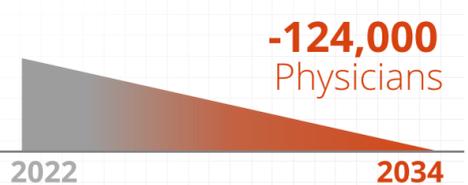


# Can we stop the impending physician shortage?

## Physicians are leaving the workplace in unprecedented numbers

By 2034—just 12 years from now—the U.S. could experience a **shortage of up to 124,000 physicians** in primary and specialty care alone.<sup>1</sup> Is there anything we can do now to help?



### Areas of most impact<sup>2</sup>

- 77K** Non-primary care providers
- 48K** Primary care providers
- 35K** Other specialties (e.g. Anesthesiology, Neurology, Emergency Medicine)
- 30K** Surgical specialties (e.g. OB/GYN, Orthopedics)
- 13K** Medical specialties (e.g. Cardiology, Oncology, Pulmonology, Infectious Disease)

## Why physicians are leaving<sup>4</sup>

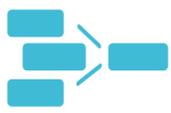


**40%** of physicians say they were **burned out** even before the COVID pandemic.<sup>3</sup>

It can cost between **\$500K and \$1M to replace a single physician**, including recruitment, sign-on incentives, lost revenue and onboarding.<sup>5</sup>



## Strategies to address the physician shortage



### Automate charting workflows

Fewer hours at the office means better work-life balance



### Streamline EHR work

Better patient-physician interaction improves outcomes and enhances physician and patient satisfaction



### Alleviate administrative tasks

Reduced busywork leaves more time for patients and strategic initiatives



## A new approach with Augmedix

- Improve innovation in the care delivery process
- Leverage automation technology to reduce administrative burdens
- Be creative in how we use health professionals on the care team

Technology helps mitigate the stressors physicians face each day. When paired with medical documentation specialists, it can help mitigate many of the issues causing them to leave their practice. Partnering with Augmedix is a great place to start.



Improves physician productivity as much as **20%**



Gives physician an average of **2 hours** back each day



Increases physician satisfaction and work-life balance by more than **40%**

### About Augmedix

Augmedix provides automated medical documentation and data services to large healthcare systems and physician practices, supporting medical offices, clinics, hospitals, emergency departments, and telemedicine nationwide. [www.augmedix.com](http://www.augmedix.com)

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