

# SDAMPP Residency Program Survey Results

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## Reporting Period

January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011

## Survey Logistics

- Results were tabulated to allow comparison to the 2009 and 2010 survey results. However, the number of programs responding each year varies so the comparison is not “one-to-one”.

## Programs Responding

	2009	2010	2011
# Responders			
Accredited	23	32	39
Unaccredited	12	6	5
Location			
US	30	33	40
Canada	5	4	3
Ireland	0	1	1
Specialty			
Therapy	30	34	39
Imaging	5	4	7

## Applicants

	2009	2010	2011
# applications reviewed	1651	2342 (2246 TP / 96 IP)	2108 (1956 TP / 152 IP)
# offered admission	65	85 (71 TP / 14 IP)	81 (70 TP / 11 IP)
# matriculated	60	61 (55 TP / 6 IP)	70 (61 TP / 9 IP)

## Entering Class

Background	2009	2010	2011
CAMPEP Med Phys Prog	49.2%	52.2%	62.9%
Non-CAMPEP Med Phys Prog	23.1%	11.9%	12.9%
Non-Med Phys Prog	24.6%	32.8%	21.4%
Other	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%
MS/MSc Degree	24.2%	31.0%	27.8%
PhD Degree	75.8%	69.0%	65.3%
DMP Degree Program	---	---	6.9%

## Gender / Nationality

Gender / Nationality	2009	2010	2011
Male	64.2%	70.7%	75.0%
Female	35.8%	29.3%	25.0%
Domestic	75.5%	78.3%	84.5%
International	24.5%	21.7%	15.5%

## Residency Slots

	2009	2010	2011
Slots per year			
Therapy	47.5	51.5	58.5
Imaging	6.0	5.5	7.5
Total enrolled			
Therapy	88	102	130
Imaging	11	12	19
# Completed program			
Therapy	36	40	48
Imaging	6	5	5

## Delay Before First Job

2010: Average of 5.5 months reported

2011: Average of 1.9 months reported

## # Residents Who Entered Board Exam Process

	2009	2010	2011
ABR	48	54	75
CCPM	8	0	8
ABMP	0	0	0
ABSNM	0	0	0

## Faculty

	2009	2010	2011
Average # Faculty	11.9	10.8	10.1
Range	3 – 40	1 – 40	3 – 40

## Plans for DMP

	2009	2010	2011
No	30	29	37
Under consideration	3	7	2
In preparation	2	2	2
CAMPEP accredited	0	0	1

## Plans for Additional Slots

	2009	2010	2011
No	23	16	24
Under consideration	8	13	8
In preparation	3	1	5
Expect approval soon		3	1
Already approved	1	5	6

Estimated new slots/yr if implemented (2009 / 2010 / 2011)?

- Rad Phys: 24 / 23 / 17
- Diag Phys: 3 / 3 / 3

## Didactic / Clinical Training

	2009	2010	2011
Credit hrs req'd coursework (average) <sup>1</sup>	---	5.4	4.1
Months req'd clinical training (average) <sup>2</sup>	---	24.7	25.4

### Notes:

- 1) There are very wide ranges of responses to this question, from "0 as all come from CAMPEP-accredited graduate programs" to "16 if entering with no medical physics coursework" and "depends on resident".
- 2) This is the average of reported values. However, several responders noted that the residency could be 24 months or 36 months in duration, the latter most commonly associated with a 12 month research option.

## Additional Training

Area	%Yes, required	%Yes, optional	%Not offered
Safety	100 / 100 / 98	0 / 0 / 2	0 / 0 / 0
Responsible Conduct	88 / 82 / 84	6 / 13 / 11	6 / 5 / 5
Professionalism	72 / 66 / 73	14 / 16 / 16	14 / 18 / 11
Leadership	46 / 37 / 27	14 / 16 / 43	40 / 47 / 30
Regulatory Issues	91 / 95 / 89	6 / 5 / 9	3 / 0 / 2
Career Development	34 / 29 / 25	34 / 39 / 50	32 / 32 / 25
Board Exam Prep	83 / 57 / 55	17 / 30 / 34	0 / 14 / 11

Values provided are 2009 / 2010 / 2011 results