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of physiotherapists in the Canadian Physiotherapy Association are female

69%

of physiotherapists in Canada are female

72%

of physiotherapists in member organisations in the North America Caribbean region are female

60%

of physiotherapists in the North America Caribbean region are female

66%

of physiotherapists that are a member of a World Physiotherapy member organisation are female

59%

of the number of physiotherapists globally are female

62%
7.02 practising physiotherapists per 10,000 population in your country/territory in 2021

8.56 is the average number of practising physiotherapists per 10,000 population in the World Physiotherapy North America Caribbean region in 2021
2.02 entry level education programmes in your country/territory per 5 million population in 2021

3.61 is the average number of entry level education programmes per 5 million population in the World Physiotherapy North America Caribbean region in 2021
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### Special interest groups are recognised
- **Yes**
  - Canada: 74%
  - North America Caribbean: 60%
  - Global: 74%

### CPD is provided for members
- **Yes**
  - Canada: 81%
  - North America Caribbean: 80%
  - Global: 81%

### There are support personnel who work with physiotherapists
- **Yes**
  - Canada: 67%
  - North America Caribbean: 56%
  - Global: 67%

### Membership is required to practice
- **No**
  - Canada: 15%
  - North America Caribbean: 15%
  - Global: 13%

### Have postgraduate programmes
- **Yes**
  - Canada: 75%
  - North America Caribbean: 27%
  - Global: 75%

### Have access to PhD programmes
- **Yes**
  - Canada: 47%
  - North America Caribbean: 13%
  - Global: 47%
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