

**Table A-13: Race/Ethnicity of Applicants to U.S. Medical Schools,
2013-2014 through 2015-2016**



The table below displays the self-identified racial and ethnic characteristics of applicants to U.S. medical schools from 2013-2014 through 2015-2016. The category totals do not add to the total number of applicants since an applicant could designate multiple categories. Please email us at datarequest@aamc.org if you need further assistance or have additional inquiries.

Applicant Race/Ethnicity Responses	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
American Indian or Alaska Native	425	449	463
Asian	9,793	10,415	11,454
Black or African American	3,865	3,990	4,661
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin	3,999	4,386	4,839
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	165	177	192
White	25,729	26,800	28,025
Other	2,118	2,276	2,345
Unknown Race/Ethnicity	3,299	2,698	2,439
Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident	1,777	1,901	2,099
Unduplicated Total Applicants	48,014	49,480	52,550

Percent of Applicant Race/Ethnicity Responses	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.9	0.9	0.9
Asian	20.4	21.0	21.8
Black or African American	8.0	8.1	8.9
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin	8.3	8.9	9.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.3	0.4	0.4
White	53.6	54.2	53.3
Other	4.4	4.6	4.5
Unknown Race/Ethnicity	6.9	5.5	4.6
Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident	3.7	3.8	4.0
Unduplicated Total Applicants	100.0	100.0	100.0

Note: In 2013-2014, the methodology for acquiring race/ethnicity information was updated. Rather than one question asking an applicant's Hispanic origin and a second question asking the applicant's race, the Hispanic origin and race response options are now listed together under a single question about how applicants self-identify. Applicants could select multiple response options. The "Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident" category may include students with unknown citizenship.