q25a. Please rate the accessibility of the following for your patients.

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Psychosocial support services	Excellent	6.1%	5.3%	11.3%	5.7%
	Very good	12.8%	11.6%	16.6%	12.3%
	Good	23.9%	23.9%	26.5%	23.9%
	Fair	26.4%	24.7%	22.0%	25.6%
	Poor	25.5%	23.5%	16.2%	24.6%
	Don't know	2.6%	6.0%	2.6%	4.1%
	NR	2.6%	5.0%	4.8%	3.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mental health counselor services	Excellent	5.1%	3.2%	8.1%	4.2%
	Very good	10.3%	8.7%	15.4%	9.6%
	Good	19.7%	18.7%	22.9%	19.3%
	Fair	25.2%	26.5%	26.1%	25.8%
	Poor	23.8%	23.5%	9.9%	23.7%
	Don't know	12.0%	13.4%	12.9%	12.6%
	NR	3.8%	6.1%	4.7%	4.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Addiction counselor services	Excellent	3.6%	2.2%	2.5%	3.0%
	Very good	8.2%	8.3%	8.6%	8.3%
	Good	21.8%	20.8%	20.2%	21.4%
	Fair	26.6%	22.7%	24.2%	24.9%
	Poor	20.7%	21.6%	20.2%	21.1%
	Don't know	15.7%	17.9%	19.4%	16.7%
	NR	3.3%	6.5%	4.8%	4.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cancer care services	Excellent	10.3%	9.8%	10.2%	10.1%
	Very good	27.5%	25.7%	24.8%	26.7%
	Good	34.9%	30.8%	33.7%	33.1%
	Fair	14.1%	15.9%	10.9%	14.9%
	Poor	3.7%	4.2%	7.2%	3.9%
	Don't know	6.2%	7.8%	8.4%	6.9%
	NR	3.3%	5.7%	4.8%	4.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cardiac care services	Excellent	10.1%	9.2%	20.9%	9.7%
	Very good	27.4%	26.0%	28.0%	26.8%
	Good	35.8%	34.4%	26.5%	35.2%
	Fair	15.3%	14.5%	11.3%	15.0%
	Poor	3.6%	5.2%	4.8%	4.3%
	Don't know	4.6%	5.3%	3.5%	4.9%
	NR	3.1%	5.5%	5.0%	4.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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Q25a. Please rate the accessibility of the following for your patients. (continued).

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Palliative care services	Excellent	13.0%	11.3%	10.9%	12.2%
	Very good	26.4%	24.2%	22.2%	25.4%
	Good	31.5%	27.4%	39.1%	29.7%
	Fair	13.1%	14.1%	11.2%	13.5%
	Poor	4.7%	6.4%	4.3%	5.5%
	Don't know	7.8%	10.1%	6.2%	8.8%
	NR	3.6%	6.5%	6.1%	4.9%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Operating room time	Excellent	2.2%	2.2%	3.3%	2.2%
	Very good	6.2%	5.7%	11.8%	6.0%
	Good	16.7%	15.3%	23.6%	16.1%
	Fair	22.0%	19.6%	22.0%	20.9%
	Poor	18.4%	19.6%	13.9%	19.0%
	Don't know	30.1%	29.9%	19.7%	30.0%
	NR	4.3%	7.7%	5.7%	5.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Anesthesia services	Excellent	5.5%	4.0%	9.8%	4.8%
	Very good	12.2%	13.1%	19.7%	12.6%
	Good	22.7%	20.2%	36.5%	21.6%
	Fair	16.1%	14.8%	9.4%	15.5%
	Poor	7.6%	9.2%	4.9%	8.3%
	Don't know	30.5%	30.8%	11.5%	30.6%
	NR	5.5%	7.9%	8.2%	6.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Emergency room/department services	Excellent	12.5%	9.3%	28.3%	11.1%
	Very good	21.8%	23.7%	20.9%	22.6%
	Good	28.1%	26.7%	25.3%	27.5%
	Fair	19.6%	17.2%	8.4%	18.5%
	Poor	12.6%	12.6%	11.2%	12.6%
	Don't know	2.2%	5.3%	.5%	3.6%
	NR	3.2%	5.2%	5.5%	4.1%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
In-home nursing services	Excellent	3.7%	3.8%	4.3%	3.8%
	Very good	14.0%	15.6%	10.7%	14.7%
	Good	29.5%	28.1%	26.1%	28.8%
	Fair	24.9%	22.0%	27.3%	23.6%
	Poor	12.6%	10.4%	14.1%	11.6%
	Don't know	12.1%	13.0%	12.0%	12.5%
	NR	3.3%	7.1%	5.5%	5.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q25a. Please rate the accessibility of the following for your patients. (continued).

