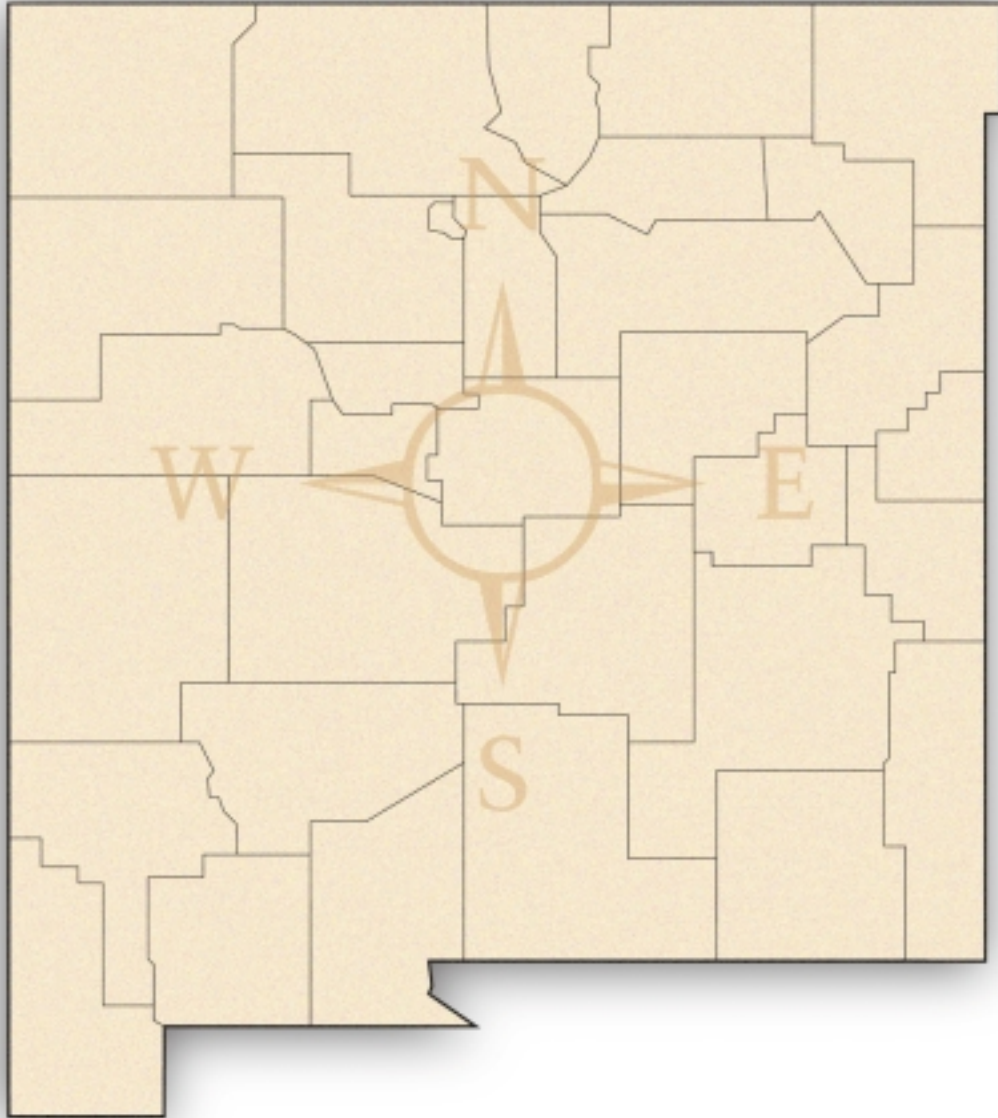




THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO ♦ HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER  
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

## LOCATION REPORT, 2001



University of New Mexico School of Medicine  
MD Recipients and Former Residents

## Facts about MD Recipients<sup>†</sup> and Former Residents<sup>‡</sup> of the UNM School of Medicine<sup>\*</sup>

**TABLE 1: TOTAL NUMBER OF UNM SOM MD RECIPIENTS AND FORMER RESIDENTS**

MD Recipients	1,320
Former Residents	3,006
Individuals with Combined Status <sup>§</sup> (MD Recipients and Former Residents)	730
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,056</b>

