

**Chapter 1 : Doctors That DO | Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine**

*Local doctor retires after 38 years in practice. Family medicine also afforded him the opportunity to deliver babies, perform procedures, practice orthopedics and more. and the life he saw.*

Thailand[ edit ] The Thai medical education is 6 years system, consisting of 1 year in basic-science, 2 years in pre-clinical training, and 3 years for clinical training. Upon graduation, all medical students must pass national medical licensing examinations and a university-based comprehensive test. After medical school, newly graduated doctor are under contract to spend a year of internship and 2 years of tenure in rural areas before they are eligible for any other residency positions or specialized training. The students will receive Doctor of Medicine MD degree. Specialty training after the MD degree requires at least 4–6 years residency program in the training university hospitals and must pass the board examination. Board certified specialized degree is equivalent to doctorate degree. This section needs additional citations for verification. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed. November Learn how and when to remove this template message In Tunisia, education is free for all Tunisian citizens and for foreigners who have scholarships. The oldest Medical school is a faculty of the University of Tunis. There are four medicine faculties situated in the major cities of Tunis , Sfax , Sousse and Monastir. Admission is bound to the success and score in the baccalaureate examination. Admission score threshold is very high, based on competition among all applicants throughout the nation. Medical school curriculum consists of five years. The first two years are medical theory, containing all basic sciences related to medicine, and the last three years consists of clinical issues related to all medical specialties. During these last three years, the student gets the status of "Externe". The student has to attend at the university hospital every day, rotating around all wards. After those five years, there are two years on internship, in which the student is a physician but under the supervision of the chief doctor; the student rotates over the major and most essential specialties during period of four months each. After that, student has the choice of either passing the residency national exam or extending his internship for another year, after which he gains the status of family physician. The residency program consists of four to five years in the specialty he qualifies, depending on his score in the national residency examination under the rule of highest score chooses first. Whether the student chooses to be a family doctor or a specialist, he has to write a doctoral thesis, which he will be defending in front of a jury, after which he gains his degree of Doctor of Medicine MD. This degree typically requires between four and six years of study and clinical training, and is equivalent to the North American MD degree. Due to the UK code for higher education, first degrees in medicine comprise an integrated programme of study and professional practice spanning several levels. At some universities, this takes the form of a first doctorate, analogous to the Ph. The thesis may consist of new research undertaken on a full- or part-time basis, with much less supervision in the UK than for a Ph. In some commonwealth nations, these interns are designated as "house officers". At some other universities especially older institutions, such as Oxford , Dublin , Cambridge and St Andrews , the MD is a higher doctorate similar to a DSc awarded upon submission of a portfolio of published work representing a substantial contribution to medical research. The MD degree is typically earned in four years. In order to receive board eligible or board accredited status in a specialty of medicine such as general surgery or internal medicine , physicians undergo additional specialized training in the form of a residency. Those who wish to further specialize in areas such as cardiology or interventional radiology then complete a fellowship. This can be lengthened with additional research years, which can last one, two, or more years. Upon graduation, students enter into a residency phase of training. Prior to obtaining an independent practicing license from a provincial regulatory body, students must complete the Medical Council of Canada Qualifying Examination to obtain the Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada LMCC qualifications. Combined medical and research training is offered through programs granting an MD-PhD. After completing the intermediate level of education 12 years the candidate must undergo 5 years of medical training in any medical college to achieve the MBBS degree. After obtaining the degree, the candidate needs to undergo one year of internship to obtain BMDC Bangladesh medical and dental council accreditation in order to practice in

