

# Citizens who reported that they have been diagnosed or treated for gastric reflux (GERD)

Unit: %

5.III. : 70	<b>Year</b> 2024	Year 2023	Year 2022	<b>Year</b> 2020
Province				
New Brunswick	19.5	19.6	18.8	16.6
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	19.8	19.7	17.6	17.1
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	18.2	17.9	17.7	16.8
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	16.4	18.0	18.4	16.2
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	21.2	15.0	22.8	13.0
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	21.9	23.0	22.8	17.4
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	25.2	27.0	20.0	17.3
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	22.9	22.6	21.8	16.3
Age				
18-64	16.7	16.2	16.0	13.8
65 and over	26.7	28.8	26.1	24.3
Gender				
Female	21.6	23.4	22.2	n/a
Male	17.4	15.9	15.3	n/a
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	22.4	19.8	17.4	13.5
Language				
Most comfortable in English	18.9	19.5	n/a	n/a
Most comfortable in French	21.6	20.5	n/a	n/a



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Comfortable in both English and French	19.3	18.9	n/a	n/a
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	18.1	28.8	22.5	14.1
Immigrant				
Immigrants	10.5	9.0	16.5	12.2
Education level				
High school or less	22.2	22.9	19.5	18.0
Postsecondary	18.7	18.3	18.3	15.7
Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	29.5	28.8	n/a	n/a
Household income				
Less than \$30,000	21.9	22.7	n/a	n/a
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	22.5	20.3	n/a	n/a
\$60,000 or more	18.1	18.3	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	10.5	9.9	n/a	n/a



### **About**

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who reported that they have been diagnosed or treated for gastric reflux (GERD).

## 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: Has any health professional ever diagnosed you with or treated you for any of the following chronic health conditions: I) Gastric Reflux (GERD)

#### **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_CHCGR_1

## Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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