

## National Physician Survey, 2007. Results for Surgical Specialists.

### Q37a. What type of access do you have to the Internet in your MAIN patient care setting?

		Surgical Specialists									
		CVTSurg n=25 N=203	GenSurg n=166 N=1423	Neuro Surg n=24 N=179	ObGyn n=184 N=1433	Ophthal n=112 N=905	OrthoSurg n=116 N=963	Oto n=57 N=447	Plastic n=37 N=313	Uro n=55 N=453	Total n=776 N=6318
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Type of access to the Internet in main patient care setting	None	**	7.8%	**	11.1%	15.7%	8.5%	16.4%	5.3%	5.6%	9.7%
	Dial-up	**	2.5%	**	3.3%	2.6%	.0%	2.2%	7.2%	.0%	2.3%
	High-speed (cable, DSL)	**	72.6%	**	76.2%	72.4%	74.1%	66.8%	78.9%	78.3%	74.9%
	Don't know what type	**	5.1%	**	7.1%	6.0%	6.5%	2.1%	4.2%	5.2%	5.5%
	Not applicable	**	1.1%	**	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.2%
	NR	**	10.9%	**	2.3%	3.3%	10.9%	12.4%	4.3%	10.9%	7.4%
	Total	**	100.0%	**	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

#### Notes:

Includes only respondents who provide patient care.

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).

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**Q37aii. Reason(s) for not having Internet access in your main patient care setting. Check all that apply.**

		Surgical Specialists									Total n=82 N=614
		CVTSurg n=1 N=5	Gen Surg n=14 N=111	Neuro Surg n=0 N=0	ObGyn n=20 N=159	Ophthal n=19 N=142	Ortho Surg n=12 N=82	Oto n=11 N=73	Plastic n=2 N=17	Uro n=3 N=26	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Reason for not having internet access in main patient care setting	No high-speed access	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	20.0%
	Can't afford it	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	7.3%
	Don't want it	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	24.1%
	Don't need it	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	44.8%
	Other reason for not having internet access	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	15.3%
	NR	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	10.7%

### Notes:

Includes only respondents who indicated that they do not have access to the Internet in their main patient care setting.

Column totals may exceed 100% as this question allowed for multiple responses.

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