the country. There are no strict requirements regarding research work to be completed during those years yet most courses will offer and enforce some involvement in research. There is no particular distinction in title or abbreviation between physicians and surgeons, or between medical graduates and specialists. In mainland China, some medical schools award MBBS to foreign students while all medical schools award Bachelor of Medicine to nationals. MD is a higher academic research degree. In Colombia, the medicine faculties of the universities awards the title of "Medico Cirujano" after taking 10 semesters of studies on "all clinic and surgery discipline a two semester on internship. After receiving the degree there is a mandatory year "obliged social work" where the doctors practice as GP in the countryside. Residency programs last between 3-4 years depends on the specialty. The postgraduate academic research degree in medicine is a PhD degree. The Danish and Norwegian Candidatus medicinae or Candidata medicinae degrees cand. The programme usually includes a small thesis. It typically consists of at least 6 original publications. In this university graduated the first medical doctors of the Americas and amongst the graduates some Native Americans included. In Finland, the duration of basic medical education is six years and the course leads to the degree of Licentiate of Medicine. This is considered equivalent to the MD title. In Guyana, Doctor of Medicine MD degree is awarded after the completion of 4 years or 5 years of study. After obtaining this degree, graduates have to pass a state examination called "abilitazione alla professione medica", which translates to habilitation exam to medical practice through which they acquire the right to work as a medical doctor. In Japan, the title "Doctor of Medicine MD" is awarded by the government, after graduating from a medical university or college with a 6-year curriculum and passing the national examination. In Kosovo, there are medical high schools. Students from elementary school can choose to attend the medical high school, which lasts 3 years. When they finish the 3 years of medical high school, they practice for 4 months. After that, they can be a nurse or they can go to medical facilities in Pristina, with the education there taking around 6 years, including practice, to become a doctor. This curriculum includes a rotating internship year and a year of social service providing care to an underserved community. This is an undergraduate level degree, which is awarded after completion of four and half years of medical school followed by one year of clinical internship. Most medical schools also offer postgraduate M. In Poland the title of lekarz physician, medical doctor or "lek. Specialization is valued similarly to a specialization in the English system and is a pre-requisite for a "dr. Before the Bologna Process, the same course was only a Licentiate Degree. When the internship ends, the students are placed in their choice of Medical Specialty, according to their ranking in the aforementioned Exam and the vacancies available for each medical specialty. Only when each student finishes the Medical Internship, will they be allowed to practice medicine without supervision. In Serbia and Croatia, the title of "doktor medicine" abbreviated "dr. In Slovenia, the title of "doktor medicine" abbreviated "dr. In schools that are based on the English system of medical teaching, the degree is granted after six years of studying. As for the schools that are adopting the American system, they grant their students the degree of MBBS in only five years. In Ukraine, medical universities in Ukraine offer a 6-year curriculum leading to award Doctor of Medicine MD "Physician" Other postgraduate clinical degrees[ edit ] There is also a similar advanced professional degree to the postgraduate MD: The equivalence of these degrees, but their differing names, prevents the need for surgeons addressed as Mr. In Ireland, where the basic medical qualification includes a degree in obstetrics, there is a similar higher degree of Master of the Art of Obstetrics MAO. A Master of Midwifery was formerly examined by the Worshipful Society of Apothecaries of London hence MMSA but fell into abeyance in the s; in this case, the term Master referred not to a university degree but rather a professional rank that is common among craft guilds. In East Africa, the medical schools in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda award the degree of Master of Medicine MMed degree in both surgical and medical specialty disciplines following a three to six-year period of instruction. While DO physicians are only licensed to practice the full scope of medicine and surgery in 65 countries. Work Based Learning e-Journal. Retrieved 8 April

