

POPULATION HEALTH

# Demographic context



**Community**  
Hillsborough,  
Riverside-Albert,  
Alma Area



**Zone 1**  
Moncton and  
South-East Area



**Province**  
New Brunswick

## Population Demographics

Land area km <sup>2</sup>   2016	<b>1,536</b>	<b>10,027</b>	<b>71,389</b>
Population density Persons per km <sup>2</sup>   2016	<b>3</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>11</b>
Population Number   2022	<b>5,447</b>	<b>242,720</b>	<b>812,061</b>
0-4 Number   2022	<b>188</b>	<b>10,051</b>	<b>33,459</b>
5-9 Number   2022	<b>229</b>	<b>11,798</b>	<b>38,742</b>
10-14 Number   2022	<b>224</b>	<b>12,376</b>	<b>41,870</b>
15-19 Number   2022	<b>268</b>	<b>12,292</b>	<b>41,976</b>
20-24 Number   2022	<b>269</b>	<b>15,258</b>	<b>48,383</b>
25-29 Number   2022	<b>269</b>	<b>15,133</b>	<b>47,961</b>
30-34 Number   2022	<b>233</b>	<b>15,810</b>	<b>48,307</b>
35-39 Number   2022	<b>251</b>	<b>16,644</b>	<b>48,962</b>
40-44 Number   2022	<b>273</b>	<b>16,114</b>	<b>48,999</b>
45-49 Number   2022	<b>337</b>	<b>16,005</b>	<b>51,567</b>
50-54 Number   2022	<b>395</b>	<b>15,853</b>	<b>53,953</b>
55-59 Number   2022	<b>539</b>	<b>17,042</b>	<b>61,033</b>
60-64 Number   2022	<b>485</b>	<b>17,016</b>	<b>62,767</b>

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65-69 Number   2022	471	16,009	58,570
70-74 Number   2022	390	13,569	49,155
75-79 Number   2022	335	9,856	35,109
80-84 Number   2022	169	6,097	21,502
85 and over Number   2022	122	5,797	19,746
Population change from 2016 to 2020 %   2016 to 2020	4	7	4
Indigenous %   2021	1.7	4.0	4.4
Immigrant %   2021	3.4	7.4	5.8
Recent immigrant in the last 5 years %   2016 to 2021	0.0	3.3	2.1
Visible minority %   2021	1.6	8.4	5.8
Median age of population Years   2021	50	44	46
Birth rate Rate per 1,000 population   2017 to 2021	9	8	8
Death rate Rate per 1,000 population   2017 to 2021	14	9	10

## Household

Married or living common-law %   2021	62	60	59
Couples with children %   2021	40	43	42
Single parent families %   2021	13	15	16
Average household size Number   2021	2.2	2.3	2.3
Person living alone %   2021	31	29	30
Private household with 5 or more people %   2021	6	5	6

## Dependents

	<b>Community</b> Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	<b>Zone 1</b> Moncton and South-East Area	<b>Province</b> New Brunswick
Dependency ratio Rate per 100 people in the working age population   2019	n/a	<b>67</b>	<b>70</b>
Dependent under 20 years %   2019	n/a	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>
Dependent 65 years and over %   2019	n/a	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>

## Language

Language most spoken at home - English %   2021	<b>98.0</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>69.1</b>
Language most spoken at home - French %   2021	<b>1.6</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>26.3</b>
Language most spoken at home - English and French %   2021	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Language most spoken at home - indigenous languages %   2021	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>
Language most spoken at home - other languages %   2021	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Language most spoken at work - English %   2021	<b>97.3</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>75.0</b>
Language most spoken at work - French %   2021	<b>1.6</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>21.0</b>
Language most spoken at work - English and French %   2021	<b>0.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Knowledge of official language - English only %   2021	<b>87</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>58</b>
Knowledge of official language - French only %   2021	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>
Knowledge of official language - French and English %   2021	<b>13</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>34</b>
Youth bilingualism - English and French %   2016	<b>28</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>48</b>
Always received services from a primary care provider in their preferred language - French or English %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Always received services from a primary care provider in their preferred language - English %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Always received services from a primary care provider in their preferred language - French %	n/a	n/a	n/a

## Persons with a disability

	<b>Community</b> Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	<b>Zone 1</b> Moncton and South-East Area	<b>Province</b> New Brunswick
Children diagnosed with special education needs %   2019-2020	n/a	n/a	n/a
Autism/Asperger's syndrome %   2016-2017	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Behavioural disorder %   2016-2017	<b>2.6</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Blind or low vision %   2016-2017	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.2</b>
Deaf or hard-of-hearing %   2016-2017	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) or attention deficit disorder (ADD) %   2019-2020	n/a	n/a	n/a
Intellectual disability %   2016-2017	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Language/speech impairment %   2016-2017	<b>6.2</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>
Learning disability %   2016-2017	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.8</b>
Physical disability %   2016-2017	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Mental illness (depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder) %   2016-2017	<b>3.7</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Gifted %   2016-2017	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Other %   2016-2017	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Youth diagnosed with special education needs %   2022-2023	<b>37.7</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>35.3</b>
Autism/Asperger's syndrome %   2022-2023	<b>6.8</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Behavioural disorder %   2022-2023	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Blind or low vision %   2022-2023	<b>7.4</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.9</b>
Deaf or hard-of-hearing %   2022-2023	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) or attention deficit disorder (ADD) %   2022-2023	<b>17.2</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>14.0</b>
Intellectual disability %   2018-2019	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Language/speech impairment %   2022-2023	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Learning disability %   2022-2023	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.1</b>

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Physical disability %   2022-2023	S	1.1	1.2
Mental illness (depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder) %   2022-2023	15.7	17.0	17.9
Gifted %   2022-2023	7.1	2.8	2.8
Other %   2021-2022	3.2	2.9	2.8
Adults and seniors who identify as persons with a disability or special need %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Adults %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Seniors %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Self-identifies as a person with a disability or special need %   2023-2024	7.9	7.4	8.0

### 🦿 Type of disability for adults and seniors

Seeing disability %   2020	22.1	17.7	19.3
Hearing disability %   2020	34.4	19.7	18.4
Mobility disability %   2020	54.4	51.2	56.5
Flexibility disability %   2020	55.8	44.8	54.1
Dexterity disability %   2020	21.1	19.3	24.5
Pain-related disability %   2020	68.1	67.2	72.4
Learning disability %   2020	24.3	18.6	18.0
Mental health-related disability %   2020	23.9	36.4	30.4
Memory disability %   2020	35.1	26.7	25.9

### Sexual Identity

Self-identifies as 2SLGBTQIA+ %   2023-2024	15.5	13.4	13.3
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## About this Table

Demographic Context describe the people living in a community.

### **Content and description**

Demographic information, such as population count, household structures, language preferences, as well as disability information and sexual minority details.

### **Why is this important?**

Knowing who is part of the community is the first part to understanding the community dynamics.

### **Availability of the data**

Indicators from a variety of sources are collected, organized, and analyzed by the NBHC. These various data sources are used to represent the population health of New Brunswickers. Each have various levels of reliability and limitations as detailed in the Indicator pages.

This information is available for the 33 NBHC Communities, 7 Health Zones and for New Brunswick overall.

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The Population Health data tables provide a comprehensive view of the people who live, learn, work and take part in activities and in community life in this area.

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### **Caption**

n/a = Not applicable / not available

S = Data suppressed due to confidentiality requirements and/or small sample size

 Above-average performance

 Below-average performance