

Report Card for Family Doctors in Eastern Health Who Predominantly Practice in Their Clinic

Objective

To provide family doctors in the province with a compilation of information and data about their own individual practice in comparison to their peers.

Data

- Newfoundland and Labrador Provincial Drug Program (NLPDP) (patients ≥ 65 years).
- MCP Fee-for-Service Physician Claims.
- Provincial Discharge Abstract Database for lab and imaging (only Eastern Health data).
- All Family Physicians were provided a report card.
- This report is populated by the median results.

Snapshot of your Practice

1 Jan 2017 to 31 Dec 2017 – Fee-For-Service Doctors

Number of Billings Annually	Percent of Billings for Female Patients	Percent of Billings for Patients >65
5,450	58%	30%

Orders of Potentially Unnecessary Biochemical Tests

1 Jul 2017 to 31 Dec 2017 – Eastern Health Doctors

Test	Number of Tests Ordered
Blood Urea	35
LDH	3
Creatine Kinase	19
AST	14
Ferritin	50
Uric Acid	12

Antibiotic Prescriptions in NLPDP

1 Apr 2017 to 31 Mar 2018 – Provincial Data

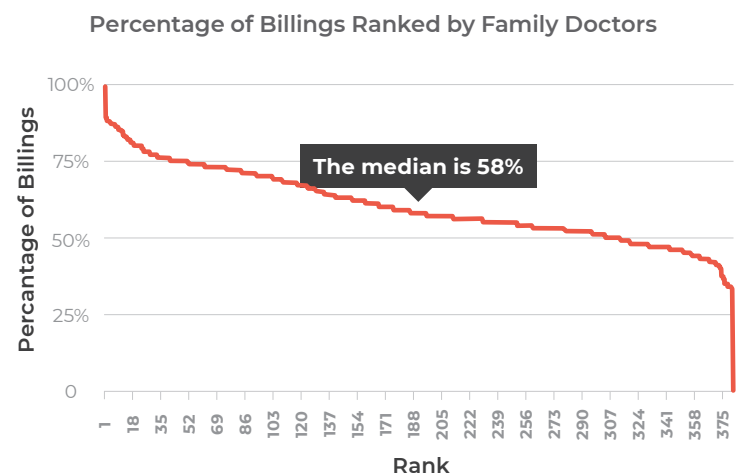
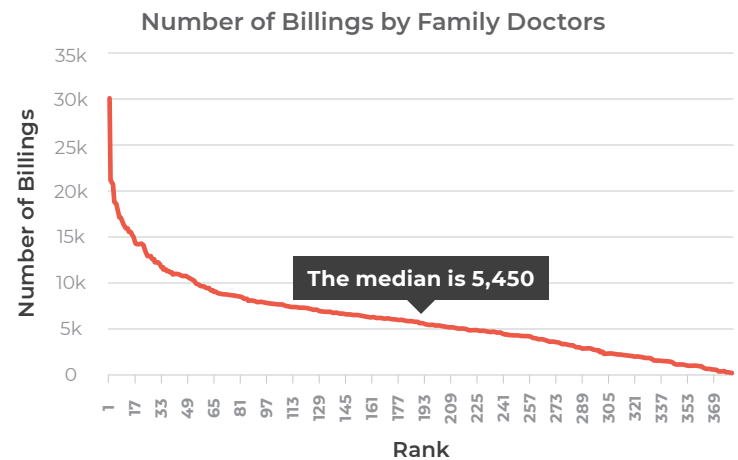
Number of Prescriptions	Number of NLPDP Active Patients	Rate Per 100 NLPDP Active Patients
57	154	42

Orders for Imaging

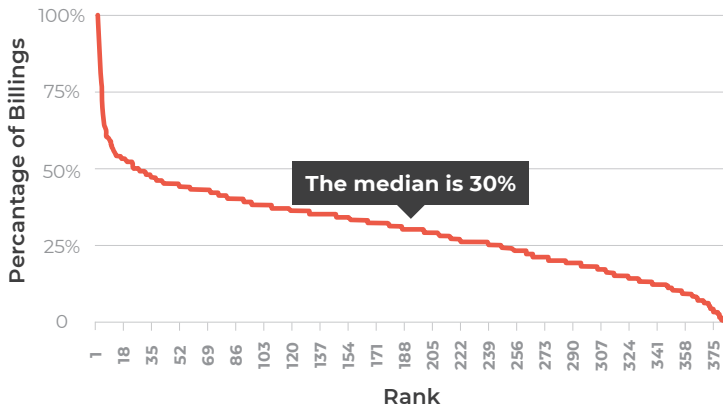
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Imaging Type	Number of Imaging Tests Ordered in the Two Years
All Diagnostic Imagings	1,275
CT Imaging	151
Ultrasound Imaging	266
X-Ray Imaging	876