- 576 MD recipients of the UNM School of Medicine (UNM SOM) have completed their residency training, are licensed to practice in New Mexico, and have a New Mexico address. This represents 28% of the total number of MD recipients from UNM SOM (N=2,050).
- 1,222 physicians who received their MD and/or completed their residencies at the UNM School of Medicine are licensed to practice in New Mexico. This represents 24% of the School's total number of MD recipients and former residents (N=5,056).
- Of the 1,222 MD recipients and former residents licensed to practice in New Mexico, 591 (or 48%) are in primary care specialties.
- Over the past 6 years, the number of UNM-trained physicians practicing in New Mexico has grown from 819 to 1,222, a 49% increase.
- Of the 3,509 physicians licensed to practice and in New Mexico\*\*, 35% are MD recipients and/or former residents of the UNM School of Medicine.
- MD recipients and former residents of the UNM School of Medicine are located in 30 of New Mexico's 33 counties.
- 631 MD recipients and former residents licensed to practice in New Mexico are trained in specialties other than primary care. Two hundred sixty-six of them are represented in four specialties, anesthesiology, general surgery, emergency medicine and psychiatry, and are practicing in 19 of New Mexico's 33 counties (see page 5 in this report).

<sup>†</sup> MD Recipients – individuals who received MD degree from the UNM School of Medicine

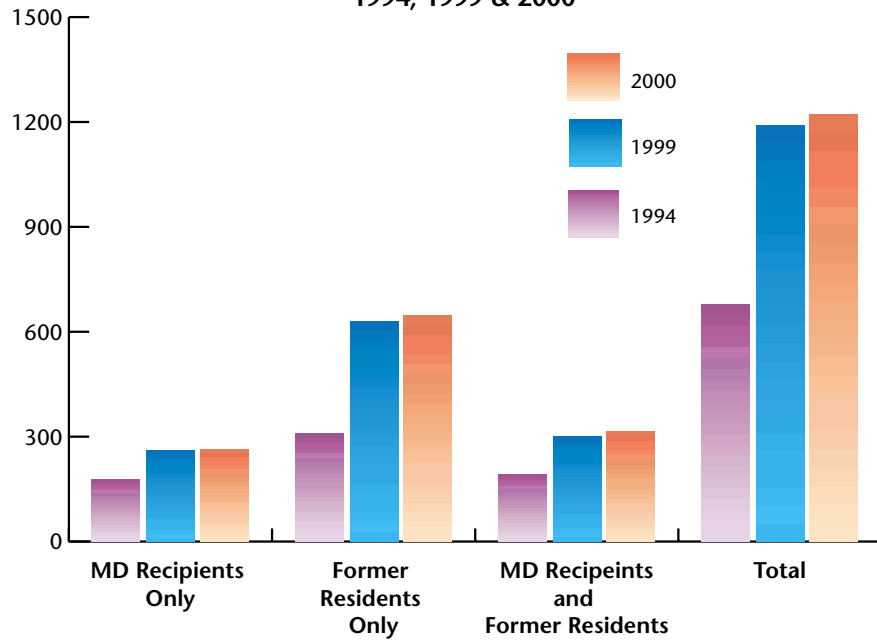
<sup>‡</sup> Former Residents – individuals who participated in or completed residency training or fellowship at UNM SOM

<sup>§</sup> Combined Status – individuals who received MD degree and participated in or completed residency training or fellowship at the UNM School of Medicine

