

POPULATION HEALTH

Demographic context



Community
St. George,
Grand Manan,
Blacks Harbour
Area



Zone 2
Fundy Shore and
Saint John Area



Province
New Brunswick

Population Demographics

Land area km ² 2016	1,788	10,402	71,389
Population density Persons per km ² 2016	6	17	11
Population Number 2025	13,512	194,688	869,682
18-64 % 2025	57.7	59.1	59.4
65+ % 2025	24.4	22.5	23.3
18+ % 2025	82.0	81.6	82.7
0-4 Number 2025	609	8,191	34,230
5-9 Number 2025	686	9,980	42,021
10-14 Number 2025	723	10,946	45,927
15-19 Number 2025	693	11,048	45,973
20-24 Number 2025	629	10,476	49,967
25-29 Number 2025	623	11,114	53,755
30-34 Number 2025	790	12,159	55,094
35-39 Number 2025	883	12,483	55,889
40-44 Number 2025	814	12,246	56,031
45-49 Number 2025	889	12,111	53,929

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50-54 Number 2025	924	12,472	54,049
55-59 Number 2025	965	12,569	55,145
60-64 Number 2025	1,049	15,092	64,925
65-69 Number 2025	1,015	13,956	61,635
70-74 Number 2025	896	11,626	53,108
75-79 Number 2025	664	8,863	42,021
80-84 Number 2025	361	5,105	24,776
85 and over Number 2025	299	4,251	21,207
Population change from 2016 to 2020 % 2016 to 2020	2	4	4
Indigenous % 2021	3.2	2.5	4.4
Immigrant % 2021	5.6	6.4	5.8
Recent immigrant in the last 5 years % 2016 to 2021	0.7	2.0	2.1
Visible minority % 2021	3.7	6.2	5.8
Median age of population Years 2021	48	45	46
Birth rate Rate per 1,000 population 2019 to 2023	12	8	8
Death rate Rate per 1,000 population 2019 to 2023	17	11	10

Household

Married or living common-law % 2021	61	59	59
Couples with children % 2021	43	44	42
Single parent families % 2021	15	17	16
Average household size Number 2021	2.2	2.3	2.3
Person living alone % 2021	31	30	30

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Private household with 5 or more people % 2021	7	7	6

Dependents

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	97.2	95.5	69.1
Language most spoken at home - French % 2021	0.3	0.9	26.3
Language most spoken at home - English and French % 2021	0.2	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	1.4	1.2	1.1
Language most spoken at work - English % 2021	99.5	98.5	75.0
Language most spoken at work - French % 2021	0.2	0.9	21.0
Language most spoken at work - English and French % 2021	0.2	0.4	3.7
Knowledge of official language - English only % 2021	93	85	58
Knowledge of official language - French only % 2021	0	0	8
Knowledge of official language - French and English % 2021	7	14	34
Youth bilingualism - English and French % 2016	16	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

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Always received services from a primary care provider in their preferred language - French %	n/a	n/a	n/a
Persons with a disability			
Self-identifies as a person with a disability or special need % 2025-2026	11.4	10.1	8.7
🦿 Type of disability for adults and seniors			
Seeing disability % 2020	17.1	22.0	19.3
Hearing disability % 2020	13.4	17.4	18.4
Mobility disability % 2020	76.6	62.2	56.5
Flexibility disability % 2020	55.7	58.5	54.1
Dexterity disability % 2020	25.6	27.1	24.5
Pain-related disability % 2020	73.2	77.9	72.4
Learning disability % 2020	22.0	15.2	18.0
Mental health-related disability % 2020	25.8	29.3	30.4
Memory disability % 2020	22.6	25.2	25.9
Sexual Identity			
Self-identifies as 2SLGBTQIA+ % 2025-2026	8.0	12.5	11.6

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