

## Population per Physician by Province/Territory, 1986 - 2015

Year	Canada	NL	PE	NS	NB	QC	ON	MB	SK	AB	BC	YT	NT	NU
1986	576	680	738	580	851	537	565	590	724	666	527	867	1185	
1987	559	658	713	555	818	518	550	590	700	637	521	809	1200	
1988	544	620	699	537	783	506	534	601	677	609	509	767	1311	
1989	535	593	724	518	763	506	520	572	665	607	508	724	1284	
1990	537	621	737	521	761	503	524	566	665	611	515	722	1298	
1991	533	637	746	521	739	497	521	552	663	601	512	772	1233	
1992	530	651	761	524	731	492	519	559	672	598	507	794	1030	
1993	523	595	743	498	710	484	517	555	669	586	501	769	1056	
1994	530	590	755	522	699	481	529	569	655	598	514	721	1031	
1995	536	600	770	536	679	479	539	570	666	615	522	716	1063	
1996	543	601	803	535	672	478	552	575	692	627	523	683	1106	
1997	545	590	829	530	669	477	560	564	694	635	523	639	1023	
1998	540	587	785	512	654	474	558	565	672	616	517	670	1094	
1999	537	584	771	503	650	472	559	558	653	599	517	722	1084	
2000	534	580	781	496	657	468	554	552	651	603	513	736	896	3997
2001	533	564	731	500	642	468	555	549	654	599	507	551	1089	4107
2002	530	572	735	486	639	472	557	554	646	555	504	573	901	2880
2003	534	533	708	478	613	484	566	565	652	547	499	571	984	2950
2004	529	521	656	469	595	469	564	565	651	541	511	512	842	4240
2005	526	518	694	460	580	466	567	558	641	532	503	487	967	2160
2006	526	500	670	456	565	464	575	555	629	523	502	443	870	2813
2007	520	485	638	438	541	461	569	564	612	508	505	434	869	3460
2008	512	459	605	429	517	456	564	547	617	498	488	439	894	2873
2009	498	457	606	432	514	451	536	549	609	491	471	459	1006	2713
2010	492	442	608	444	487	446	530	538	592	475	469	476	1281	2562
2011	478	433	563	416	469	433	537	505	554	462	471	498	1141	2385
2012	466	417	549	400	452	426	497	518	555	461	453	541	1206	2844
2013	455	415	526	382	441	422	478	490	544	452	444	546	1015	3282
2014	447	404	559	384	437	418	468	497	528	437	436	508	991	3058
2015	439	412	552	384	451	414	455	490	510	422	431	471	1197	3717

Data exclude residents and, for the years 2000 to 2015, physicians, who are not registered with a provincial/territorial licensing authority and have indicated to the Southam Medical Group that they do not wish to have their information published.

Physician data as of December of each year.

Includes physicians who provide both clinical and/or non-clinical services.

Ontario data in 2002 does not reflect four of twelve monthly updates (Sept. - Dec. 2002) from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario

Alberta and Yukon data in 2000 does not reflect the annual update from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta and the

Population data: The population per physician ratio is calculated annually using the most recent Statistics Canada Population Estimates.

Source: Supply, Distribution and Migration of Canadian Physicians, 1986-2004; Southam Medical Database, Canadian Institute for Health Information ([www.cihi.ca](http://www.cihi.ca)).  
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