

Citizens [who have reported using cannabis in the last 12 months] who reported having used cannabis for non-medical purposes only

Unit : %

Year
2020

Province

New Brunswick	49.3
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Health zones

Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	49.9
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	49.7
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	41.2
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	55.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	64.4
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	60.9
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	47.1

Communities

Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	46.7
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	41.8
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	60.7
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	62.9
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	46.3
Dieppe and Memramcook	56.6
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	49.2
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	62.3
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	38.1
Fredericton	43.5
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	42.7

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	60.1
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	34.6
Kedwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	38.5
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	45.5
Moncton	51.3
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	40.5
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New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	49.8
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	22.8
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	38.5
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	54.4
Riverview and Coverdale	53.4
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	46.2
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	48.1
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	44.1
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	45.7
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	81.3
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	40.8
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	50.2
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	36.4
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	61.4
Age	
18-64	49.7

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65 and over	36.7
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Sex at birth

Female	42.8
Male	52.5

Sexual identity

Minority sexual identity	42.5
Heterosexual	49.1

Language

Preferred language of service: English	45.9
Preferred language of service: French	58.8

Indigenous identity

Indigenous	32.0
Non-Indigenous	48.9

Immigrant

Immigrants	46.1
Non-immigrants	48.4

Education level

High school or less	42.7
Postsecondary	51.2

Household income

Less than \$25,000	38.9
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	41.9
\$60,000 or more	57.3

Persons with a disability

Without disability	59.6
With disability	21.1

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens [who have reported using cannabis in the last 12 months] who reported having used cannabis for non-medical purposes only.

Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have reported using cannabis in the last 12 months . This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "non-medical purposes only" by the number of respondents who answered "non-medical purposes only, medical purposes only, either with or without a medical document or both medical and non-medical purposes" to the question: Have you used cannabis for...?

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_MAR02_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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