

Q1 - MEDICAL STUDENT DATA

Years Post-Secondary Education Before Medical School

	Current status as medical student				Table Total
	1st year student n=817 Col %	2nd year student n=721 Col %	3rd year student n=708 Col %	4th year student n=450 Col %	n=2721 Col %
1 year	9.2%	8.7%	9.5%	16.4%	10.5%
2 years	5.5%	5.3%	4.9%	4.4%	5.1%
3 years	15.8%	15.8%	15.3%	16.0%	15.6%
4 years	33.8%	33.6%	32.1%	29.3%	32.4%
5 years	11.1%	11.2%	14.4%	10.0%	11.8%
6 years	7.3%	7.8%	7.6%	6.9%	7.5%
7 years	4.5%	4.7%	3.2%	4.7%	4.3%
8 years	2.0%	3.3%	2.0%	2.7%	2.5%
9 years	1.3%	0.7%	1.6%	1.1%	1.2%
10 years	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	0.7%	0.6%
>10 years	0.4%	0.7%	1.0%	0.4%	0.6%
No Response	8.4%	7.5%	8.1%	7.3%	8.0%
Table Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Source: 2004 National Physician Survey: Medical Student Questionnaire. College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC), Canadian Medical Association (CMA), Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC).

**The 'Table Total' contains 25 students who indicated 'Other' as their current status.

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Mean Years Post-Secondary Education Before Medical School

Current status as medical student	Mean	N	Std. Deviation	Minimum	Maximum	Median
1st year student	4.1	748	1.8	1	11	4
2nd year student	4.2	667	1.9	1	11	4
3rd year student	4.1	651	1.9	1	11	4
4th year student	3.9	417	2.0	1	11	4
Total	4.1	2503	1.9	1	11	4

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Canadian Medical Association (CMA), Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC).

** Where respondents indicated '>10' years post-secondary education, these were entered as '11' in finding the mean.

(this was the case for 3 respondents in year 1, 5 respondents in year 2, 7 respondents in year 3, and 2 respondents in year 4.)