

# Citizens who needed health care services in the last 12 months, but they were not available in their area at the time they needed them

Unit: %

	Year 2022	<b>Year</b> 2020	<b>Year</b> 2017	<b>Year</b> 2014
Province  New Brunswick	24.3	14.0	13.3	17.4
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	22.3	10.5	9.2	10.9
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	19.6	11.7	11.4	14.8
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	30.8	16.3	15.2	20.9
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	26.9	18.5	18.1	21.6
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	34.5	22.9	18.4	26.2
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	21.9	17.2	18.1	23.8
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	22.3	15.3	14.1	21.2
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	n/a	16.3	16.7	18.3
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	n/a	12.5	9.7	10.6
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	n/a	25.5	17.3	30.7
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	n/a	14.7	18.2	23.7
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	n/a	20.4	19.3	22.1
Dieppe and Memramcook	n/a	6.3	6.7	10.6
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	n/a	16.7	15.4	20.2
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	n/a	17.3	15.1	18.7
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	n/a	17.5	18.4	23.3
Fredericton	n/a	13.7	13.3	19.4
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	11.1	10.3	14.9



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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	n/a	19.2	19.9	27.7
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	n/a	8.4	11.9	13.5
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	n/a	22.1	26.0	19.0
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	n/a	18.0	14.5	21.8
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	n/a	16.5	14.3	23.8
Moncton	n/a	12.8	9.5	8.8
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	n/a	20.8	20.3	20.7
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	n/a	10.3	13.5	10.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	n/a	16.4	11.3	19.8
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	n/a	15.9	16.8	16.1
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	n/a	23.9	20.4	35.6
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	n/a	6.9	7.6	12.6
Riverview and Coverdale	n/a	7.6	8.2	11.1
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	n/a	20.8	16.2	24.3
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	n/a	9.4	9.6	10.9
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	n/a	9.7	9.0	15.8
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	n/a	6.7	8.7	10.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	n/a	20.3	19.6	28.7
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	n/a	16.6	16.5	26.2
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	n/a	27.8	25.8	30.1
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	n/a	11.7	12.4	15.7
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	n/a	18.9	19.4	31.9
Age				
18-64	27.2	14.7	13.7	18.0



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Immigrant	
Immigrants 32.9 17.0 13.9	n/a
Non-immigrants 23.6 13.3 13.2	n/a
Education level	
High school or less 19.3 12.3 11.7	15.4
Postsecondary 26.4 14.6 14.3	18.6
Household income	
Less than \$25,000 <b>27.3 16.4 15.6</b>	21.4
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000 <b>23.3 13.9 13.6</b>	15.5
\$60,000 or more <b>24.5 13.1 12.2</b>	



	<b>Year</b> 2022	<b>Year</b> 2020	<b>Year</b> 2017	<b>Year</b> 2014
Persons with a disability				
Without disability	20.6	11.6	10.7	14.3
With disability	34.4	19.9	21.8	27.8



#### **About**

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who needed health care services in the last 12 months, but they were not available in their area at the time they needed them.

### Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

## **Calculations**

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "yes" by the number of respondents who answered "yes or no" to the question: Now think of any difficulties you may have experienced in getting the health care you needed in the last 12 months. In the last 12 months, did you: a) Need health care services, but it was not available in your area at the time you needed it

#### **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 subpopulations or when comparing it to other PHS editions.

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Lower is better	PH_BARNA_1

## Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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