

Citizens [among those who needed to see or talk to a health professional about their mental or emotional health, or about the use of alcohol or drugs in the last 12 months and who didn't] who reported that they were too busy

Unit : %

	Year 2020
Province	
New Brunswick	25.4
Health zones	
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	25.9
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	32.8
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	19.4
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	S
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	S
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	37.6
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	19.2
Communities	
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	S
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	S
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	S
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	S
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	S
Dieppe and Memramcook	S
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	S
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	S
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	S
Fredericton	S

	Year 2020
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	S
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	S
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	S
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	S
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	S
Moncton	38.5
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	S
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	S
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	S
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	S
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	S
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	S
Riverview and Coverdale	S
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	S
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	32.7
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	S
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	S
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	S
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	S
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	S
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	S
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	S

Age

	Year 2020
18-64	25.6
65 and over	13.8
Sex at birth	
Female	27.1
Male	22.7
Sexual identity	
Minority sexual identity	S
Heterosexual	25.4
Language	
Preferred language of service: English	24.3
Preferred language of service: French	25.1
Indigenous identity	
Indigenous	S
Non-Indigenous	24.2
Immigrant	
Immigrants	25.4
Non-immigrants	25.3
Education level	
High school or less	20.0
Postsecondary	27.3
Household income	
Less than \$25,000	23.7
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	23.8

	Year
	2020
\$60,000 or more	27.3
Persons with a disability	
Without disability	30.0
With disability	12.9

About

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Source

Primary Health Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have needed to see or talk to a health professional about their mental or emotional health, or about the use of alcohol or drugs in the last 12 months and who didn't. 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: In the last 12 months, why didn't you see or talk to a doctor, nurse or other health professional about your mental or emotional health, or about the use of alcohol or drugs: 3) Was too busy

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_MHI06_3

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

S = Data was suppressed due to low respondent counts