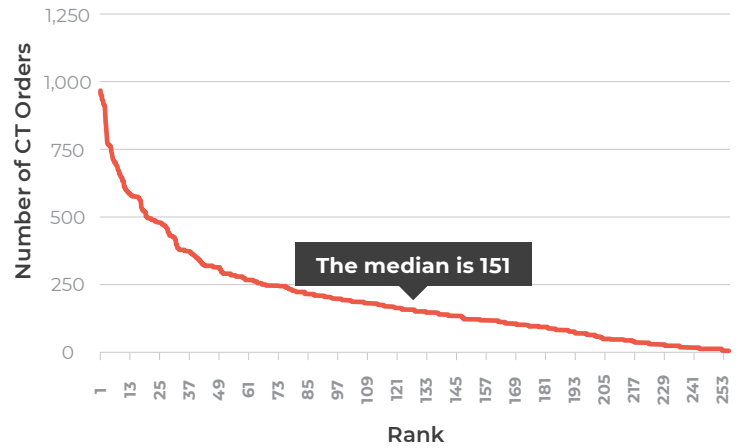
Comparison to Your Peers



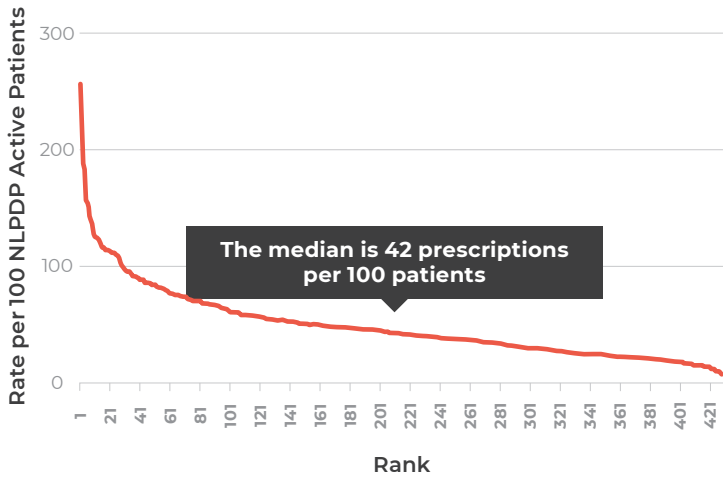
Percentage of Billings for Patients Over 65 Years by Family Doctors



