

## National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Clinical Specialists - Internal Medicine.

### Q30a. Do you do on-call?

		Internal Medicine Specialists											Total n=1713 N=5250
		Cardio n=218 N=708	EndoMet n=101 N=308	Gastro n=134 N=429	Geriat n=72 N=216	Hema n=81 N=245	Immun n=37 N=109	IntMed n=575 N=1687	MedOnc n=89 N=279	Nephro n=125 N=383	Respir n=182 N=579	Rheuma n=99 N=306	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Does on-call	Yes	80.4%	71.4%	85.9%	72.9%	76.3%	52.5%	71.7%	93.8%	91.9%	87.8%	63.8%	77.9%
	No	15.5%	24.0%	8.8%	23.7%	18.6%	42.3%	22.6%	5.1%	4.6%	8.5%	29.8%	17.5%
	NR	4.1%	4.6%	5.2%	3.4%	5.1%	5.2%	5.7%	1.1%	3.5%	3.7%	6.4%	4.7%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

NR=No Response.

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

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### Q30c. Please estimate how many of your on-call hours each month are actually spent in direct patient care.

		Internal Medicine Specialists											Total n=1303 N=4088
		Cardio n=173 N=569	EndoMet n=70 N=220	Gastro n=115 N=369	Geriat n=52 N=157	Hema n=61 N=187	Immun n=19 N=57	IntMed n=395 N=1210	MedOnc n=83 N=262	Nephro n=114 N=353	Respir n=158 N=508	Rheuma n=63 N=195	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
No. of on-call hours each month actually spent in direct patient care	Up to 10 hours/month	15.5%	29.0%	10.7%	39.5%	31.0%	**	14.1%	35.9%	13.2%	16.0%	40.5%	20.2%
	More than 10, up to 40	48.8%	45.6%	38.3%	37.9%	39.4%	**	35.7%	35.0%	44.8%	35.0%	36.1%	38.8%
	More than 40	29.8%	16.5%	42.7%	12.6%	19.1%	**	42.3%	19.2%	35.8%	41.9%	15.8%	33.1%
	NR or zero hours	5.9%	8.9%	8.2%	10.0%	10.5%	**	7.9%	9.9%	6.2%	7.1%	7.6%	7.8%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	**	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

#### Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they provide on-call.

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\*\* Results are suppressed when there are fewer than 30 respondents.

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### Q30c. Mean number of on-call hours each month actually spent in direct patient care.

		Internal Medicine Specialists											Total n=1198 N=3767
		Cardio n=163 N=535	EndoMet n=63 N=200	Gastro n=105 N=339	Geriat n=47 N=142	Hema n=54 N=168	Immun n=16 N=50	IntMed n=363 N=1115	MedOnc n=75 N=236	Nephro n=107 N=331	Respir n=147 N=472	Rheuma n=58 N=180	
No. of on-call hours each month actually spent in direct patient care	Mean	42.90	26.51	49.30	22.28	34.68	**	58.10	31.94	45.27	64.70	33.16	47.32
	Median	30.00	20.00	36.00	12.00	18.00	**	40.00	15.00	30.00	40.00	20.00	30.00
	Mode	20.00	20.00	50.00	20.00	20.00	**	20.00	4.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
	Standard Deviation	44.02	25.09	43.88	25.58	46.69	**	56.31	48.66	46.71	77.97	60.20	54.64
	Minimum	2.00	.50	1.00	1.00	1.00	**	.20	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	.20
	Maximum	454.00	150.00	280.00	123.00	200.00	**	336.00	300.00	350.00	576.00	372.00	576.00

**Notes:**

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero on-call work hours.

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