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Results from the CMA's 2003 Physician Resource Questionnaire

Hours worked per week

Average hours worked per week (excluding on-call)

| | Overall | Female | Male | < 35 | 35 - 44 | 45 - 54 | 55 - 64 | 65+ | GP/FP | Med Spec | Surg Spec | Rural | Urban |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Number of respondents | 2173 | 731 | 1442 | 208 | 593 | 714 | 441 | 217 | 1196 | 709 | 568 | 198 | 1975 |
| Direct patient care | 35.4 | 31.5 | 37.3 | 35.5 | 34.6 | 36.5 | 36.8 | 30.7 | 35.4 | 33.5 | 40.0 | 36.9 | 35.2 |
| Health facility committees | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.2 |
| Managing practice | 2.2 | 1.7 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 2.2 |
| Other indirect patient care | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 5.7 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 5.5 | 5.2 |
| Research | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1.6 |
| Administration | 1.8 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.8 | 1.9 |
| Teaching | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 0.6 | 1.5 |
| Continuing medical education | 3.0 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 2.9 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 3.1 |
| Other | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 1.2 |
| Total | 52.9 | 47.5 | 55.6 | 50.7 | 52.0 | 55.4 | 54.6 | 45.9 | 50.9 | 54.5 | 57.6 | 51.5 | 53.1 |

Includes only those who reported average hours worked