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Critical care beds	Excellent	3.6%	3.1%	7.0%	3.4%
	Very good	11.4%	11.0%	13.7%	11.3%
	Good	22.9%	21.5%	31.2%	22.3%
	Fair	20.8%	18.8%	22.6%	19.9%
	Poor	12.1%	13.6%	17.1%	12.8%
	Don't know	25.0%	24.9%	3.5%	24.9%
	NR	4.2%	7.1%	4.9%	5.5%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Long-term care beds	Excellent	.5%	1.1%	.3%	.7%
	Very good	3.2%	4.0%	5.1%	3.6%
	Good	10.5%	10.6%	6.3%	10.6%
	Fair	26.4%	24.9%	26.7%	25.7%
	Poor	42.4%	37.9%	50.8%	40.4%
	Don't know	12.9%	14.8%	5.8%	13.7%
	NR	4.1%	6.7%	5.1%	5.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hospital in-patient care on an urgent basis	Excellent	8.7%	7.2%	4.0%	8.1%
	Very good	18.1%	18.0%	19.3%	18.0%
	Good	24.0%	23.8%	19.0%	23.9%
	Fair	20.9%	18.3%	21.7%	19.7%
	Poor	13.7%	13.1%	25.1%	13.4%
	Don't know	11.2%	14.2%	6.1%	12.5%
	NR	3.4%	5.5%	4.8%	4.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hospital care for elective procedures	Excellent	1.8%	2.3%	2.1%	2.0%
	Very good	7.2%	8.6%	10.5%	7.8%
	Good	21.8%	21.6%	18.6%	21.7%
	Fair	29.1%	26.5%	20.2%	27.9%
	Poor	20.3%	20.3%	22.2%	20.3%
	Don't know	15.1%	12.8%	20.2%	14.0%
	NR	4.7%	8.0%	6.1%	6.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Routine diagnostic services	Excellent	16.1%	14.5%	18.3%	15.4%
	Very good	34.2%	29.8%	37.7%	32.2%
	Good	31.2%	31.0%	27.4%	31.1%
	Fair	11.7%	12.9%	7.9%	12.2%
	Poor	2.7%	5.1%	2.2%	3.7%
	Don't know	1.0%	2.0%	1.7%	1.5%
	NR	3.2%	4.8%	4.7%	3.9%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q25a. Please rate the accessibility of the following for your patients. (continued).

