Despite the pressures...

One third of GPs are considering retiring from general practice in the next five years (34%).

Almost three in ten who are currently working full time said they are thinking about moving to part time (28%).

Almost three in ten (19%) GP trainees — the youngest cohort in the profession — are considering working abroad before 2020.

Nine per cent of all GPs would consider moving abroad and seven percent would consider quitting medicine altogether (9%).

Just under half (47%) would recommend a career as a GP.

But one third (35%) would not advocate working in general practice.