

National Physician Survey, 2007: Results for Medical Students

Q29b. Please indicate the amount of debt that you currently have, directly related to your medical education.

		Year of medical school study			
		1st year or année préparatoire n=897	2nd year n=781	3rd or 4th year n=1109	All students n = 2819
		%	%	%	%
Current debt	no debt	33.1%	20.7%	12.3%	21.2%
	less than \$1,000	1.8%	1.2%	.7%	1.2%
	\$1,001 to \$5,000	9.1%	4.1%	3.0%	5.3%
	\$5,001 to \$10,000	11.4%	6.5%	4.2%	7.2%
	\$10,001 to \$20,000	16.5%	11.0%	8.5%	11.9%
	\$20,001 to \$40,000	14.8%	20.0%	15.2%	16.5%
	\$40,001 to \$60,000	3.5%	14.9%	13.6%	10.7%
	\$60,001 to \$80,000	1.3%	8.1%	12.5%	7.6%
	\$80,001 to \$100,000	.3%	4.1%	8.1%	4.5%
	\$100,001 to \$120,000	.1%	1.5%	6.2%	2.9%
	\$120,001 to \$140,000	.2%	.6%	4.9%	2.2%
	\$140,001 to \$160,000	.0%	.1%	3.1%	1.2%
	Over \$160,000	.2%	.3%	2.4%	1.1%
	I prefer not to provide this information	2.0%	1.5%	.6%	1.3%
	NR	5.6%	5.4%	4.6%	5.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

NR= No Response.

The 'total' column includes 32 students who indicated 'Other' or did not indicate their current year of study.

Source: 2007 National Physician Survey: Medical Student Questionnaire. The College of Family Physicians of Canada, Canadian Medical Association, The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.