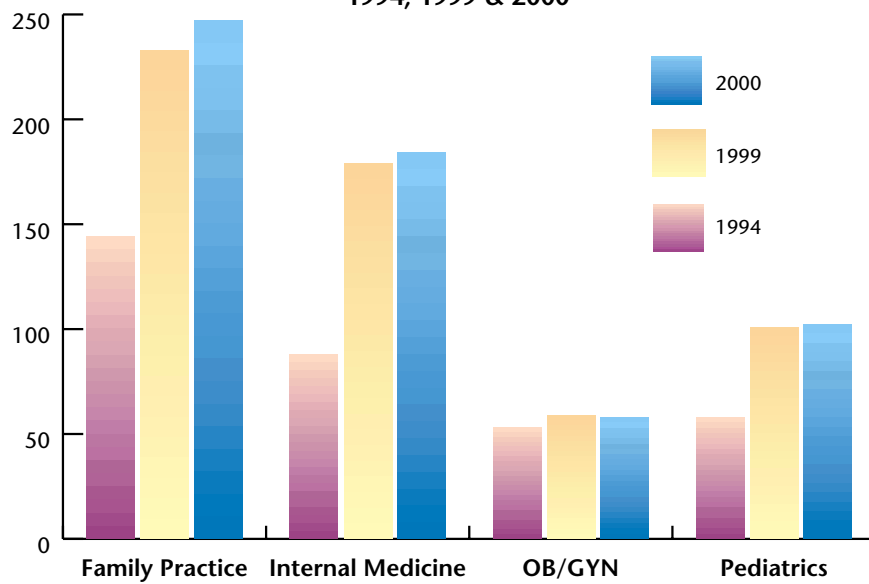
\* Known information as of December, 2000. Please see Approaches and Methods Appendix for more detailed information.

\*\* New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners' 2001 Official List

**Figure 1: UNM School of Medicine  
MD Recipients/Former Residents with New Mexico  
License and Address:  
1994, 1999 & 2000**



**Figure 2: UNM School of Medicine  
MD Recipients/Former Residents with NM License and Address  
in Primary Care Specialties:  
1994, 1999 & 2000**



**TABLE 2: MD RECIPIENTS/FORMER RESIDENTS  
WITH NM LICENSE AND ADDRESS\***

Effective December, 2000

COUNTY	MD ONLY	RESIDENT ONLY	MD AND RESIDENT	TOTAL	ALL PHYSICIANS IN NEW MEXICO**
Bernalillo	127	463	205	795	1,959
Catron	0	0	0	0	2
Chaves	7	8	7	22	101
Cibola	3	2	3	8	22
Colfax	2	4	2	8	23
Curry	4	3	4	11	45
De Baca	0	0	1	1	1
Doña Ana	22	26	18	66	245
Eddy	3	5	3	11	47
Grant	8	7	3	18	60
Guadalupe	0	0	1	1	2
Harding	0	0	0	0	0
Hidalgo	1	0	0	1	1
Lea	1	3	0	4	48
Lincoln	6	1	0	7	25
Los Alamos	5	6	6	17	55
Luna	0	1	1	2	16
McKinley	5	13	2	20	88
Mora	0	0	0	0	0
Otero	9	4	0	13	54
Quay	0	2	0	2	5
Rio Arriba	4	6	5	15	40
Roosevelt	1	2	0	3	17
Sandoval	9	14	7	30	75
San Juan	15	12	13	40	135
San Miguel	4	6	3	13	51
Santa Fe	16	43	23	82	383
Sierra	0	2	0	2	15
Socorro	2	0	1	3	13
Taos	1	8	2	11	50
Torrance	1	1	1	3	2
Union	0	0	1	1	4
Valencia	6	4	2	12	24
<b>Totals</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>3,509</b>

\*Physicians in residency training programs as of December, 2000 are not included in this table.

\*\* Number of physicians by county obtained from the 2001 Official List of the State of New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners.

