Table 16: U.S. Medical School Faculty by Sex, Race/Ethnicity, and Department, 2020



The table below displays the number of full-time faculty at all U.S. medical schools as of December 31, 2020 by sex, race/ethnicity, and department classification. By way of background, the Faculty Roster utilizes the official name given to each department by each medical school. The AAMC department classification is a way to group disparately named (but similar) departments across medical schools. As an example, a medical school could have separate departments of Neurosurgery and Cardiothoracic Surgery. These departments would be reported as his pair can design the surgery department of the surgery is a surgery of the surgery departments. The surgery department is a surgery department of the surgery department is a surgery department of the surgery. These departments were department of the surgery department of the surgery department of the surgery department of the surgery. The surgery department of the surgery d

| Department | American Indian or Alaskan Native | | Asian | | Black or African American | | Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin | | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | | White | | Other | | Multiple Race - Hispanic | | Multiple Race - Non-Hispanic | | Unknown | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|------------------------------|--------|---|--------|--|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Total |
| Basic Sciences | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anatomy | 0 | 0 | 189 | 88 | 12 | 6 | 23 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 588 | 352 | 3 | 4 | 19 | 3 | 24 | 13 | 66 | 47 | 1,452 |
| Biochemistry | 0 | 1 | 456 | 189 | 22 | 13 | 28 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 1,054 | 431 | 6 | 1 | 20 | 11 | 29 | 13 | 125 | 60 | 2,487 |
| Microbiology | 1 | 0 | 282 | 134 | 30 | 14 | 31 | 25 | 2 | 1 | 824 | 441 | 5 | 4 | 19 | 8 | 35 | 13 | 59 | 50 | 1,978 |
| Pathology (Basic Science) | 2 | 1 | 193 | 166 | 18 | 24 | 28 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 541 | 358 | 5 | 6 | 29 | 21 | 21 | 14 | 55 | 44 | 1,553 |
| Pharmacology | 3 | 0 | 319 | 152 | 23 | 12 | 33 | 22 | 5 | 0 | 794 | 361 | 4 | 4 | 20 | 15 | 45 | 10 | 91 | 44 | 1,957 |
| Physiology | 0 | 0 | 209 | 88 | 18 | 10 | 34 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 649 | 260 | 4 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 21 | 13 | 74 | 26 | 1,461 |
| Other Basic Sciences | 10 | 6 | 1,195 | 724 | 92 | 120 | 137 | 132 | 1 | 0 | 3,308 | 2,054 | 18 | 13 | 97 | 73 | 107 | 67 | 391 | 343 | 8,888 |
| Subtotal | 16 | 8 | 2,843 | 1,541 | 215 | 199 | 314 | 268 | 12 | 3 | 7,758 | 4,257 | 45 | 35 | 220 | 142 | 282 | 143 | 861 | 614 | 19,776 |
| Clinical Sciences | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anesthesiology | 10 | 8 | 1,127 | 733 | 173 | 212 | 172 | 90 | 6 | 2 | 3,872 | 1,980 | 70 | 35 | 153 | 96 | 147 | 75 | 143 | 121 | 9,225 |
| Dermatology | 2 | 0 | 144 | 175 | 9 | 34 | 21 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 508 | 534 | 5 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 19 | 15 | 9 | 8 | 1,550 |
| Emergency Medicine | 6 | 7 | 414 | 318 | 124 | 142 | 116 | 78 | 2 | 2 | 2,743 | 1,523 | 24 | 25 | 80 | 52 | 58 | 41 | 60 | 59 | 5,874 |
| Family Practice | 10 | 15 | 305 | 431 | 106 | 263 | 126 | 136 | 2 | 2 | 2,010 | 1,956 | 20 | 30 | 59 | 107 | 43 | 76 | 82 | 150 | 5,929 |
