

Citizens [with a family doctor] who reported that their family doctor always gives them enough time to discuss their feelings, fears and concerns about their health

Unit : %

	Year 2020	Year 2017	Year 2014	Year 2011
Province				
New Brunswick	66.9	67.6	72.1	68.7
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	65.9	70.4	72.5	67.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	69.4	70.9	76.0	70.9
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	68.4	67.5	70.9	71.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	65.2	63.7	67.8	63.6
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	67.6	62.4	70.6	68.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	64.1	62.4	71.5	66.3
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	61.8	61.1	67.2	67.3
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	63.0	61.9	71.6	66.8
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	66.2	70.4	70.3	69.9
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	69.2	61.3	71.7	65.8
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	69.5	66.9	71.9	69.5
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	65.5	63.3	69.5	71.2
Dieppe and Memramcook	68.8	73.8	79.3	61.9
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	69.7	61.7	73.0	69.6
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	61.6	62.2	64.5	61.8
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	62.6	69.9	68.9	70.2
Fredericton	67.9	66.0	67.3	69.5

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Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	65.2	70.2	77.3	74.3
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	68.1	68.2	69.8	64.3
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	70.5	70.3	76.9	73.7
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	75.1	57.0	78.4	70.9
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	67.1	67.4	76.9	77.4
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	61.6	62.8	70.7	68.1
Moncton	64.1	71.7	70.9	66.7
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	70.7	60.9	75.8	78.3
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	60.0	53.0	53.5	63.6
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	69.6	70.6	72.7	70.7
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	73.0	75.7	70.5	71.4
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	74.3	65.4	75.3	72.0
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	71.5	73.7	76.9	72.3
Riverview and Coverdale	67.0	63.9	71.0	67.7
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	70.3	71.1	68.7	70.7
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	67.6	69.9	76.8	70.4
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	66.5	70.7	74.7	67.2
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	63.9	69.6	73.1	66.8
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	56.8	60.7	72.8	65.4
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	70.6	65.0	76.1	71.1
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	61.7	73.4	72.0	71.3
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	69.6	70.3	73.6	67.9
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	69.0	60.8	69.6	62.6

Age

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18-64	66.1	67.6	71.5	67.9
65 and over	69.8	67.6	74.2	71.8
Sex at birth				
Female	65.5	66.1	70.9	66.2
Male	69.3	69.5	73.8	72.0
Sexual identity				
Minority sexual identity	62.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Heterosexual	67.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Language				
Preferred language of service: English	67.8	68.5	72.4	70.4
Preferred language of service: French	65.6	63.6	70.4	63.3
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	67.3	63.3	73.3	61.7
Non-Indigenous	67.0	67.8	72.1	68.9
Immigrant				
Immigrants	58.0	68.6	n/a	n/a
Non-immigrants	68.1	67.6	n/a	n/a
Education level				
High school or less	66.8	66.2	72.0	69.0
Postsecondary	67.4	68.6	72.3	68.5
Household income				
Less than \$25,000	62.4	62.0	66.4	64.2
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	66.5	66.3	72.4	69.3

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\$60,000 or more	70.1	71.3	74.8	70.5
Persons with a disability				
Without disability	68.9	69.8	73.8	n/a
With disability	61.7	61.9	67.4	n/a

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens [with a family doctor] who reported that their family doctor always gives them enough time to discuss their feelings, fears and concerns about their health.

Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have a family doctor . This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "always" by the number of respondents who answered "never, rarely, sometimes, usually or always" to the question: When you need care or treatment, how often has your family doctor or nurse practitioner given you enough time to discuss your feelings, fears and concerns about your health?

Notes

The 2020 edition of the Primary Health Survey (PHS) was conducted during the COVID-19 pandemic. While the pandemic did not influence the survey's response rate, NBHC had to assess the impact of surveying during the pandemic. Accordingly, advanced statistical analyses were performed to allow for comparison between the results obtained in 2020 and those obtained in previous PHS cycles. Despite these analyses, users are advised to use the PHS 2020 data with caution, especially when creating estimates for small sub-populations or when comparing it to other PHS editions.

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Higher is better	PH_APPFB_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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