

National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Family Physicians/General Practitioners.

Q33b. If you had a choice, how would you prefer to be paid for your services as a physician? Please check only one.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=2094 N=16512	non-CCFP n=1884 N=13872	CCFP(EM)* n=181 N=1499	Total n=3978 N=30384
		%	%	%	%
Preferred method of income	Fee-for-service only	15.7%	27.5%	14.2%	21.1%
	Salary only	10.7%	10.7%	12.3%	10.7%
	Capitation only	1.0%	.8%	.6%	.9%
	Sessional/hourly payments only	6.3%	4.8%	14.3%	5.6%
	Service contract only	1.7%	2.3%	2.9%	2.0%
	Blended payment	57.8%	44.5%	46.6%	51.7%
	NR	6.9%	9.3%	9.1%	8.0%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Notes:

NR=No Response.

* CCFP (EM) respondents are also included in the CCFP column . The last column showing the total number of family physicians captures these respondents once.

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Q33b. What components would you want included in a blended payment method? Check all that apply.

		Family Physicians			All FPs
		CCFP n=1188 N=9543	non- CCFP n=816 N=6175	CCFP(EM)* n=81 N=699	Total n=2004 N=15718
		%	%	%	%
Desired components of blended payment (LBLEND)	Fee-for-service (FFS) - blended component	83.1%	84.2%	83.7%	83.5%
	Sessional/ per diem/ hourly - blended component	54.6%	43.5%	55.8%	50.3%
	On-call remuneration beyond FFS - blended component	66.4%	62.6%	56.9%	64.9%
	Salary - blended component	28.9%	27.7%	23.8%	28.4%
	Service contract - blended component	14.4%	13.8%	15.7%	14.1%
	Capitation - blended component	21.2%	16.0%	9.0%	19.1%
	Benefits/pension - blended component	53.2%	57.0%	42.7%	54.7%
	Other blended component	4.3%	3.7%	4.5%	4.1%
	NR	.7%	.5%	1.7%	.6%

Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they would prefer to be paid by a blended payment method. Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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