POPULATION HEALTH
Demographic context

Community
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area

Zone 2
Fundy Shore and Saint John Area

Province
New Brunswick
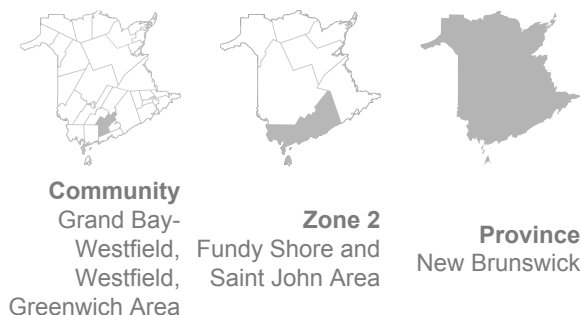
Population Demographics

	Community	Zone 2	Province
Land area km² | 2016	1,509	10,402	71,389
Population density Persons per km² | 2016	6	17	11
Population Number | 2024	10,367	190,642	854,355
0-4 Number | 2024	415	8,208	34,064
5-9 Number | 2024	506	9,922	42,043
10-14 Number | 2024	531	10,634	44,963
15-19 Number | 2024	589	10,735	44,875
20-24 Number | 2024	502	10,181	48,864
25-29 Number | 2024	462	10,977	51,393
30-34 Number | 2024	580	11,954	53,649
35-39 Number | 2024	627	12,148	54,379
40-44 Number | 2024	586	11,958	54,860
45-49 Number | 2024	646	11,962	52,988
50-54 Number | 2024	733	12,267	54,022
55-59 Number | 2024	791	13,057	57,293
60-64 Number | 2024	899	14,726	64,781

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65-69 Number | 2024	906	13,724	61,251
70-74 Number | 2024	640	11,094	51,597
75-79 Number | 2024	488	8,291	39,856
80-84 Number | 2024	286	4,853	23,447
85 and over Number | 2024	180	3,951	20,030
Population change from 2016 to 2020 % | 2016 to 2020	1	4	4
Indigenous % | 2021	2.1	2.5	4.4
Immigrant % | 2021	2.8	6.4	5.8
Recent immigrant in the last 5 years % | 2016 to 2021	0.0	2.0	2.1
Visible minority % | 2021	1.0	6.2	5.8
Median age of population Years | 2021	48	45	46
Birth rate Rate per 1,000 population | 2019 to 2023	8	8	8
Death rate Rate per 1,000 population | 2019 to 2023	8	11	10

Household

Married or living common-law % | 2021	66	59	59
Couples with children % | 2021	41	44	42
Single parent families % | 2021	14	17	16
Average household size Number | 2021	2.4	2.3	2.3
Person living alone % | 2021	24	30	30
Private household with 5 or more people % | 2021	5	7	6

Dependents

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Dependency ratio Rate per 100 people in the working age population | 2019	n/a	70	70
Dependent under 20 years % | 2019	n/a	21	20
Dependent 65 years and over % | 2019	n/a	20	21

Language

Language most spoken at home - English % | 2021	97.8	95.5	69.1
Language most spoken at home - French % | 2021	1.2	0.9	26.3
Language most spoken at home - English and French % | 2021	0.3	0.3	1.3
Language most spoken at home - indigenous languages % | 2021	0.0	0.0	0.2
Language most spoken at home - other languages % | 2021	0.5	1.2	1.1
Language most spoken at work - English % | 2021	98.3	98.5	75.0
Language most spoken at work - French % | 2021	0.8	0.9	21.0
Language most spoken at work - English and French % | 2021	0.6	0.4	3.7
Knowledge of official language - English only % | 2021	85	85	58
Knowledge of official language - French only % | 2021	0	0	8
Knowledge of official language - French and English % | 2021	15	14	34
Youth bilingualism - English and French % | 2016	43	37	48
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

	Community Grand Bay- Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	Zone 2 Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	Province New Brunswick
Self-identifies as a person with a disability or special need %	n/a	n/a	n/a

♿ Type of disability for adults and seniors

Seeing disability % | 2020	27.1	22.0	19.3
Hearing disability % | 2020	21.4	17.4	18.4
Mobility disability % | 2020	56.7	62.2	56.5
Flexibility disability % | 2020	63.1	58.5	54.1
Dexterity disability % | 2020	28.1	27.1	24.5
Pain-related disability % | 2020	80.2	77.9	72.4
Learning disability % | 2020	21.1	15.2	18.0
Mental health-related disability % | 2020	34.0	29.3	30.4
Memory disability % | 2020	27.9	25.2	25.9

Sexual Identity

Self-identifies as 2SLGBTQIA+ % | 2021-2022	26.2	24.4	23.2

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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.

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.

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