



Intealth™
Advancing the Global Health Workforce

ECFMG® J-1 Visa Sponsorship, 2023

Essential to U.S. Health Care

ECFMG, a division of Intealth™, is the sole J-1 visa sponsor of foreign national physicians in U.S. graduate medical education (GME).

More than

14,600

physicians in residency and fellowship programs

From about



150

different countries of origin

Serving patients at more than



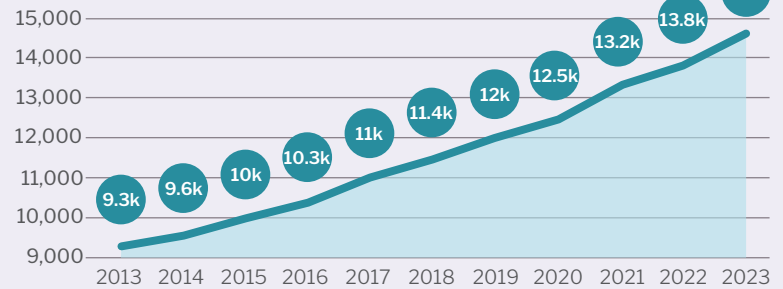
750

teaching hospitals across the nation

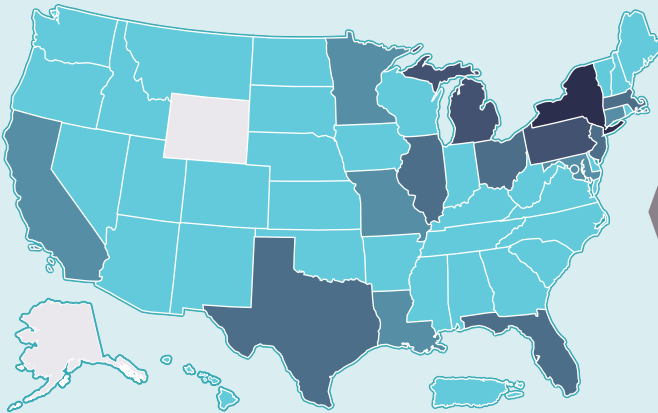
Number of J-1 Physicians Sponsored

Each year, thousands of foreign national physicians train in J-1 visa status in the United States, where they represent an increasingly significant proportion of the trainees on our health care teams. The number of J-1 physicians training and serving patients in U.S. teaching hospitals has increased 58% over the past decade.

14,644 J-1 physicians in U.S. GME programs last year.



2,500+
2,000
1,500
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States with Highest Number of J-1s

J-1 physicians train across the nation in 48 states, plus the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

New York	2,687	Massachusetts	704
Pennsylvania	1,026	Ohio	652
Michigan	1,023	New Jersey	557
Texas	919	Connecticut	448
Florida	771	California	389
Illinois	709	Maryland	389

Specialties Pursued by J-1 Physicians

J-1 physicians train and serve in high numbers in primary-care specialties, including Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, and Family Medicine. This means that J-1 physicians are frequently among our frontline providers.

