

**Table 1: U.S. Medical School Faculty by Department, 2021**

The table below displays the number of full-time faculty at all U.S. medical schools as of December 31, 2021 by 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 appear in the Faculty Roster under their official names, but both would be reported in the Surgery department classification.

| Department                          | Total Full-time Faculty |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Basic Sciences</i>               |                         |
| Anatomy                             | 1,452                   |
| Biochemistry                        | 2,483                   |
| Microbiology                        | 1,958                   |
| Pathology (Basic Science)           | 1,306                   |
| Pharmacology                        | 1,909                   |
| Physiology                          | 1,425                   |
| Other Basic Sciences                | 9,207                   |
| <b>Subtotal</b>                     | <b>19,740</b>           |
| <i>Clinical Sciences</i>            |                         |
| Anesthesiology                      | 9,614                   |
| Dermatology                         | 1,614                   |
| Emergency Medicine                  | 6,622                   |
| Family Practice                     | 6,410                   |
| Internal Medicine                   | 46,714                  |
| Neurology                           | 6,760                   |
| Obstetrics & Gynecology             | 6,755                   |
| Ophthalmology                       | 3,207                   |
| Orthopedic Surgery                  | 4,436                   |
| Otolaryngology                      | 2,458                   |
| Pathology (Clinical)                | 5,023                   |
| Pediatrics                          | 25,036                  |
| Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  | 1,875                   |
| Psychiatry                          | 12,146                  |
| Public Health & Preventive Medicine | 791                     |
| Radiology                           | 10,253                  |
| Surgery                             | 17,583                  |
| Other Clinical Sciences             | 5,793                   |
| <b>Subtotal</b>                     | <b>173,090</b>          |
| <i>Other</i>                        |                         |
| Dentistry                           | 41                      |
| Other Health Professions            | 583                     |
| Social Sciences                     | 150                     |
| Veterinary Sciences                 | 12                      |
| All Others                          | 894                     |
| <b>Subtotal</b>                     | <b>1,680</b>            |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>194,510</b>          |

Source: AAMC Faculty Roster, December 31, 2021 snapshot, as of December 31, 2022.