**TABLE 3: MD RECIPIENTS/FORMER RESIDENTS  
WITH NEW MEXICO LICENSE AND ADDRESS  
IN PRIMARY CARE SPECIALTIES**

Effective December, 2000

COUNTY	FAMILY PRACTICE*	INTERNAL MEDICINE	OBSTETRICS/ GYNECOLOGY	PEDIATRICS	TOTAL
Bernalillo	117	136	36	69	358
Catron	0	0	0	0	0
Chaves	2	1	1	4	8
Cibola	4	1	0	0	5
Colfax	6	1	0	0	7
Curry	1	2	0	0	3
De Baca	1	0	0	0	1
Doña Ana	11	9	3	7	30
Eddy	4	1	0	2	7
Grant	5	2	1	0	8
Guadalupe	1	0	0	0	1
Harding	0	0	0	0	0
Hidalgo	1	0	0	0	1
Lea	0	1	1	1	3
Lincoln	3	2	1	0	6
Los Alamos	6	0	4	0	10
Luna	1	0	0	0	1
McKinley	5	2	2	2	11
Mora	0	0	0	0	0
Otero	3	2	0	1	6
Quay	1	0	0	1	2
Rio Arriba	8	2	0	0	10
Roosevelt	3	0	0	0	3
Sandoval	12	5	1	4	22
San Juan	10	5	1	2	18
San Miguel	4	3	0	1	8
Santa Fe	21	5	7	5	38
Sierra	0	0	0	0	0
Socorro	2	0	0	1	3
Taos	5	2	0	1	8
Torrance	3	0	0	0	3
Union	0	0	0	0	0
Valencia	7	2	0	1	12
<b>Totals</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>591</b>

\*Includes physicians with General Practice specialty.

**TABLE 4: MD RECIPIENTS/FORMER RESIDENTS  
WITH NEW MEXICO LICENSE AND ADDRESS  
IN SELECTED SUBSPECIALTIES**

Effective December, 2000

COUNTY	ANESTHESIOLOGY†	GENERAL SURGERY	EMERGENCY MEDICINE	PSYCHIATRY‡	TOTAL
Bernalillo	25	21	53	74	173
Catron	0	0	0	0	0
Chaves	0	2	1	0	3
Cibola	0	2	1	0	3
Colfax	0	0	0	0	0
Curry	0	4	0	0	4
De Baca	0	0	0	0	0
Doña Ana	7	3	5	4	19
Eddy	0	2	0	0	2
Grant	0	2	1	0	3
Guadalupe	0	0	0	0	0
Harding	0	0	0	0	0
Hidalgo	0	0	0	0	0
Lea	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0
Los Alamos	2	0	0	1	3
Luna	0	0	0	0	0
McKinley	0	0	4	0	4
Mora	0	0	0	0	0
Otero	1	3	0	1	5
Quay	0	0	0	0	0
Rio Arriba	0	1	2	0	3
Roosevelt	0	0	0	0	0
Sandoval	1	0	1	0	2
San Juan	1	4	3	3	11
San Miguel	0	2	1	2	5
Santa Fe	3	3	4	11	21
Sierra	0	1	0	1	2
Socorro	0	0	0	0	0
Taos	0	0	0	1	1
Torrance	0	0	0	0	0
Union	0	1	0	0	1
Valencia	0	0	0	1	1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>266</b>