Question asked of FP/GPs and other specialists		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Advanced diagnostic services	Excellent	4.5%	3.7%	10.4%	4.1%
	Very good	11.8%	10.3%	18.8%	11.2%
	Good	23.0%	21.7%	31.7%	22.4%
	Fair	31.7%	26.9%	22.0%	29.5%
	Poor	24.1%	30.1%	9.9%	26.8%
	Don't know	1.5%	2.2%	1.7%	1.8%
	NR	3.4%	5.1%	5.6%	4.1%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Drugs and appliances	Excellent	6.6%	6.9%	6.8%	6.7%
	Very good	22.5%	23.4%	25.2%	22.9%
	Good	40.1%	37.1%	40.5%	38.7%
	Fair	19.1%	18.3%	11.5%	18.8%
	Poor	3.6%	3.2%	1.6%	3.4%
	Don't know	4.4%	4.6%	9.3%	4.5%
	NR	3.7%	6.4%	5.0%	4.9%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Home care	Excellent	3.7%	3.5%	5.4%	3.6%
	Very good	15.6%	15.5%	16.9%	15.6%
	Good	33.8%	32.9%	30.3%	33.4%
	Fair	25.2%	24.3%	24.0%	24.8%
	Poor	11.1%	9.8%	14.1%	10.5%
	Don't know	6.8%	8.1%	4.4%	7.4%
	NR	3.9%	5.8%	4.8%	4.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Occupational therapy services	Excellent	2.6%	3.3%	1.6%	2.9%
	Very good	11.0%	12.4%	12.0%	11.6%
	Good	25.6%	27.2%	23.6%	26.3%
	Fair	27.3%	26.0%	24.6%	26.7%
	Poor	18.2%	14.4%	12.4%	16.5%
	Don't know	11.9%	11.4%	21.6%	11.7%
	NR	3.3%	5.4%	4.2%	4.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Physiotherapy services	Excellent	5.5%	6.9%	3.1%	6.1%
	Very good	18.5%	18.9%	15.3%	18.7%
	Good	28.9%	29.8%	25.1%	29.3%
	Fair	23.6%	20.6%	25.7%	22.3%
	Poor	16.0%	13.9%	13.2%	15.0%
	Don't know	4.1%	5.2%	13.0%	4.6%
	NR	3.4%	4.8%	4.6%	4.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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Q25b. Please indicate if there are other important access issues for your patients.

Among all Family Physicians: Twenty-six percent of respondents indicated other important access issues for their patients when given the opportunity. The issues most often indicated include: uninsured paramedical services (especially physiotherapy and mental health care), the shortage of family physicians, travel distance and expense for patients to get to appointments, the difficulty accessing advanced diagnostic services (e.g. MRI, CT).

Notes:

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Q26. The following statements address the role of alternative/complementary medicine in health services. Please check the category that best describes your opinion for each of the following:

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Alternative/ complementary medicine includes ideas and methods from which conventional medicine could benefit.	Strongly agree	9.2%	6.9%	5.4%	8.2%
	Agree	39.6%	33.8%	31.6%	37.0%
	Neutral	36.2%	39.0%	40.6%	37.5%
	Disagree	9.5%	12.2%	12.8%	10.7%
	Strongly disagree	3.3%	5.6%	6.5%	4.3%
	NR	2.2%	2.5%	3.2%	2.3%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Treatments not tested in a scientifically recognized manner should be discouraged.	Strongly agree	17.3%	24.0%	20.7%	20.3%
	Agree	38.5%	37.5%	42.7%	38.1%
	Neutral	30.1%	26.1%	28.8%	28.3%
	Disagree	10.4%	8.1%	5.1%	9.4%
	Strongly disagree	1.1%	2.1%	.0%	1.5%
	NR	2.6%	2.1%	2.7%	2.4%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Alternative/ complementary medicine is a threat to public health.	Strongly agree	2.5%	3.5%	5.8%	3.0%
	Agree	11.8%	13.9%	8.5%	12.7%
	Neutral	34.9%	40.5%	43.5%	37.4%
	Disagree	41.3%	32.9%	34.4%	37.6%
	Strongly disagree	7.1%	6.1%	4.4%	6.6%
	NR	2.4%	3.1%	3.5%	2.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

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Q27. What arrangements do you have for care of your patients in your main patient care setting outside of your usual office hours?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=1945 N=15390	non-CCFP n=1708 N=12573	CCFP(EM)* n=136 N=1179	Total n=3653 N=27963
		%	%	%	%
Arrangements for care of patients in your MAIN patient care setting outside of usual office hours	Arrangements/ direction provided	86.1%	85.0%	50.6%	85.6%
	No arrangements/ direction provided	8.6%	11.0%	30.1%	9.7%
	NR	5.3%	4.0%	19.3%	4.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care and whose patient care setting does not provide 24/7 service.

