

# Oregon's Physician Workforce - 2014

**11,099** Number of active licensed physicians practicing in Oregon in 2014. In 2012, there were 10,509 active licensed physicians practicing in the state.

**35%** Are female. The number of female physicians in Oregon has steadily increased since 2010 by 2% per biennium.

**35%** Reported they practice in a primary care specialty.

**7%** Are osteopathic physicians (DO). The number of DOs practicing in Oregon grew from 650 in 2010 to 797 in 2014.

**63%** Worked in clinics or private practice settings.

**14%** Reported they were self-employed or independent contractors.

**28%** Worked for non-profit organizations.

**66%** Worked on average 40 or more hours per week.

**55%** Practice in the Portland/Tri-county area.

**19%** Practice in Oregon's rural communities.



**76%** Did their residency outside of Oregon. In 2012, 72% did their residency in a location other than Oregon.

**15%** Are graduates of OHSU, 12% graduated from a California medical school and 11% from a medical school outside of the USA.

**16%** Identified their race in a category other than Caucasian or White.

**29%** Speak a language in addition to English. Sixteen percent speak Spanish in addition to English.

**37%** Are 55 years of age or older. The average age of Oregon's physician workforce is 51 years.

## Top Ten Most Frequently Reported Physician Specialties

Family Medicine/Practice	1,640
Internal Medicine	1,493
Emergency Medicine	689
Anesthesiology	556
Pediatrics	543
Psychiatry	467
OB &/or GYN	447
Orthopedic Surgery	341
General Surgery/Surgery	314
Ophthalmology	270