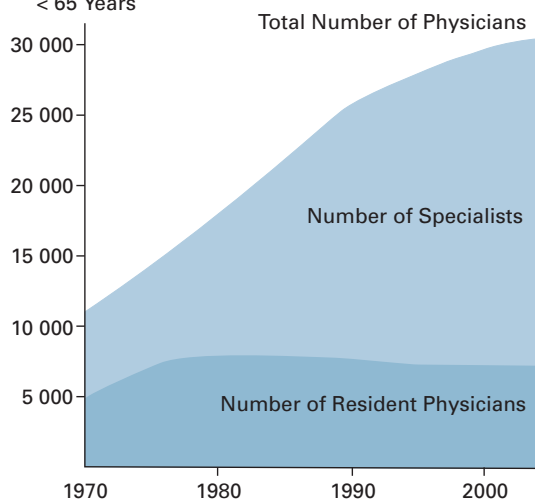


Physicians in Sweden 2004

Number of Physicians
< 65 Years



Members of the Swedish Medical Association (SMA) 2004-01-01

	Sweden	Abroad	Total
Physician members < 65 years	27 894	558	28 452
Physician members ≥ 65 years	4 648	146	4 794
Student members of MSF (Swedish Medical Students Association)	4 041	17	4 058
Total	36 583	721	37 304

Number of Members in Professional Associations of SMA

Physicians may belong to more than one association

Swedish Assoc. of Hospital Physicians	16 689
Swedish Junior Hospital Doctors' Assoc., SYLF	6 935
Swedish Union of General Practitioners, DLF	4 783
Swedish Assoc. of Private Practitioners, SPLF	2 219
Swedish Assoc. of Clinical Medical Directors, SLCF	1 973
Swedish Assoc. of Occupational Health Physicians, SFLF	811
Swedish Assoc. of Military Surgeons, MLF	198

Members < 65 Years; by Age and Sex

Age	Males	Females	Total	% Females
60-64	2 034	854	2 888	30
55-59	3 443	1 793	5 236	34
50-54	3 174	1 842	5 016	37
45-49	2 644	2 073	4 717	44
40-44	1 911	1 535	3 446	45
35-39	1 515	1 447	2 962	49
30-34	1 071	1 356	2 427	56
-29	443	759	1 202	63
Total	16 235	11 659	27 894	42

Members < 65 Years by Speciality 2004-01-01

Speciality	Males	Females	Total	%
General surgery	1 296	198	1 494	13
Orthopaedics	919	98	1 017	10
Urology	276	36	312	12
Paediatric surgery	72	38	110	35
Hand surgery	62	23	85	27
Plastic surgery	88	24	112	21
Neurological surgery	95	8	103	8
Thoracic surgery	120	13	133	10
Anaesthesiology	893	349	1 242	28
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	527	666	1 193	56
Gynaecological oncology	27	44	71	62
Oto rhino laryngology	413	167	580	29
Audiology	47	23	70	33
Phoniatrics	13	5	18	28
Ophthalmology	286	308	594	52
Internal medicine	1 881	856	2 737	31
Cardiology	489	125	614	20
Gastroenterology	172	43	215	20
Endocrinology	122	60	182	33
Nephrology	149	61	210	29
Respiratory medicine	175	113	288	39
Haematology	124	63	187	34
Allergology	70	48	118	41
Rheumatology	137	125	262	48
Occupational & environ. med.	44	22	66	33
Geriatrics	268	412	680	61
Paediatrics	681	546	1 227	44
Child & adolescent allergology	55	25	80	31
Child & adolescent neurology	37	40	77	52
Child & adolescent cardiology	27	5	32	16
Neonatology	58	23	81	28
Family medicine	3 209	2 314	5 523	42
Psychiatry	770	761	1 531	50
Forensic psychiatry	32	21	53	40
Child & adolescent psychiatry	121	209	330	63
Diagnostic radiology	682	272	954	29
Neuroradiology	59	17	76	22
Child & adolescent radiology	31	25	56	45
Transfusion medicine	35	26	61	43
Coagulation & bleeding disorders	9	6	15	40
Clinical immunology	44	21	65	32
Microbiology – bacteriology	75	46	121	38
Clinical virology	25	21	46	46
Clinical physiology	138	50	188	27
Clinical neurophysiology	46	10	56	18
Clinical chemistry	103	39	142	27
Clinical pharmacology	55	15	70	21
Clinical genetics	19	8	27	30
Clinical pathology	134	64	198	32
Clinical cytology	67	26	93	28
Forensic medicine	20	9	29	31
Community (social) medicine	40	19	59	32
Industrial Health	436	172	608	28
Student Health	30	42	72	58
Dermatology – venereology	136	212	348	61
Neurology	232	91	323	28
Infectious diseases	297	157	454	35
Rehabilitation medicine	100	119	219	54
Oncology	158	143	301	48
Nutrition	5	2	7	29
Pain management	75	22	97	23
Nuclear medicine	64	14	78	18

No. Specialists Certificates	16 870	9 520	26 390	36
No. Physical Persons	12 947	7 695	20 642	37

Note: Physicians may be qualified in more than one speciality and thus appear more than once in the table.

Members < 65 Years; by Health Service Area 2004-01-01

Health Service Area	Physicians	Population (1 000)	Population/Physician
Stockholm	7 011	1 859	265
Uppsala	1 329	300	226
Södermanland	596	260	436
Östergötland	1 368	415	303
Jönköping	761	329	432
Kronoberg	425	177	416
Kalmar	588	235	400
Gotland	163	58	356
Blekinge	380	150	395
Skåne	3 903	1 151	295
Halland	651	281	432
Västra Götaland	4 513	1 514	335
Värmland	663	274	413
Örebro	823	274	333
Västmanland	664	260	392
Dalarna	718	277	386
Gävleborg	647	277	428
Västernorrland	591	244	413
Jämtland	361	128	355
Västerbotten	1 140	256	225
Norrbottnen	599	253	422
Total	27 894	8 971	322

Distribution of Members 2003

Public Health Service	23 300
Specialists at Hospitals	12 000
General Practitioners, GP	4 300
Residents, licensed – (ST)	5 000
Residents, non licensed – (AT)	2 000
Private Practice	2 000
Occupational Health	600
Others	2 000
Total	27 900

Number of Physicians 1950 – 2020 (<65 Years)

Year	Physicians	% Females	Population/Physician
1950	4 900	9	1 440
1960	7 100	13	1 060
1970	10 600	17	770
1980	18 000	25	460
1990	24 000	34	350
2000	28 000	39	320
2005	29 900	43	300
2010	30 400	47	300
2015	29 300	51	320
2020	28 700	55	330

Miscellaneous Health Care Statistics

Medical Education

Students admitted to medical schools 2003 1 095

Medical Graduates, 2002 769

Doctors Granted License, 2003 1 695
of whom with Swedish training 805
of whom with foreign training 890

New Residencies for Non-licensed Doctors, 2003 980

Visits to Physicians, 2002

	Specialized care	Primary care
Public Health Service	9.3 mill.	9.4 mill.
Private Health Service	4.1 mill.	3.4 mill.

Number of Beds, 2002 27 900

Health Care Units, 2002

General Hospitals 77
Primary Health Care Centres 1 143

Health Care Costs, 2002 196 800 mill SEK
..... 8.4 % of GDP

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