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Q27. What arrangements do you have for care of your patients in your main patient care setting outside of your usual office hours?

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=1688 N=13246	non-CCFP n=1454 N=10685	CCFP(EM)* n=70 N=597	Total n=3142 N=23931
		%	%	%	%
Arrangements provided for the care of your patients outside usual office hours (LOUTHRS)	Extended office hours regularly	34.8%	32.0%	27.2%	33.5%
	After-hours clinic that is staffed by you or other providers in your practice	39.4%	33.5%	26.2%	36.7%
	Individualized 24/7 medical telephone advice where provider HAS access to patient medical records	14.0%	11.1%	8.3%	12.7%
	Individualized 24/7 medical telephone advice where provider DOES NOT HAVE access to patient medical records	29.8%	27.0%	26.1%	28.6%
	Directed to call regional/ provincial/ territorial 24/7 telehealth or telephone advice line	44.8%	36.6%	35.6%	41.1%
	Directed to call a housecall service	5.5%	7.3%	2.6%	6.3%
	Directed to go to a walk-in clinic/after-hours clinic that YOU DO NOT STAFF	21.6%	25.6%	13.3%	23.4%
	Directed to go to the emergency department	50.1%	55.0%	61.3%	52.3%
	Other arrangements for care outside office hours	9.4%	9.1%	9.4%	9.2%
	NR	1.6%	1.4%	1.9%	1.5%

Notes:

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Q27. Number of extended office hours per week.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=573 N=4607	non-CCFP n=454 N=3421	CCFP(EM)* n=19 N=163	Total n=1027 N=8028
		%	%	%	%
Number of hours/ week extended hours (grouped)	Up to 5 hrs/week	25.2%	21.3%	**	23.5%
	More than 5, up to 10	14.9%	25.0%	**	19.2%
	More than 10, up to 15	16.5%	15.8%	**	16.2%
	More than 15, up to 20	13.1%	8.0%	**	10.9%
	More than 20	13.8%	12.8%	**	13.4%
	NR	16.5%	17.1%	**	16.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	**	100.0%

Notes:

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Q27. Mean number of extended office hours per week.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=479 N=3846	non-CCFP n=373 N=2836	CCFP(EM)* n=11 N=93	Total n=852 N=6681
No. of extended hours per week	Mean	12.79	12.44	**	12.64
	Median	12.00	10.00	**	10.00
	Mode	15.00	10.00	**	15.00
	Standard Deviation	9.42	9.75	**	9.56
	Minimum	1.00	1.50	**	1.00
	Maximum	58.00	60.00	**	60.00

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Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero hours.

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Q28a. Please indicate if you provide care for the following patient populations.

<i>I (physician) provide care</i>	Family Physicians			All FPs
	CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
	%	%	%	%
Neonates (<1 month): I provide care	72.3%	56.2%	77.0%	64.9%
Infants (1-12 months): I provide care	78.8%	65.4%	82.1%	72.7%
Children (1-11 years): I provide care	83.7%	73.1%	84.6%	78.9%
Adolescents (12-19 years): I provide care	87.8%	81.6%	89.8%	84.9%
Women: I provide care	92.8%	88.7%	92.2%	90.9%
Pregnant women: I provide care	68.7%	52.1%	82.8%	61.1%
Men: I provide care	92.3%	88.4%	91.7%	90.5%
Seniors (65+ years): I provide care	91.1%	87.8%	90.0%	89.6%
Aboriginal peoples: I provide care	68.3%	65.7%	80.7%	67.1%
Ethnic minorities: I provide care	81.0%	77.4%	89.4%	79.3%
Recent immigrants: I provide care	69.8%	67.8%	83.2%	68.9%
People living in poverty: I provide care	79.8%	76.4%	87.1%	78.3%
Patients with respiratory problems: I provide care	91.9%	84.5%	90.6%	88.5%
Patients with hypertension: I provide care	91.5%	84.6%	90.5%	88.4%
Patients with diabetes: I provide care	91.7%	85.1%	91.4%	88.7%
Patients with heart disease/ conditions: I provide care	91.6%	84.3%	91.0%	88.2%
Patients with chronic mental illness: I provide care	90.6%	81.1%	90.3%	86.2%
Patients with obesity: I provide care	90.8%	82.9%	91.4%	87.2%
Patients with cancer: I provide care	89.3%	81.0%	90.7%	85.5%
Patients with HIV/AIDS: I provide care	48.3%	39.9%	76.0%	44.5%
NR to 'I provide care'	.3%	.5%	.2%	.4%
NR to entire question	2.3%	2.9%	4.3%	2.6%

