

# Citizens who reported experiencing difficulties in getting the health care they needed in the last 12 months because of transportation problems

Unit: %

Unit: %	Year 2024	Year 2023	Year 2022	<b>Year</b> 2020
Province	2024	2023	2022	2020
New Brunswick	5.7	7.0	6.3	5.5
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	5.0	6.9	5.0	5.5
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	6.2	7.4	7.2	6.0
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	6.4	7.4	8.2	5.6
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	5.7	3.9	6.2	6.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	7.2	11.2	5.2	5.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	3.3	6.3	3.9	4.3
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	8.0	6.9	7.3	3.9
Age				
18-64	6.4	8.0	6.7	5.8
65 and over	3.8	4.4	5.3	4.6
Gender				
Female	6.4	7.6	6.3	n/a
Male	4.4	6.0	6.3	n/a
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	20.7	25.7	19.6	13.4
Language				
Most comfortable in English	6.6	7.6	n/a	n/a
Most comfortable in French	3.5	5.3	n/a	n/a



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Comfortable in both English and French	4.1	6.7	n/a	n/a
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	11.0	21.3	15.9	8.7
Immigrant				
Immigrants	10.1	15.9	8.8	7.0
Education level				
High school or less	6.2	10.2	7.4	7.1
Postsecondary	5.6	5.7	5.8	4.5
Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	19.4	18.6	n/a	n/a
Household income				
Less than \$30,000	16.9	18.0	n/a	n/a
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	7.4	6.3	n/a	n/a
\$60,000 or more	2.0	3.3	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	8.5	14.5	n/a	n/a



### **About**

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who reported experiencing difficulties in getting the health care they needed in the last 12 months because of transportation problems.

## 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 services you needed in the last 12 months. In the last 12 months, did you: b) Have transportation problems

#### **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_BARTP_1

## Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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