

# National Physician Survey, 2007. National Results by Province and Canada

## Q40a. Do you have the following electronic aids?

		Province											Canada
		NL n=193 N=974	PE n=59 N=206	NS n=521 N=1967	NB n=310 N=1300	QC n=1551 N=14235	ON n=2375 N=21031	MB n=450 N=2059	SK n=328 N=1505	AB n=659 N=5943	BC n=869 N=8420	NT/YT/ NU n=32 N=114	Total n=7347 N=57757
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
multiple response set for have electronic aids	Have Electronic patient appointment/ scheduling system	33.2%	38.5%	52.3%	37.3%	39.9%	50.7%	52.9%	44.9%	52.2%	47.0%	50.0%	47.0%
	Have Electronic billing	44.0%	50.1%	57.5%	67.2%	42.7%	61.8%	61.4%	59.1%	54.3%	57.8%	30.2%	55.2%
	Have Electronic records to enter and retrieve clinical patient notes	30.7%	8.8%	28.3%	17.6%	11.7%	31.1%	30.5%	22.9%	39.1%	29.5%	25.5%	26.2%
	Have Electronic reminder systems for recommended patient care	10.2%	5.5%	13.1%	5.7%	3.4%	14.0%	17.2%	15.4%	22.8%	20.2%	15.8%	13.0%
	Have Electronic warning systems for adverse prescribing and/or drug interactions	9.3%	10.7%	11.5%	7.0%	8.0%	13.6%	14.0%	12.7%	21.1%	11.3%	4.6%	12.3%
	Have Electronic decision aids	7.3%	20.2%	11.3%	10.7%	8.1%	9.6%	10.5%	15.1%	16.4%	16.9%	19.1%	11.3%
	Have Electronic interface to external pharmacy/ pharmacist	1.3%	2.0%	3.9%	2.6%	3.5%	4.3%	6.8%	8.8%	8.8%	7.6%	.0%	5.1%
	Have Electronic interface to external laboratory/ diagnostic imaging	42.6%	26.3%	30.0%	47.3%	29.3%	26.4%	22.4%	18.6%	44.3%	37.3%	22.1%	31.0%
	Have Electronic interface to other external systems for accessing or sharing patient information	35.4%	10.7%	19.5%	36.3%	9.3%	23.6%	11.4%	10.1%	30.0%	26.6%	11.5%	20.7%
	Have Electronic interface to external chronic care patient registries	1.8%	.0%	1.3%	1.8%	1.4%	1.3%	4.6%	6.7%	4.3%	4.1%	.0%	2.3%
	Have Telemedicine/ webcasting/ videoconferencing	37.8%	36.3%	32.7%	31.4%	21.7%	21.2%	27.7%	30.9%	29.8%	20.6%	29.4%	23.6%
	Have Online access to journals, clinical practice guidelines, medical databases	58.9%	63.3%	64.4%	63.7%	52.8%	63.9%	60.4%	61.0%	65.4%	64.9%	68.1%	61.2%
	Have Email	54.9%	63.3%	55.9%	55.5%	50.0%	56.6%	54.7%	52.1%	55.3%	57.5%	66.3%	54.8%
	I do not have/use any of the above	2.8%	10.7%	2.9%	2.7%	8.5%	5.3%	3.8%	5.5%	3.3%	2.3%	2.6%	5.2%
NR	11.5%	5.5%	6.8%	3.3%	5.6%	4.8%	7.4%	5.9%	5.3%	4.6%	14.1%	5.3%	
Does not have any electronic aids	17.5%	9.1%	14.5%	7.6%	16.3%	10.4%	13.4%	11.7%	12.0%	12.7%	20.7%	12.7%	

Notes:  
 Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.  
 NR=No Response.  
 This question was asked only of those respondents who completed the long questionnaire.  
 The responding sample (size: n) has been weighted to represent the population (size: N). Further detail available at [www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca](http://www.nationalphysiciansurvey.ca) .