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Q28a. Please indicate if you provide care for the following patient populations.

<i>I (physician) provide care</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Respondent provides care for patients (LPOPCAR)	Homeless/ "street" people: I provide care	40.5%	37.3%	73.6%	39.1%
	Transient/ seasonal populations: I provide care	49.4%	48.2%	72.3%	48.9%
	Patients with addictions: I provide care	73.0%	60.6%	85.5%	67.5%
	Patients with permanent physical disabilities: I provide care	86.0%	77.7%	90.5%	82.3%
	Other: I provide care	6.5%	6.9%	13.9%	6.7%
	NR to entire question	6.4%	8.0%	5.3%	7.1%
	NR to 'I provide care'	1.6%	3.6%	.5%	2.5%

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Q28a. Please indicate if care for the following patient population is provided by other providers within your practice.

<i>Others within practice provide care</i>	Family Physicians			All FPs
	CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
	%	%	%	%
Neonates (<1 month): Others in practice provide care	29.4%	25.0%	19.8%	27.4%
Infants (1-12 months): Others in practice provide care	27.8%	22.8%	18.8%	25.5%
Children (1-11 years): Others in practice provide care	26.8%	21.5%	18.5%	24.4%
Adolescents (12-19 years): Others in practice provide care	26.9%	20.3%	17.2%	23.9%
Women: Others in practice provide care	26.8%	19.4%	17.0%	23.4%
Pregnant women: Others in practice provide care	32.5%	28.7%	20.6%	30.8%
Men: Others in practice provide care	26.6%	19.1%	17.7%	23.2%
Seniors (65+ years): Others in practice provide care	26.4%	19.1%	17.4%	23.1%
Aboriginal peoples: Others in practice provide care	19.4%	16.3%	16.1%	18.0%
Ethnic minorities: Others in practice provide care	23.3%	17.6%	17.4%	20.7%
Recent immigrants: Others in practice provide care	21.1%	16.6%	16.3%	19.0%
People living in poverty: Others in practice provide care	23.0%	17.4%	17.6%	20.5%
Patients with respiratory problems: Others in practice provide care	26.5%	19.6%	17.4%	23.3%
Patients with hypertension: Others in practice provide care	26.4%	19.1%	17.6%	23.1%
Patients with diabetes: Others in practice provide care	26.7%	19.3%	17.4%	23.3%
Patients with heart disease/ conditions: Others in practice provide care	26.5%	19.5%	17.6%	23.3%
Patients with chronic mental illness: Others in practice provide care	27.4%	21.3%	18.2%	24.6%
Patients with obesity: Others in practice provide care	26.3%	19.2%	17.4%	23.0%
Patients with cancer: Others in practice provide care	26.8%	20.6%	17.7%	24.0%
Patients with HIV/AIDS: Others in practice provide care	22.9%	22.7%	17.1%	22.8%
NR to entire question	2.3%	2.9%	4.3%	2.6%
NR to 'others provide care'	53.3%	53.2%	67.7%	53.2%

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Q28a. Please indicate if care for the following patient population is provided by other providers within your practice.