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Back to Top Can a doctor charge me for copies of my medical records or x-rays? This only applies if you have made a written request for a copy of your medical records to be provided to you. As long as you requested your medical records in writing, to be sent directly to you and not to anyone else, like your new doctor , the physician is required to send you a copy within specified time limits. If you are having difficulty getting your records, you can file a complaint with the Medical Board. Back to Top Does a doctor have to give me a copy of reports or records he got from me or from other doctors? The guidelines from the California Medical Association indicate that physicians must provide anything that they are maintaining in the medical record for you as the patient , which includes records from other providers. Back to Top How long does a physician need to retain medical records? There is no general law requiring a physician to maintain medical records for a specific period of time. Welfare and Institutions Code section HSC section indicates that providers of health services that are licensed under sections , , , or shall preserve the records for a minimum of seven years following discharge of the patient. Back to Top How long does a physician have to send me the copy of medical records I requested? If you made your request in writing for the records to be sent directly to you, the physician must provide copies to you within 15 days. The physician can charge a reasonable fee for the cost of making the copies. If the physician does not comply within the time frame you can file a written complaint with the Medical Board. Back to Top What is the penalty if a physician does not respond to my request for a copy of my medical records? The Medical Board may take any action against the physician which is appropriate for failing to provide the records within the legal time limit. Back to Top How can I correct an error in my records? The patient can write an "Addendum" to be placed in his or her medical file. The original information will not be removed, but the new information, signed and dated by the patient, will be placed in the file. Health and Safety Code section states that an adult patient "shall have the right to provide to the health care provider a written addendum with respect to any item or statement in his or her records that the patient believes to be incomplete or incorrect. Do the records belong to me? No, they do not belong to the patient. Medical records are the property of the medical provider or facility that prepares them. The patient has a right to view the originals, and to obtain copies under Health and Safety Code sections - Back to Top Do x-ray films belong to me? The fees you paid for the x-rays or other diagnostic imaging were for the expertise, equipment, and supplies to take the images and diagnose them. You have a right to obtain copies of your films if you make a written request that they be provided directly to you and not to anyone else. The physician can charge you the actual cost of making the copies of the films. There is no central "repository" for medical records. The "active" patients are usually notified by mail as a courtesy , and told where to obtain their records. Write to the doctor at that address, even if the doctor has died, and request that a copy of your records be sent to you. The doctor has 15 days from the time your letter is received to send you a copy of your records, if the records are still available. If the doctor died and did not transfer the practice to someone else, you might have to check your local Probate Court to see whether the doctor has an executor for his or her estate. You could then contact the executor to see if you can get a copy of the records. Depending on how much time has passed, whoever is appointed as the custodian of records can have the records destroyed. Back to Top How do I get my medical records transferred to my new doctor? Transferring records between providers is considered a "professional courtesy" and is not covered by law. Most physicians do not charge a fee for transferring records, but the law does not govern this practice so there is nothing to preclude them from charging a copying fee. There is also no time limit on transferring records. You might wish to contact your local medical society to see if it has developed any guidelines on medical record transfer issues. If you want to insure that your new doctor receives a copy of your medical records from your previous doctor, you can write your previous doctor requesting that a copy of your medical records be sent directly to you. When you receive your records, you can provide a copy of those records to any provider you choose. If you select this method, the doctor must provide

the records within 15 days of receipt of your request. [Back to Top](#) Can a doctor charge to send a copy of my records to another doctor? Most physicians do not charge a fee for transferring records, but the law does not govern this practice so there is nothing to preclude them from charging a copying or transfer fee. There is also no time limit for record transfers, or no penalty for failure to transfer the records, since this is a professional courtesy. You might wish to contact your local medical society to see if it has developed any guidelines on record transfer issues. [Back to Top](#) How do I obtain copies of my lab results? Health and Safety Code section requires the health care professional who requested the test be performed to provide a copy of the results to the patient, if requested either orally or in writing. Depending on the results of the tests, some physicians may want the patient to schedule an appointment to review and discuss the results and any follow-up testing or treatment that might be required.

