

National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Surgical Specialists.

Q32d. In the last year, have you personally provided locum tenens services for another physician?

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=2151 N=6577
		CVTSurg n=70 N=219	GenSurg n=478 N=1457	Neuro Surg n=69 N=216	ObGyn n=491 N=1442	Ophthal n=300 N=909	OrthoSurg n=325 N=1030	Oto n=151 N=456	Plastic n=122 N=388	Uro n=145 N=459	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Provided locum tenens services for another physician	Yes	1.9%	10.6%	3.6%	14.4%	6.1%	4.5%	4.0%	2.4%	2.8%	7.8%
	No	92.3%	81.5%	89.4%	81.3%	89.9%	89.2%	91.4%	91.4%	89.3%	86.3%
	NR	5.8%	7.9%	6.9%	4.4%	4.0%	6.3%	4.7%	6.2%	7.9%	5.9%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

NR=No Response.

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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Q32div. Why do you choose to locum? Check all that apply.

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=75 N=562
		CVTSurg n=0 N=0	Gen Surg n=22 N=171	Neuro Surg n=2 N=6	ObGyn n=29 N=210	Ophthal n=11 N=87	Ortho Surg n=4 N=29	Oto n=2 N=17	Plastic n=1 N=10	Uro n=4 N=31	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Reasons for choosing to locum (LLOCUM4)	Financial reasons	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	36.7%
	To assess potential future practice location	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	12.3%
	Clinical variety	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	30.2%
	Filling a service need	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	63.4%
	Flexibility/ability to set own schedule	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	25.1%
	Other reason for doing a locum	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	22.6%
	NR	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	10.8%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they had provided locum tenens services in the last year.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

NR=No Response.

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

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