<i>Others within practice provide care</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Others in practice provide care for patients (LPOPCAR)	Homeless/ "street" people: Others in practice provide care	12.8%	15.9%	14.2%	14.2%
	Transient/ seasonal populations: Others in practice provide care	13.1%	15.7%	12.2%	14.2%
	Patients with addictions: Others in practice provide care	23.0%	24.5%	14.6%	23.6%
	Patients with permanent physical disabilities: Others in practice provide care	21.5%	19.6%	13.6%	20.7%
	Other: Others in practice provide care	1.7%	1.7%	3.3%	1.7%
	NR to entire question	6.4%	8.0%	5.3%	7.1%
	NR to 'others provide care'	64.3%	59.1%	77.5%	62.0%

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Q28a. Please indicate if this patient population represents more than 10% of your practice population.

<i>Patient population represents more than 10% of practice population</i>	Family Physicians			All FPs
	CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
	%	%	%	%
Neonates (<1 month) >10% of practice	4.4%	4.3%	2.3%	4.4%
Infants (1-12 months) >10% of practice	9.0%	6.8%	7.7%	8.0%
Children (1-11 years) >10% of practice	22.2%	16.6%	20.7%	19.6%
Adolescents (12-19 years) >10% of practice	17.1%	16.8%	15.9%	17.0%
Women >10% of practice	50.6%	43.3%	41.8%	47.2%
Pregnant women >10% of practice	8.5%	5.5%	4.4%	7.1%
Men >10% of practice	43.5%	39.6%	40.8%	41.7%
Seniors (65+ years) >10% of practice	47.4%	43.9%	46.1%	45.8%
Aboriginal peoples >10% of practice	6.9%	6.5%	7.1%	6.7%
Ethnic minorities >10% of practice	12.3%	10.3%	12.8%	11.4%
Recent immigrants >10% of practice	7.4%	5.5%	6.1%	6.5%
People living in poverty >10% of practice	12.6%	9.5%	16.0%	11.2%
Patients with respiratory problems >10% of practice	21.6%	19.1%	24.7%	20.5%
Patients with hypertension >10% of practice	34.1%	29.4%	26.5%	32.0%
Patients with diabetes >10% of practice	30.5%	26.7%	26.4%	28.7%
Patients with heart disease/conditions >10% of practice	27.1%	24.0%	27.0%	25.7%
Patients with chronic mental illness >10% of practice	17.4%	12.9%	17.8%	15.4%
Patients with obesity >10% of practice	24.3%	18.0%	20.1%	21.5%
Patients with cancer >10% of practice	8.2%	7.6%	11.0%	7.9%
Patients with HIV/AIDS >10% of practice	3.1%	2.3%	2.9%	2.7%
NR to entire question	2.3%	2.9%	4.3%	2.6%
NR to '>10% of practice'	32.4%	37.9%	42.9%	34.9%

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National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q28a. Please indicate if this patient population represents more than 10% of your practice population.

<i>Patient population represents more than 10% of practice population</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Patient population is > 10% of practice population (LPOPCAR)	Homeless/ "street" people >10% of practice	5.3%	3.3%	11.4%	4.4%
	Transient/ seasonal populations >10% of practice	5.4%	4.3%	6.2%	4.9%
	Patients with addictions >10% of practice	4.9%	4.8%	11.9%	4.8%
	Patients with permanent physical disabilities >10% of practice	4.0%	5.0%	3.6%	4.4%
	Other >10% of practice	1.4%	1.6%	2.8%	1.5%
	NR to entire question	6.4%	8.0%	5.3%	7.1%
	NR to '>10% of practice'	80.7%	80.5%	73.8%	80.6%

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Q28b. Please indicate if you offer the following to your patients.