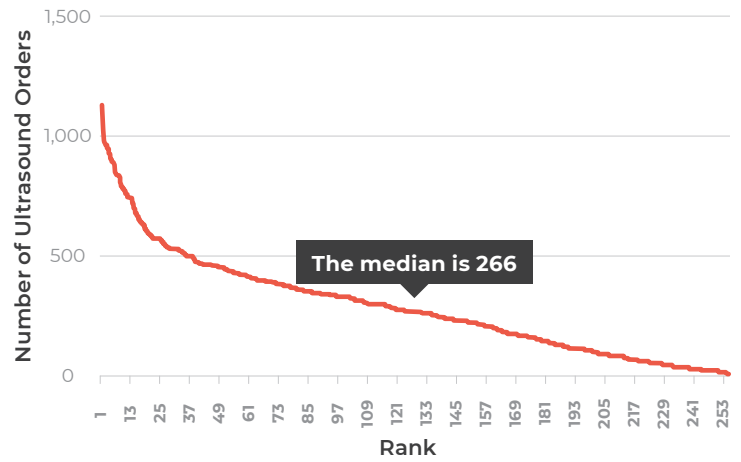
Number of CT Orders by Family Doctor



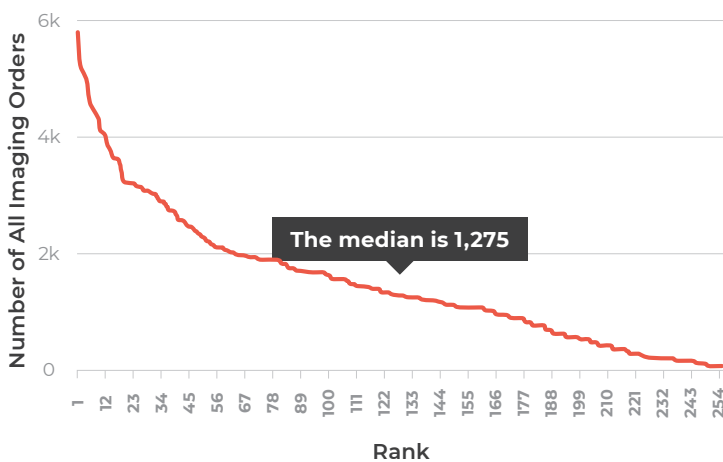
Rate of Antibiotic Prescriptions per 100 NLPDP Active Patients by Family Doctors



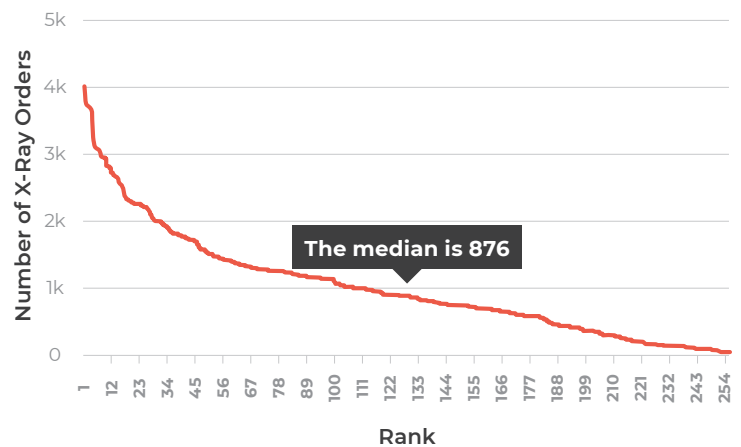
Number of Ultrasound Orders by Family Doctor



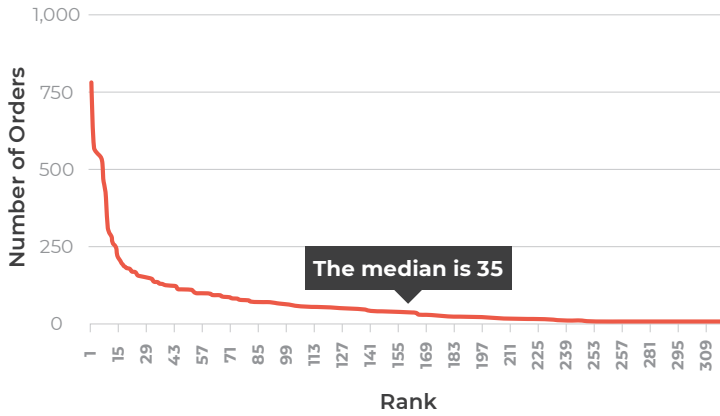
Number of All Types of Diagnostic Imaging Orders by Family Doctors



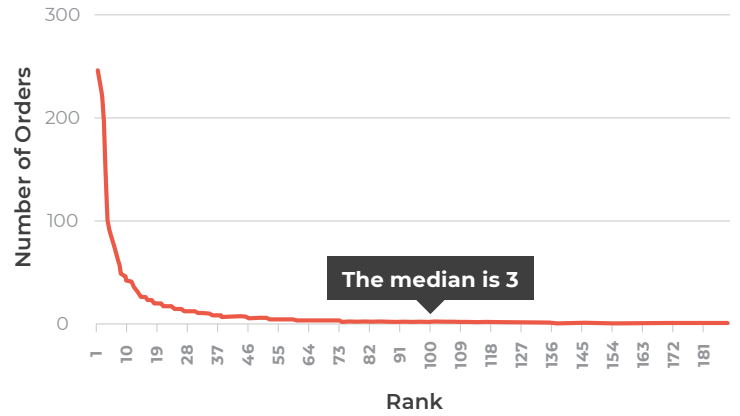
Number of X-Ray Orders by Family Doctors



