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		PR	PR Rank	State Median
<b>Physician Supply</b>	Active Physicians per 100,000 Population, 2014	277.3	N.R.	251.0
	Total Active Patient Care Physicians per 100,000 Population, 2014	230.9	N.R.	225.6
	Active Primary Care Physicians per 100,000 Population, 2014	113.1	N.R.	90.4
	Active Patient Care Primary Care Physicians per 100,000 Population, 2014	100.9	N.R.	83.1
	Active General Surgeons per 100,000 Population, 2014	7.4	N.R.	7.8
	Active Patient Care General Surgeons per 100,000 Population, 2014	6.5	N.R.	7.1
	Percentage of Active Physicians Who Are Female, 2014	36.7%	N.R.	32.4%
	Percent of Active Physicians Who Are International Medical Graduates (IMGs), 2014	51.3%	N.R.	18.7%
	Percentage of Active Physicians Who Are Age 60 or Older, 2014	33.9%	N.R.	28.5%
<b>Undergraduate Medical Education (UME)</b>	M.D. and D.O. Student Enrollment per 100,000 Population, AY 2014-2015	37.5	N.R.	30.4
	Student Enrollment at Public M.D. and D.O. Schools per 100,000 Population, AY 2014-2015	13.2	N.R.	21.4
	Percentage Change in Student Enrollment at M.D. and D.O. Schools, 2004-2014	24.3%	N.R.	20.8%
	Percentage of M.D. Students Matriculating In-State, AY 2014-2015	95.6%	N.R.	69.2%
<b>Graduate Medical Education (GME)</b>	Total Residents/Fellows in ACGME Programs per 100,000 Population as of December 31, 2014	22.6	N.R.	27.4
	Total Residents/Fellows in Primary Care ACGME Programs per 100,000 Population as of Dec. 31, 2014	10.2	N.R.	10.5
	Percentage of Residents in ACGME Programs Who Are IMGs as of December 31, 2014	27.8%	N.R.	22.2%
	Ratio of Residents and Fellows (GME) to Medical Students (UME), AY 2013-2014	0.6	N.R.	1.1
	Percent Change in Residents and Fellows in ACGME-Accredited Programs, 2004-2014	11.9%	N.R.	18.9%
<b>Retention</b>	Percent of Physicians Retained in State from Undergraduate Medical Education (UME), 2014	52.7%	N.R.	38.6%
	Percent of Physicians Retained in State from Public UME, 2014	55.3%	N.R.	43.9%
	Percent of Physicians Retained in State from Graduate Medical Education (GME), 2014	75.6%	N.R.	44.5%
	Percent of Physicians Retained in State from UME and GME Combined, 2014	77.5%	N.R.	68.4%

State Rank: How the state ranks compared to the other 49. Rank of 1 goes to the state with the highest value for the category.

State Median: The value in the middle of the 50 states, with 25 states above the median and 25 states below (excludes the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico).

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Specialty	Total Active		Female		Age 60 or Older	
	Physicians	People Per Physician	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Specialties	9,839	361	3,595	36.7	3,329	33.9
Allergy & Immunology	12	295,700	*	*	*	*
Anatomic/Clinical Pathology	92	38,570	41	44.6	35	38.0
Anesthesiology	172	20,630	42	24.4	57	33.1
Cardiovascular Disease	223	15,912	23	10.3	80	35.9
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry**	78	12,546	42	53.8	25	32.1
Critical Care Medicine	23	154,278	11	47.8	*	*
Dermatology	76	46,689	40	52.6	33	43.4
Emergency Medicine	185	19,181	60	32.4	48	25.9
Endocrinology, Diabetes & Metabolism	59	60,142	33	55.9	18	30.5
Family Medicine/General Practice	1,925	1,843	672	35.0	832	43.6
Gastroenterology	135	26,284	33	24.4	28	20.7
General Surgery	261	13,595	26	10.0	120	46.0
Geriatric Medicine***	44	14,023	20	45.5	*	*
Hematology & Oncology	105	33,794	43	41.0	28	26.7
Infectious Disease	81	43,807	38	46.9	20	24.7
Internal Medicine	1,144	3,102	351	30.7	337	29.5
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics	*	*	*	*	*	*
Interventional Cardiology	*	*	*	*	*	*
Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine	44	80,645	28	63.6	14	31.8
Nephrology	85	41,746	18	21.2	30	35.3
Neurological Surgery	19	186,758	*	*	*	*
Neurology	111	31,968	56	50.5	35	31.5
Neuroradiology	15	236,560	*	*	*	*
Obstetrics & Gynecology	448	7,921	135	30.1	193	43.1
Ophthalmology	167	21,248	43	25.7	61	36.5
Orthopedic Surgery	91	38,993	*	*	36	39.6
Otolaryngology	56	63,364	*	*	23	41.1
Pain Medicine & Pain Management	21	168,971	*	*	*	*
Pediatrics**	900	1,087	513	57.0	365	40.6
Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	211	16,817	98	46.4	47	22.3
Plastic Surgery	35	101,383	*	*	16	45.7
Preventive Medicine	63	56,324	22	34.9	38	61.3
Psychiatry	386	9,193	164	42.6	150	39.0
Pulmonary Disease	82	43,273	15	18.3	31	37.8
Radiation Oncology	20	177,420	*	*	*	*
Radiology & Diagnostic Radiology	198	17,921	80	40.4	72	36.4
Rheumatology	64	55,444	27	42.2	28	43.8
Thoracic Surgery	18	197,133	*	*	*	*
Urology	100	35,484	*	*	46	46.0
Vascular & Interventional Radiology	15	236,560	*	*	*	*
Vascular Surgery	*	*	*	*	*	*

Sources: AMA Physician Masterfile (12/31/14). Population estimates as of July 1, 2014 are from the U.S. Census Bureau (Release date: December 2014)

\* Counts for specialties with fewer than 10 physicians are not shown

\*\* Only those 21 years or younger are included in People Per Physician

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		Number	Percent
<b>State Where GME Was Completed for All Active Physicians in State</b>	Puerto Rico	5,235	81%
	New York	352	5%
	Florida	107	2%
	Texas	94	1%
	Pennsylvania	92	1%
	Massachusetts	68	1%
	Maryland	48	1%
	Louisiana	46	1%
	Michigan	39	1%
	Ohio	38	1%
	All other states	374	6%
<b>Practice Location of Physicians Who Completed GME in State</b>	Puerto Rico	5,235	76%
	Florida	735	11%
	Texas	228	3%
	California	95	1%
	Arizona	53	1%
	Georgia	41	1%
	New York	39	1%
	Illinois	31	0%
	Michigan	31	0%
	Oklahoma	30	0%
	All other states	397	6%

**Notes:**

GME = Graduate Medical Education

"All other states" includes physicians who completed GME in Canada.

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