<i>I (physician) offer</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Offered to your patients by yourself (COFFER)	Non-urgent health care: I offer	86.2%	88.8%	53.8%	87.4%
	Acute health care: I offer	86.6%	83.6%	73.6%	85.3%
	Emergency medicine: I offer	40.0%	38.3%	82.9%	39.2%
	Housecalls: I offer	49.3%	47.1%	16.3%	48.3%
	In-patient hospital care: I offer	43.2%	41.9%	25.8%	42.6%
	Intrapartum care: I offer	13.1%	8.7%	4.3%	11.1%
	Mental health care: I offer	72.9%	65.6%	50.2%	69.6%
	Palliative care: I offer	57.2%	51.6%	36.5%	54.6%
	Psychotherapy/ counseling: I offer	63.0%	60.9%	32.7%	62.0%
	NR to entire question	2.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.3%
	NR to 'I offer this'	.1%	.3%	.2%	.2%

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Q28b. Please indicate if you offer the following to your patients.

<i>I (physician) offer</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468	Total n=3841 N=29339
		%	%	%	%
Offered to your patients by yourself (GOFFER)	Alternative/ complementary medicine: I offer	6.6%	7.1%	2.3%	6.8%
	Anesthesia: I offer	5.1%	4.9%	18.4%	5.0%
	Community medicine/ public health services/ health promotion: I offer	34.2%	27.1%	22.9%	31.1%
	Cosmetic medicine: I offer	3.7%	4.0%	2.0%	3.8%
	Dermatology: I offer	40.5%	39.0%	16.6%	39.8%
	Gynecology: I offer	56.1%	48.0%	36.1%	52.5%
	Liaison to home care: I offer	54.1%	51.2%	35.6%	52.8%
	Hospitalist care: I offer	25.5%	20.6%	16.9%	23.3%
	Infectious disease care: I offer	53.9%	50.9%	41.8%	52.6%
	Legal/medico-legal consultations: I offer	12.3%	15.2%	9.0%	13.6%
	Nutritional counseling: I offer	42.2%	41.8%	18.0%	42.0%
	Occupational/ industrial medicine: I offer	16.1%	19.1%	15.2%	17.4%
	Pain management: I offer	63.9%	60.6%	45.1%	62.4%
	Rehabilitation medicine: I offer	16.5%	15.8%	7.1%	16.2%
	Sports medicine: I offer	29.1%	23.4%	23.9%	26.5%
	Substance abuse care: I offer	28.6%	24.2%	25.7%	26.6%
	Surgery: I offer	11.2%	13.6%	12.4%	12.3%
	Surgical assisting: I offer	18.9%	18.5%	12.7%	18.7%
	Travel/ tropical medicine: I offer	29.5%	26.0%	19.8%	27.9%
	Well child care: I offer	64.1%	52.0%	24.8%	58.7%
Other: I offer	3.5%	3.1%	2.6%	3.3%	
NR to entire question	7.9%	7.3%	28.7%	7.6%	
NR to 'I offer this'	1.4%	2.4%	4.1%	1.9%	

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Q28b. Please indicate if others within your practice offer the following to your patients.

<i>Others offer</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=5317 N=15940	non-CCFP n=4613 N=13495	CCFP(EM)* n=466 N=1493	Total n=9930 N=29434
		%	%	%	%
Offered by others in your practice (COFFER)	Non-urgent health care: Others offer	31.7%	24.3%	16.9%	28.3%
	Acute health care: Others offer	31.5%	25.8%	18.2%	28.9%
	Emergency medicine: Others offer	22.6%	25.1%	19.5%	23.7%
	Housecalls: Others offer	26.7%	18.1%	12.4%	22.7%
	In-patient hospital care: Others offer	25.8%	23.9%	18.0%	24.9%
	Intrapartum care: Others offer	25.2%	23.2%	15.5%	24.3%
	Mental health care: Others offer	31.5%	24.5%	19.9%	28.3%
	Palliative care: Others offer	29.1%	23.1%	19.2%	26.3%
	Psychotherapy/ counseling: Others offer	31.0%	25.3%	18.6%	28.4%
	NR to entire question	2.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.3%
	NR to 'others offer this'	43.8%	46.3%	59.7%	44.9%

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Q28b. Please indicate if others within your practice offer the following to your patients.