| Internal Medicine | 27 | 20 | 6,226 | 5,104 | 722 | 908 | 904 | 617 | 35 | 11 | 15,836 | 9,951 | 311 | 211 | 675 | 444 | 562 | 356 | 585 | 629 | 44,134 |
| Neurology | 3 | 3 | 801 | 641 | 63 | 86 | 95 | 56 | 5 | 2 | 2,395 | 1,617 | 42 | 24 | 112 | 87 | 78 | 64 | 75 | 85 | 6,334 |
| Obstetrics & Gynecology | 2 | 15 | 264 | 574 | 134 | 427 | 143 | 164 | 1 | 6 | 1,543 | 2,834 | 11 | 32 | 67 | 112 | 34 | 83 | 42 | 111 | 6,599 |
| Ophthalmology | 0 | 1 | 465 | 423 | 25 | 48 | 44 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 1,223 | 657 | 12 | 12 | 33 | 34 | 38 | 26 | 31 | 42 | 3,138 |
| Orthopedic Surgery | 4 | 3 | 475 | 109 | 81 | 28 | 66 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 2,553 | 618 | 27 | 5 | 50 | 6 | 59 | 21 | 53 | 60 | 4,234 |
| Otolaryngology | 1 | 0 | 284 | 159 | 26 | 20 | 39 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 1,054 | 547 | 10 | 12 | 35 | 24 | 19 | 15 | 27 | 56 | 2,348 |
| Pathology (Clinical) | 2 | 3 | 631 | 561 | 48 | 50 | 69 | 58 | 1 | 0 | 1,688 | 1,209 | 23 | 21 | 62 | 50 | 87 | 58 | 30 | 47 | 4,698 |
| Pediatrics | 18 | 21 | 1,751 | 2,516 | 227 | 797 | 378 | 586 | 7 | 16 | 6,548 | 9,054 | 81 | 173 | 263 | 434 | 199 | 293 | 176 | 534 | 24,072 |
| Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation | 1 | 2 | 149 | 142 | 36 | 39 | 33 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 604 | 521 | 9 | 12 | 15 | 17 | 15 | 15 | 60 | 91 | 1,799 |
| Psychiatry | 12 | 8 | 734 | 740 | 143 | 294 | 200 | 262 | 3 | 6 | 3,665 | 4,271 | 40 | 52 | 106 | 140 | 97 | 111 | 226 | 414 | 11,524 |
| Public Health & Preventive Medicine | 0 | 0 | 71 | 88 | 28 | 47 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 234 | 261 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 29 | 32 | 838 |
| Radiology | 8 | 2 | 1,874 | 844 | 124 | 104 | 157 | 82 | 8 | 3 | 4,273 | 1,642 | 62 | 22 | 129 | 69 | 151 | 65 | 176 | 95 | 9,890 |
| Surgery | 18 | 8 | 2,135 | 846 | 364 | 211 | 429 | 133 | 10 | 2 | 8,142 | 2,794 | 86 | 28 | 288 | 102 | 212 | 104 | 298 | 258 | 16,468 |
| Other Clinical Sciences | 3 | 1 | 631 | 388 | 111 | 95 | 106 | 61 | 6 | 5 | 1,606 | 942 | 27 | 22 | 72 | 45 | 59 | 34 | 178 | 154 | 4,546 |
| Subtotal | 127 | 117 | 18,481 | 14,792 | 2,544 | 3,805 | 3,106 | 2,456 | 88 | 58 | 60,497 | 42,911 | 862 | 731 | 2,221 | 1,843 | 1,879 | 1,456 | 2,280 | 2,946 | 163,200 |
| Other | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dentistry | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 6 | 48 |
| Other Health Professions | 1 | 3 | 13 | 17 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 149 | 301 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 18 | 562 |
| Social Sciences | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 30 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73 |
| Veterinary Sciences | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15 |
| All Others | 1 | 1 | 77 | 49 | 16 | 43 | 10 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 264 | 269 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 17 | 24 | 807 |
| Subtotal | 2 | 5 | 95 | 73 | 25 | 60 | 16 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 455 | 617 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 15 | 8 | 6 | 37 | 48 | 1,505 |
| Total | 145 | 130 | 21,419 | 16,406 | 2,784 | 4,064 | 3,436 | 2,745 | 100 | 61 | 68,710 | 47,785 | 911 | 770 | 2,455 | 2,000 | 2,169 | 1,605 | 3,178 | 3,608 | 184,481 |

Note: This table excludes 201 faculty with missing sex data.

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