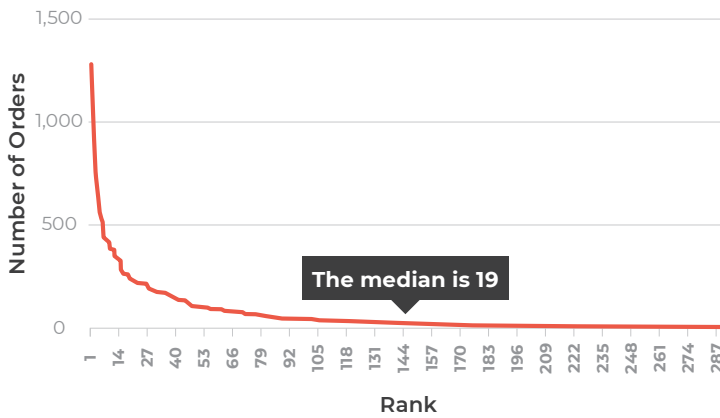
Number of Blood Urea Orders by Family Doctors



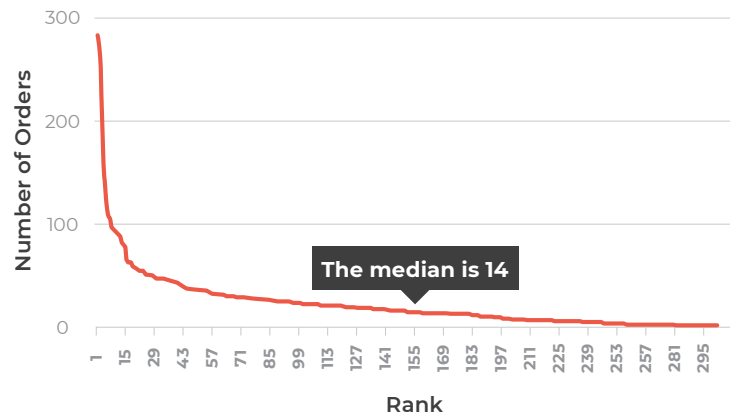
Number of LDH Orders by Family Doctors



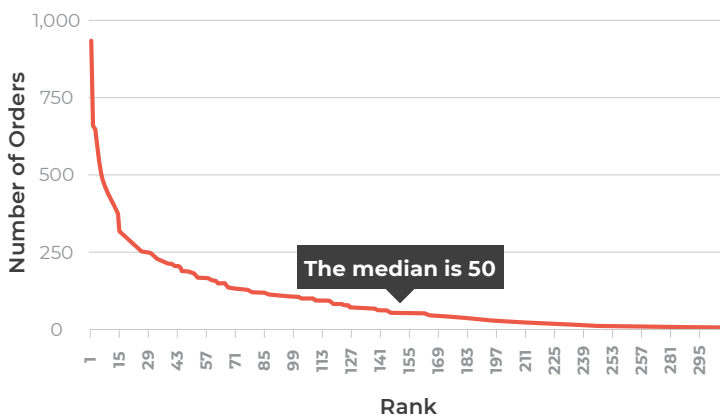
Number of Creatine Kinase Orders by Family Doctors



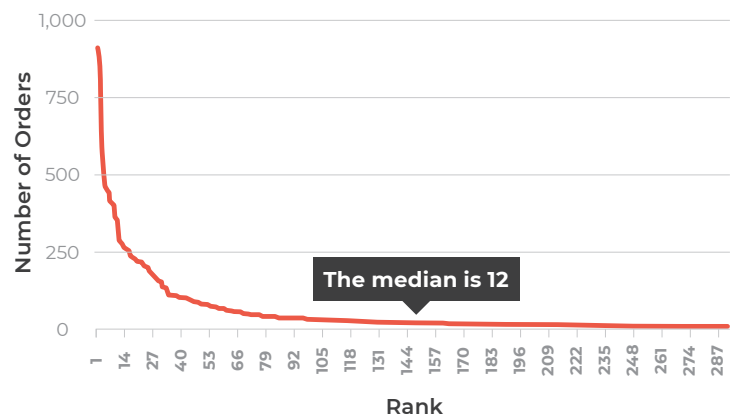
Number of AST Orders by Family Doctors



Number of Ferritin Orders by Family Doctors



Number of Uric Acid Orders by Family Doctors



Conclusion

1. A second version of this Family Doctor Report is anticipated, incorporating the most up-to-date data available, and including other tests such as Thyroid function and ANA.