

National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Surgical Specialists.

Q32b. In the last year, have you volunteered your services as a physician (e.g., camp doctor, international aid, etc.)?

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=797 N=6477
		CVTSurg n=25 N=203	GenSurg n=173 N=1465	Neuro Surg n=24 N=179	ObGyn n=187 N=1460	Ophthal n=112 N=905	OrthoSurg n=120 N=996	Oto n=58 N=453	Plastic n=41 N=346	Uro n=57 N=470	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Volunteered services as a physician	Yes	**	7.5%	**	8.0%	8.0%	10.2%	3.1%	9.2%	10.0%	8.0%
	No	**	82.8%	**	86.8%	87.4%	78.0%	86.2%	89.3%	77.9%	84.3%
	NR	**	9.7%	**	5.2%	4.5%	11.7%	10.7%	1.6%	12.1%	7.7%
	Total	**	100.0%	**	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

NR=No Response.

This question was asked only of those respondents who completed 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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Q32bii. Number of weeks spent volunteering in the last year.

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=65 N=518
		CVTSurg n=2 N=20	GenSurg n=12 N=110	Neuro Surg n=1 N=4	ObGyn n=15 N=117	Ophthal n=9 N=73	OrthoSurg n=14 N=102	Oto n=2 N=14	Plastic n=4 N=32	Uro n=6 N=47	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
No. weeks in the past year spent volunteering	Up to 1 week	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	37.3%
	More than 1, up to 2	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	21.7%
	More than 2, up to 4	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	15.9%
	More than 4	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	16.1%
	NR	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	9.0%
	Total	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	100.0%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they volunteered.

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Q32bii. Mean number of weeks in the past year spent volunteering.

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=58 N=472
		CVTSurg n=2 N=20	Gen Surg n=11 N=104	Neuro Surg n=1 N=4	ObGyn n=14 N=113	Ophthal n=8 N=65	Ortho Surg n=12 N=88	Oto n=1 N=5	Plastic n=4 N=32	Uro n=5 N=41	
No. weeks in the past year spent volunteering	Mean	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	4.15
	Median	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	2.00
	Mode	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	1.00
	Standard Deviation	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	7.10
	Minimum	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	.05
	Maximum	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	44.00

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated greater than zero weeks volunteering.

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Q32b. Specified area(s) of volunteerism.

Among all Surgical Specialists: Among respondents who volunteered their services as a physician, the most commonly indicated areas of volunteerism included: international health/medical mission.

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