† Includes the subspecialty Pain Management

‡ Includes the subspecialty Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

TABLE 5: MD RECIPIENTS STATUS BY CLASS YEAR

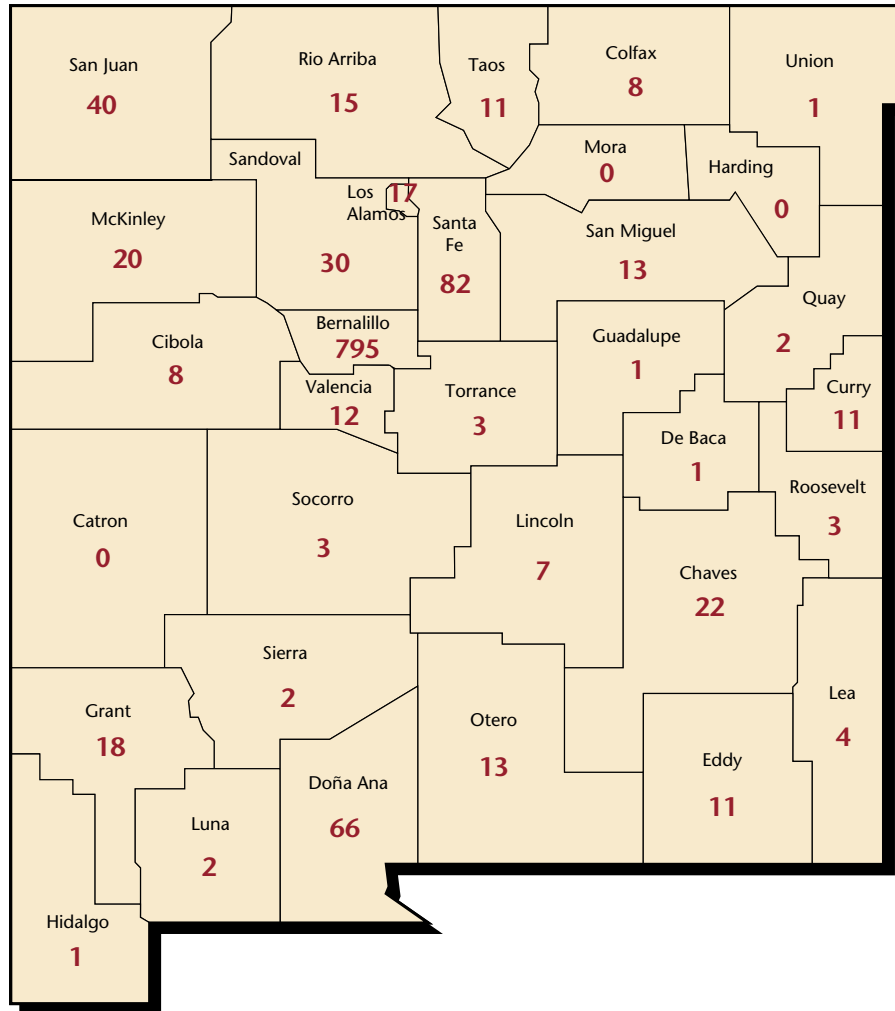
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CLASS YEAR	NUMBER OF GRADS	OUT OF TRAINING		IN TRAINING		DECEASED
		NM LICENSE AND ADDRESS	NOT IN NEW MEXICO*	NEW MEXICO	NOT IN NEW MEXICO	
1968	19	5	12	0	0	2
1969	15	2	13	0	0	0
1970	21	2	16	0	0	3
1971	26	7	18	0	0	1
1972	41	10	29	0	0	2
1973	40	7	30	0	0	3
1974	52	10	41	0	0	1
1975	57	18	39	0	0	0
1976	65	19	45	0	0	1
1977	68	24	43	0	0	1
1978	73	28	41	0	0	4
1979	73	18	55	0	0	0
1980	71	24	43	0	0	4
1981	76	30	45	0	0	1
1982	70	17	51	0	0	2
1983	70	26	43	0	0	1
1984	78	26	49	0	0	3
1985	66	20	45	0	0	1
1986	74	28	43	0	0	3
1987	73	22	50	0	0	1
1988	70	28	41	0	0	1
1989	76	19	54	0	0	3
1990	69	22	47	0	0	0
1991	67	22	45	0	0	0
1992	63	18	44	0	0	1
1993	69	26	42	0	1	0
1994	74	31	40	1	2	0
1995	73	26	46	1	0	0
1996	74	31	38	5	0	0
1997	70	10	48	12	0	0
1998	73	0	0	26	47	0
1999	66	0	0	26	40	0
2000	78	0	0	22	56	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1,196</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>39</b>

\*No known NM license and/or no known NM address.