<i>Others offer</i>		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2054 N=16227 %	non-CCFP n=1787 N=13113 %	CCFP(EM)* n=176 N=1468 %	Total n=3841 N=29339 %
Offered by someone else in your practice (GOFFER)	Alternative/ complementary medicine: Others offer	13.3%	17.0%	6.3%	14.9%
	Anesthesia: Others offer	15.2%	21.4%	18.7%	18.0%
	Community medicine/ public health services/health promotion: Others offer	21.9%	23.4%	16.0%	22.6%
	Cosmetic medicine: Others offer	11.5%	16.9%	6.8%	13.9%
	Dermatology: Others offer	21.0%	21.1%	13.7%	21.0%
	Gynecology: Others offer	25.6%	22.9%	19.2%	24.4%
	Liaison to home care: Others offer	25.4%	21.2%	19.0%	23.5%
	Hospitalist care: Others offer	17.9%	21.4%	18.3%	19.4%
	Infectious disease care: Others offer	20.6%	19.5%	14.7%	20.1%
	Legal/medico-legal consultations: Others offer	11.8%	14.9%	8.9%	13.2%
	Nutritional counseling: Others offer	28.0%	25.8%	16.9%	27.1%
	Occupational/ industrial medicine: Others offer	14.8%	18.4%	12.1%	16.4%
	Pain management: Others offer	23.1%	21.0%	17.9%	22.1%
	Rehabilitation medicine: Others offer	14.4%	19.0%	11.2%	16.5%
	Sports medicine: Others offer	17.6%	17.9%	14.0%	17.7%
	Substance abuse care: Others offer	19.8%	20.5%	16.5%	20.1%
	Surgery: Others offer	19.5%	24.4%	16.9%	21.6%
	Surgical assisting: Others offer	16.3%	20.1%	16.7%	18.0%
	Travel/ tropical medicine: Others offer	17.6%	18.1%	13.9%	17.8%
	Well child care: Others offer	27.3%	23.9%	16.0%	25.8%
Other: Others offer	1.9%	1.5%	2.6%	1.7%	
NR to entire question	7.9%	7.3%	28.7%	7.6%	
NR to 'others offer this'	38.0%	39.7%	32.7%	38.8%	

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Q28b. Number of births attended per year if intrapartum care is offered.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=700 N=2082	non-CCFP n=394 N=1180	CCFP(EM)* n=21 N=64	Total n=1094 N=3262
		%	%		%
Number of births per year, grouped	Up to 10	8.7%	10.8%	**	9.5%
	More than 10, up to 25	21.9%	17.7%	**	20.4%
	More than 25, up to 50	28.2%	22.1%	**	26.0%
	More than 50, up to 75	9.0%	8.2%	**	8.7%
	More than 75, up to 100	9.6%	8.8%	**	9.3%
	More than 100, up to 150	5.3%	4.8%	**	5.1%
	More than 150, up to 200	2.0%	1.2%	**	1.7%
	More than 200	1.3%	2.1%	**	1.6%
	No Response. Respondent indicated that they do intrapartum care, but did not indicate the number of births attended/yr.	13.9%	24.2%	**	17.6%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	**	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that intrapartum care is offered to patients.

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Q28b. Mean number of births attended per year if intrapartum care is offered.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=602 N=1792	non-CCFP n=299 N=895	CCFP(EM)* n=15 N=45	Total n=901 N=2687
Number of births attended per year	Mean	53.01	54.09	**	53.37
	Median	40.00	40.00	**	40.00
	Mode	50.00	50.00	**	50.00
	Standard Deviation	49.98	54.53	**	51.53
	Minimum	1.00	1.00	**	1.00
	Maximum	300.00	300.00	**	300.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated number of births attended per year.

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