



Candidates Certified by Country (Non-US)

Presented here are the total number of certificates and the number of currently valid certificates issued by the ABIM by country and discipline as of May 1, 2021. Country identification is based on the most recent address (outside the United States) provided to the ABIM by the physician. The ABIM has limited contact with some Board Certified physicians. Therefore, the accuracy of many addresses is uncertain. These data are updated annually.

The "Total" column identifies the total number of certificates issued. The "Valid Certificates" column excludes certified internists/subspecialists known to be deceased and/or those whose certificates are no longer valid. Physicians must meet MOC requirements, i.e., pass an assessment, earn points, and provide attestation (if applicable like Interventional Cardiology) in order to retain a valid certificate.

Note that the number of certificates issued is not the number of certified internists/subspecialists practicing in each discipline listed.

This document contains data for countries that have at least 5 diplomates with a valid ABIM certification.

*ABIM Board Certified physicians only

Number of Certificates Issued by Country and Discipline

Country		Internal Medicine	Adolescent Medicine*	Adult Congenital Heart Disease	Advanced Heart Failure /Transplant Cardiology	Cardiovascular Disease	Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology	Critical Care Medicine*	Endocrinology, Diabetes, and Metabolism	Gastroenterology	Geriatric Medicine*	Hematology	Hospice and Palliative Medicine*	Infectious Disease	Interventional Cardiology	Medical Oncology	Nephrology	Pulmonary Disease	Rheumatology	Sleep Medicine*	Sports Medicine*	Transplant Hepatology*	Total	
Argentina	Total	17				4			1			1		1		2	2		1					29
	Valid	5				3			1								1							10
Australia	Total	62				7		5		5	3	2		4		2		6	4	1				101
	Valid	24				3		2		1	1	1		4		2		3	1					42
Bahamas	Total	18				2				2		1				1	2	1						27
	Valid	4								1							1	1						7
Bahrain	Total	16				3		1	4		1	1		2	3	1			1					33
	Valid	6				2			3			1		2	1				1					16
Barbados	Total	8				2		2			1				1			2						16
	Valid	6				1		1			1				1			2						12
Belgium	Total	13												4		1		1	1					20
	Valid	4																	1					5
Bermuda	Total	10												1			2							13
	Valid	5												1			2							8
Brazil	Total	47				2		2	2		2	6				10	3	5	1					80
	Valid	5										1				3								9
Canada	Total	3819		4	21	483	29	172	133	138	94	132	15	124	25	194	154	229	106	48		5		5925
	Valid	1375		4	18	187	13	69	64	49	54	47	14	52	10	86	59	89	42	23		5		2260

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Cayman Islands																							
	Total	5				1			1					1									8
	Valid	4							1														5
China																							
	Total	13						1			1					2	1	1					19
	Valid	7						1								1		1					10
Cyprus																							
	Total	15				5		2	3	1	2	1		1	1			1					32
	Valid	4				3			1		1				1								10
Egypt																							
	Total	8						1						1		1	1						12
	Valid	4												1									5
France																							
	Total	28				2				1	1	1		2		1		1					37
	Valid	9									1												10
Germany																							
	Total	85			1	8	1	3	3	4	1	1		5		2	10	2	4	1			131
	Valid	21			1	3	1	1	1	2	1			1			5	2	2	1			42
Greece																							
	Total	60				17	4	2	3	7	1	2	1	10	5	4	1		1				118
	Valid	15				7	1	1	1	2				3	2	2							34
Hong Kong																							
	Total	23		1		7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	2				47
	Valid	15		1		5				1	1	1	1		2	1	1	1					30
Iceland																							
	Total	36				7		2	1	6	5	3	1	1		1	4	3	1			2	73
	Valid	8				3				2		1		1		1		1					17
India																							
	Total	173			2	14	1	21	16	2	7	9	1	4	5	10	20	16	2	3			306
	Valid	80			2	8		18	9			6		1	4	6	15	13		3			165
Ireland																							
	Total	72				9	1	9	10	4		2		5	2	3	7	14	4	2			144
	Valid	14				3		2	3	1				1			1	3	1	1			30
Israel																							
	Total	98				6	1	8	5	4	9	3		3		6	5	10	3	1			162
	Valid	31					1	5	1	3		3		2		3	2	5	1	1			58
Italy																							
	Total	18				5			1			1					1						27
	Valid	3				1			1														5
Japan																							
	Total	119				10		8	5	3	10	6	3	18	4	10	9	5	8				218
	Valid	82				6		7	4	3	8	6	3	14	2	9	6	5	7				162
Jordan																							
	Total	67				13	1	5	7	6	1	4	2	4	7	6	5	8	4				140
	Valid	12				2		1	3	2		2	1		2	3	2	2	1				33

