

Box 1: Most common countries of origin of provisionally licensed international medical graduates in 2003 by province

British Columbia

South Africa
UK
Ireland
India
Australia/Pakistan

Alberta

South Africa
India/Pakistan
Egypt/England

Saskatchewan

South Africa
India
Pakistan
Nigeria

Libya

Manitoba

South Africa
Greece
USSR
India

Iran

Ontario*

UK, India, South Africa,
Egypt, Russia

Quebec

France
Belgium
Brazil
Lebanon

Egypt

New Brunswick†

Philippines/India
Egypt, Nigeria, Dominican Republic,
Belarus, Jordan, Cameroon

Nova Scotia

Egypt
India
Sri Lanka
Poland

Iraq

PEI*

Pakistan, India, South Africa, Ireland, UK,
Hong Kong, Greece, Antilles, Jamaica,
France, Tanzania, Columbia, Bangladesh

Newfoundland and Labrador

South Africa
Pakistan
India
Egypt
Libya
Nigeria

*Listed in no particular order.

†Listed in no particular order after Philippines/India.

Source: provincial medical boards.