

# AAMC(米国医科大学協会; Association of American Medical Colleges)による勧告 2015年までに2002年レベルと比較して30%の入学定員の増加を



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## AAMC Calls for 30 Percent Increase in Medical School Enrollment

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**Washington, D.C., June 19, 2006** - Citing growing evidence of a national physician shortage, the AAMC (Association of American Medical Colleges) today recommended that enrollment in U.S. medical schools be increased 30 percent by 2015. This expansion would result in an additional 5,000 new M.D. students annually and should be accomplished by boosting enrollment at existing schools, as well as by creating new allopathic medical schools.

"A shortage of U.S. doctors would have a profound impact on all Americans by affecting access to quality health care, especially for the underserved who already encounter substantial barriers when seeking care," said AAMC President Jordan J. Cohen, M.D. "Based on current evidence, we believe this recommended increase will help prevent a future shortfall and meet the health needs of our nation."

<http://www.aamc.org/newsroom/pressrel/2006/060619.htm>