

Visitor profile data

MEDICA 2008

World Forum for Medicine

Results of the visitor and exhibitor survey MEDICA 2008

No. of visitors	136.871
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Origin of visitors	
Germany	54 %
Abroad	46 %

Visitors from Germany	
North	11 %
West	49 %
East	9 %
South West	15 %
South	16 %

56 %
77 %
23 %
44 %
57 %
4 %
11 %
15 %
13 %

Visitors attendance statistics	
Trade visitors	97 %
First time visitors	34 %
Average days spent at MEDICA	1.8 days

Sector/Occupation	
Medical practise	12 %
Physiotherapist practise	5 %
Other practise	1 %
Medical laboratory/institute	7 %
Hospital/clinic	21 %
Medical Care Centre	6 %
Rehabilitation centre/residential home/Government authority	3 %
Industry	17 %
Trade	20 %
Service	4 %
University/College/techn. college	1 %
In education/training	2 %
Public institution	1 %

Profession	
Doctor	17 %
Non medical practitioner	1 %
Physiotherapist	7 %
Visitors with medical and pharmaceutical qualification	32 %
Others	43 %

Profile of Doctors/Area of activity	
In independent practice	51 %
- General practioner	29 %
- Specialist	71 %
Full -time occupation in hospital/clinic	37 %
- Senior physician	17 %
- Assistant senior physician	20 %
- Ward physician	21 %
- Assistant junior physician	42 %
Doctors in other non medical occupation	12 %

Competence about decisions	
Decisive authority	35 %
Co-decisive authority	37 %
Consultative capacity	20 %
Not involved in decision-making	8 %

Exhibit Area according to interest expressed/ Visitors interests (more than one response possible)	
Electromedicine/medical technology	49 %
Requisites and consumer durables for practices and hospitals	29 %
Diagnostics	27 %
Laboratory technology	23 %
Information and communication technology	29 %
First aid/emergency devices and equipment	12 %
Operating tables, medical support units, medical furniture	19 %
Physiotherapy/Orthopaedic technology	25 %
Publications	5 %
Clothing	8 %
Facility Management	4 %
Premises and building technology	4 %

General assessment	
Satisfactory	98 %
Less satisfactory	2 %

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