

# Research, Healthcare, and Education Source Note

Indicator: Physicians (per 1,000 people) - Thailand.

Indicator code: SH.MED.PHYS.ZS.

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## Field Dictionary

Field	Meaning	Classroom note
country	Country name	Thailand only in this extract
indicator	World Bank indicator code	SH.MED.PHYS.ZS
year	Reported year	Missing years were omitted
physicians_per_1000_people	Physicians per 1,000 people	National average only
classroom_note	Teaching caveat	Helps learners avoid overclaiming

## Use in class

This source note supports the health-first Research, Healthcare, and Education lane. Learners should use it to cite the data source, check field meanings, and write a cautious evidence memo.

Important limitations: this is aggregate public data, not patient data; it is a national average; missing years are omitted; and changes in the series should not be explained without checking data definitions and context.