

National Physician Survey, 2007: Results for Medical Students

Q4a1. Do you have children?

		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
		%	%	%	%
Have children	Yes	2.5%	4.4%	6.5%	4.5%
	No	97.3%	95.6%	93.2%	95.3%
	NR	.2%	.0%	.3%	.2%
	Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

NR=No Response.

Q4a2. Mean age of youngest child.

		Age of youngest child (in years)					
		Count	Mean	Minimum	Maximum	Standard Deviation	Median
Year of medical school study	1st year or année préparatoire	22	**	**	**	**	**
	2nd year	30	4.1	.5	23.0	5.2	2.0
	3rd or 4th year	68	4.1	.5	22.0	4.9	2.0
	All students	120	3.9	.5	23.0	4.6	2.0

Results apply only to respondents who indicated the age of their youngest child.

Note: Values in years.

** Responses suppressed when column n is less than 30.

Q4b. Are you or your partner currently expecting a child?

		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
		%	%	%	%
Expecting a child	Yes	.4%	1.4%	1.4%	1.1%
	No	97.3%	97.2%	97.4%	97.3%
	NR	2.2%	1.4%	1.3%	1.6%
	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.