## Chapter 3 : A Doctor Retires-Is There Life After Medicine?: calendrierdelascience.com: Orel Friedman: Bo

*Maybe leaving medicine is different because of the way that many people regard being a doctor as if it is more than a job, that it is a 'vocation,' rather like being a priest or other member of the clergy.*

The doctors and nurses cared for his sister, who had been diagnosed with a rare form of meningitis, around the clock for two weeks as the family observed and leaned on each other in prayer. Story continues below gallery

Dr. David Stout sits in his office. David Stout works on a laptop in his office. David Stout reads a card from his staff on his last day of practice at Family Medical Center in Seymour. That moment was decades ago, and after 38 years in practice, Stout retired a week ago. After much thought, consideration and prayer, the year-old announced his retirement in the spring, and he worked his final day last week at Family Medical Center in Seymour. During his last day, his staff gave him a card and a gift certificate to purchase a plant for his garden. The majority had tears in their eyes as Stout opened the card. That took an emotional toll, he said. Many want to be a doctor, but Stout had committed to the idea of being a doctor long before the question was asked. So after he graduated from Seymour High School in and Western Kentucky University in , Stout attended medical school at Indiana University and graduated in He practiced a year in Indianapolis after a residency at St. By coincidence, Fish ended up being one of his first patients when he founded Family Medical Center. Of the years he has practiced, he estimates about 15 were in solo practice, which was challenging, but also forged close relationships with his patients. Seeing that happen given their history is special. Stout has loved every part of the medical profession, even dating back to medical school in the late s. Medical school required a grueling schedule of constant study, especially the first two years when it was all academics. Vincent provided him with more hands-on experience. After his residency, he practiced for a year in the suburbs of Indianapolis before returning to Seymour to open Family Medical Center. He liked surgery and procedures through medical school but decided on family medicine because of the close relationship with patients. Family medicine also afforded him the opportunity to deliver babies, perform procedures, practice orthopedics and more. Stout said doctors also pride themselves on the amount of time they put into a patient visit. Medical mission work also has been close to his heart for nearly two decades. Most of his work has been done in Haiti, although he has made trips to Honduras. He began going to Haiti in the early s and has gone between 10 and 15 times since. The first trip was to the north coast of Haiti, and the life he saw there made a significant impact on him. Stout is a member of a team of missionaries and local Haitians who brought a clinic to Chambron, outside Port au Prince. The trip was obviously delayed, but Stout returned a few weeks later to assist in the aftermath. Stout said the earthquake woke the world up to the plight of the Haitian people and brought an understanding to living conditions and lack of medical care. The mission work "like a career in medicine" has been a calling for Stout, and he plans to return there to help in retirement. He also enjoys gardening, music and fishing.

## Chapter 4 : Sports Medicine Doctor | School, Career and Salary Guide

*For those now contemplating life after practice, he offers this advice on retirement for doctors View retirement as significant rite of passage"and plan accordingly. "It is a major life transition," he said, "and you have to prepare for it mentally, physically and financially."*

## Chapter 5 : The DO Difference - Doctors That DO | Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine

*A Doctor Retires Is There Life After Medicine Managing Stroke A Guide To Living Well After Stroke Spinoza Contra Phenomenology Mobiliario Del Siglo Xviii.*

## Chapter 6 : Doctor of Medicine - Wikipedia

*There are five steps to become a medical doctor. Step-By-Step Guide for Becoming a Doctor of Medicine. A medical doctor is a health care professional who examines patients, diagnoses ailments.*

**Chapter 7 : A Doctor Retires There Life After Medicine?: Orel Friedman: calendrierdelascience.com: Boo**

*There are many other ways to make a life after work meaningful. Travel, hobbies, college classes and music lessons all become more accessible when the daily grind is left behind.*

**Chapter 8 : Local doctor retires after 38 years in practice**

*And then there are those doctors who left medicine because the cons of the job started to far outweigh the pros. "After 20 years, I quit medicine and none of my colleagues were surprised.*

**Chapter 9 : Life after medicine | Retiring from Medicine is not the end of the roadâ€¦!**

*After providing diagnoses, a doctor treats patients who are suffering from diseases and injuries. A doctor, also called a physician, has either the initials M.D. (medical doctor) or D.O. (doctor of osteopathic medicine) after his her name.*