

OECD Health Statistics 2025

Definitions, Sources and Methods

HEALTHCARE RESOURCES

A_Healthcare Human Resources

Sources and Methods

1 Total health and social employment

2 Physicians

2 1 Practising physicians

2 2 Professionally active physicians

2 3 Physicians licensed to practice

3 Physicians by age group and by sex

4 Physicians by categories

5 Midwives

5 1 Practising midwives

5 2 Professionally active midwives

5 3 Midwives licensed to practice

6 Nurses

6 1 Practising nurses

6 2 Professionally active nurses

6 3 Nurses licensed to practice

6 4 Professional nurses

6 5 Associate professional nurses

6 6 Nurses by age group and by sex ^{New}

7 Caring personnel (Personal care workers)

7 1 Practising caring personnel (personal care workers)

7 2 Professionally active caring personnel (personal care workers)

8 Dentists

8 1 Practising dentists

8 2 Professionally active dentists

8 3 Dentists licensed to practice

9 Pharmacists

9 1 Practising pharmacists

9 2 Professionally active pharmacists

9 3 Pharmacists licensed to practice

10 Physiotherapists

11 Hospital employment

12 Graduates

12 1 Medical graduates

12 2 Dentists graduates

- [12 3 Pharmacists graduates](#)
- [12 4 Midwives graduates](#)
- [12 5 Nursing graduates](#)
- [12 6 Professional nursing graduates](#)
- [12 7 Associate professional nursing graduates](#)

[13 Remuneration of health professionals](#)

- [13 1 Remuneration of general practitioners](#)
- [13 2 Remuneration of specialists](#)
- [13 3 Remuneration of hospital nurses](#)

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