

Citizens who reported that they skipped dental care or dental checkups because of the cost in the last 12 months

Unit : %

Year
2020

Province

New Brunswick	20.6
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Health zones

Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	22.5
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	18.9
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	17.5
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	22.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	16.4
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	20.1
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	18.6

Communities

Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	18.0
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	20.1
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	18.5
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	19.7
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	13.5
Dieppe and Memramcook	17.7
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	21.0
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	21.6
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	19.4
Fredericton	14.1
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	14.8

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	22.2
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	25.6
Kedwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	30.5
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	23.2
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	16.4
Moncton	25.1
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	20.9
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	19.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	12.5
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	19.2
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	25.6
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	10.9
Riverview and Coverdale	21.7
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	17.1
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	18.8
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	31.4
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	21.9
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	22.1
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	17.9
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	22.2
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	18.5
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	16.9
Age	
18-64	20.8

65 and over	13.4
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Sex at birth

Female	20.1
Male	17.7

Sexual identity

Minority sexual identity	40.2
Heterosexual	17.5

Language

Preferred language of service: English	19.3
Preferred language of service: French	18.3

Indigenous identity

Indigenous	26.3
Non-Indigenous	18.3

Immigrant

Immigrants	20.5
Non-immigrants	19.3

Education level

High school or less	22.6
Postsecondary	16.9

Household income

Less than \$25,000	34.8
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	24.8
\$60,000 or more	9.6

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Persons with a disability

Without disability	17.4
With disability	28.2

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who reported that they skipped dental care or dental checkups because of the cost in the last 12 months.

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: i) Skip dental care or dental checkups because of the cost

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
%	Lower is better	PH_BARSD_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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