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Kuwait	Total	60				11	1	1	6	3		4			1	1	3	7	2				100
	Valid	12				4			3	1					1		1						22
Lebanon	Total	48				12	1	6	4	5	1	2		6	7	2	3	6	1	2			106
	Valid	15				5	1	4	3	2				4	2	1	3	4	1	2			47
Malaysia	Total	9									2	1	1	1		1	3						18
	Valid	4											1	1		1							7
Malta	Total	2						1						1				1					5
	Valid	2						1						1				1					5
Mexico	Total	24						2	5	2	1			1		1	3	2	2				43
	Valid	6							3														9
Nepal	Total	6						1	1					1				1					10
	Valid	4												1									5
Netherlands	Total	6				2												1		1			10
	Valid	3				1												1					5
New Zealand	Total	43				5		1	1		3	2	2	5	2	2	2		1				69
	Valid	25				1		1	1		1	1	2	2		1	1		1				37
Oman	Total	22				2	1	2	2	5		1		2		1	1		1				40
	Valid	8				1	1		1	1				1		1	1		1				16
Pakistan	Total	101				13	2	11	5	4	2	7		6	4	10	17	11	3	3			199
	Valid	48				9		8	3	2	2	4		4	3	7	13	7	1	3			114
Peru	Total	19				2		1		4				3				2					31
	Valid	5																1					6
Philippines	Total	57				12		4	8	2	3			3	4	1	3	4	5	1		1	108
	Valid	10				2		3	2	2	1			1	2	1	1	3	2	1		1	32
Puerto Rico	Total	56				1		1	1	4	1	1		2		1	2	3					73
	Valid	49				1		1	1	3	1	1		2		1	2	3					65
Qatar	Total	40				6		5	7	1	3	3		1	4	3	3	7	3	5			91
	Valid	17				5		5	4	1	1			1	3	2	1	5	3	3			51
Saudi Arabia	Total	298		1	1	32	3	26	21	25	6	28	3	20	8	25	27	40	16	2		3	585
	Valid	103			1	9	1	16	13	12	3	4	3	9	4	9	11	14	3	1		2	218
Singapore	Total	70			1	5		3	5	3		10	1	11	4	16	6	2	2				139
	Valid	32			1	4		2	1	3		3	1	8	3	6	3	1	2				70

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South Africa						1			2	1		1											12
	Total	7				1			2	1		1											12
	Valid	3							1	1													5
South Korea										1							1		2	1			18
	Total	13								1							1		2	1			18
	Valid	9								1							1		2	1			14
Spain						1	1	2		1	1	4		1		2	1	5	2				47
	Total	26				1	1	2		1	1	4		1		2	1	5	2				47
	Valid	5				1	1							1				2					10
Switzerland						6		5	3	1	1	1		11		5	2	6	1				107
	Total	65				6		5	3	1	1	1		11		5	2	6	1				107
	Valid	16				3		1				1		3		2	2	1					29
Taiwan						4	1		1	1	1	1				2							27
	Total	16				4	1		1	1	1	1				2							27
	Valid	6				1						1				1							9
Thailand																							
	Total	175		1	1	25	5	19	16	6	6	14		19	7	11	22	19	15	2		1	364
	Valid	57		1	1	9	3	5	8	2	1	3		10	2	4	13	4	10	1			134
Trinidad And Tobago																							
	Total	19				2		1		1		1		1	1	1	2	1	1				31
	Valid	12				2				1		1		1	1	1	2	1	1				23
Turkey																							
	Total	25			1	3	1	1		2		4			2	8	1	1	2			1	52
	Valid	6			1	1									1	2			1				12
United Arab Emirates																							
	Total	173			1	22	2	20	26	9	3	11	1	10	8	10	15	18	5	1		1	336
	Valid	75			1	15	1	14	21	6	3	9	1	8	5	9	11	11	2	1		1	194
United Kingdom																							
	Total	98				3	1	5	5	1	4	2	2	12		3	5	9	3				153
	Valid	36						2	3		2		2	7		1	2	3	2				60

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