Table 12: U.S. Medical School Faculty by Gender, Race/Ethnicity, and Degree, 2020



The table below displays the number of full-time faculty at all U.S. medical schools as of December 31, 2020 by gender, race/ethnicity, and degree type. To allow for unduplicated counts of faculty, the "Multiple Race/Ethnicity – Hispanic" break-out includes all faculty who are reported as Hispanic and at least one other race/ethnicity. The "Multiple Race/Ethnicity – Non-Hispanic" break-out includes all faculty who are reported as more than one race/ethnicity, but who are not reported as Hispanic. The "MD and PhD or MD and Other Doctoral Degree" break out includes faculty who hold both an MD or equivalent degree and a PhD or other doctoral degree, regardless of whether the degrees were earned simultaneously. "Other Doctoral Degree" includes doctorates in dentistry, veterinary medicine, public health, optometry, and other fields.

			MD and PhD or			
		PhD or Other	MD and Other			
Race/Ethnicity	MD only	Doctoral Degree	Doctoral Degree	Other	Unknown	Total
Men						
American Indian or Alaska Native	109	25	12	4	3	153
Asian	14,674	5,238	2,521	102	278	22,813
Black or African American	2,290	359	226	40	30	2,945
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish origin	2,847	481	213	53	35	3,629
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	45	37	12	1	1	96
White	49,565	13,240	6,224	872	586	70,487
Other	821	82	75	12	3	993
Multiple Race/Ethnicity - Hispanic	2,046	306	221	10	12	2,595
Multiple Race/Ethnicity - Non-Hispanic	1,519	515	285	17	9	2,345
Unknown	807	1,442	140	258	350	2,997
Total Men	74,723	21,725	9,929	1,369	1,307	109,053

		PhD or Other	MD and PhD or MD and Other			
Race/Ethnicity	MD only	Doctoral Degree	Doctoral Degree	Other	Unknown	Total
Women	,					
American Indian or Alaska Native	74	38	6	18	3	139
Asian	12,854	3,024	1,294	288	230	17,690
Black or African American	3,299	567	164	213	99	4,342
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish origin	2,080	575	127	145	51	2,978
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	36	12	5	7	3	63
White	31,939	11,505	2,537	2,927	1,191	50,099
Other	615	85	39	69	7	815
Multiple Race/Ethnicity - Hispanic	1,724	297	116	49	19	2,205
Multiple Race/Ethnicity - Non-Hispanic	1,279	353	116	49	13	1,810
Unknown	390	1,552	80	936	449	3,407
Total Women	54,290	18,008	4,484	4,701	2,065	83,548

Note: These tables exclude 206 faculty with missing gender data.

Source: AAMC Faculty Roster, December 31, 2020 snapshot, as of December 31, 2022.