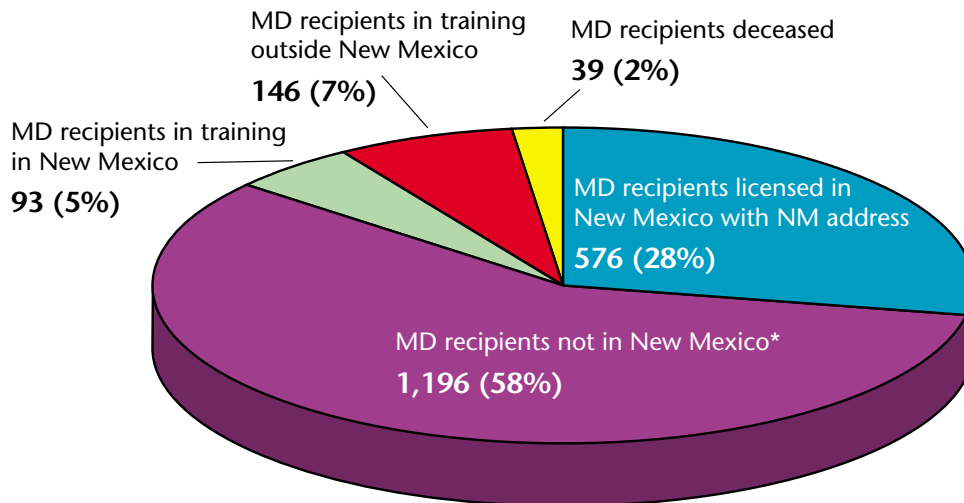
**FIGURE 3: MD RECIPIENTS/FORMER RESIDENTS WITH NEW MEXICO LICENSE AND ADDRESS**

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**FIGURE 4: DISTRIBUTION OF MD RECIPIENTS**

Effective December, 2000



\* No known NM License and/or no known NM Address

## LOCATION REPORT 2001: THE APPROACH AND METHODS

Our interest in this report is to provide the best available evidence about UNM School of Medicine MD recipients and former residents who were in New Mexico as of December 31, 2000. It is important to note that any recent moves or change in location by these individuals may not be reflected in our data.

A number of sources were used in the compilation of this report. The initial lists of names and social security numbers of University of New Mexico School of Medicine MD recipients (1968-2000) and former residents (1955 to 2000) were obtained from two sources: the University of New Mexico School of Medicine's Office of Student Affairs and Office of Graduate Medical Education (GME), respectively.

Several additional sources were used to confirm both names and New Mexico address/location. These included the *New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners' 2001 Official List*, the *Yearbook and Directory of Osteopathic Physicians 2000/2001* and a dataset of 1,200 UNM School of Medicine graduates maintained by the Office of Program Evaluation, Education and Research at UNM SOM.

We confirmed the specialty and location of 1,160 physicians in New Mexico by telephone or mail between October 2000 and May 2001. We were unable to reach 62 of 1,222 physicians included in our total. The basis for confirming individuals for this report was twofold:

- 1) individual was included in Location Report, 2000, or
- 2) State of New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners' 2001 Official List included:
  - information about physicians returning to New Mexico, or
  - information about physicians who completed residency training in past year, were licensed to practice and were practicing in New Mexico.

We developed several strategies to obtain more information about current location for those individuals included in the Location Report, 2000 for whom address and telephone numbers were no longer accurate. We sought and received assistance from ten UNM School of Medicine residency coordinators in locating approximately 40 former residents for whom we had no address or telephone number. We used the 2001 edition of *Directory of Physicians in the United States* published by the AMA to obtain addresses for the other individuals in our database with no current telephone number.

A list of UNM SOM MD recipients and former residents who were believed to be deceased was confirmed through three sources—the UNM SOM Office of Student Affairs, the Alumni Office and the Social Security Death Index. For those individuals whose whereabouts remain unknown or unconfirmed, further investigation will follow.

In addition to self-report, the *New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners' 2001 Official List* and the *Yearbook and Directory of Osteopathic Physicians 2000/2001* became the gold standard for inclusion in this report. These sources, which are based on self-reported license applications, provided information about the current license status and address of both UNM SOM MD recipients and former residents. These data sources do not always distinguish between home and work address. A few individuals in these rosters may work and live in different counties. However, they are reported only once in our data. Individuals who live in New Mexico but are not licensed are reported in our data in the column “Not in New Mexico” which represents those with no known NM license and/or no known NM address.

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