Medicine- What field of Medicine has the biggest impact on society?
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Medicine is not only a science; it is also an art. It does not consist of compounding pills and plasters; it deals with the very processes of life, which must be understood before they may be
guided" - Paracelsus

Medicine is the field of health and healing. It covers diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of disease, medical research, and many other aspects of health. Medicine is an art based on science, which has an important role in today's society, contributing to saving millions of lives across the globe. In order to become a successful doctor, one must be an artist, given that medicine itself is not something straightforward like mathematics where there is only one correct answer to a problem, but is subject to interpretation, armed with profound scientific knowledge.

Each field of medicine is unique, and the role of the doctor is to help patients, by communicating with them in a sensible and thoughtful fashion and by committing to their health, by exploring every possible option in order to cure the underlying illness. Every human being is different due to their personal experiences and backgrounds in life, for this reason doctors need to be empathetic and understand the needs of their patients. Accordingly, each patient will need to have a specific diagnosis, cure and treatment.

The most common medical professions are internalists, pediatricians, family physicians, surgeons, cardiologists and gynecologists. One of the most requested field is internal medicine because it cures and provides treatments for many body systems such as: digestive, vascular, blood, heart and respiratory systems. However, due to the fact that

pediatricians can cure both adults and children, they are much more in demand than internalists.

The answer to the question " what field of medicine has the biggest impact on society?" could most probably be a pediatrician because they take care, nurture and protect younger patients, and look after children from infancy to adulthood. They provide treatment for illnesses such as: stomach flus, chicken pox, colds, fevers, as well as curing and diagnosing more complicated diseases. The reason why pediatricians have one of the biggest impacts on society is because children represent the future of the human race, so it is very important to take care of them and nourish them, and to avoid unnecessary premature deaths.

In conclusion, every medical field is unique and distinct and so every single medical sector is imperative to society in order to promote its future and longevity. However, pediatricians can be considered as the medical professionals that have the greatest impact on society because they support us during our most vulnerable stage of life, they save millions of children from curable diseases and overall, they can be considered the bedrock of the healthcare system, because they not only cure the children, but provide timely support to parents and families.

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