

# Citizens who have a primary care provider (family doctor or nurse practitioner)

Unit: %

Offit: 70	Year 2024	Year 2023	Year 2022	Year 2020
Province	2024	2023	2022	2020
New Brunswick	77.2	79.3	85.4	89.9
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	83.3	81.1	90.0	91.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	81.6	86.4	86.7	90.4
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	63.5	67.8	79.9	86.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	74.2	63.8	74.6	87.7
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	78.0	81.1	83.5	92.8
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	78.5	85.1	86.2	92.0
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	83.5	94.6	89.9	93.5
Age				
18-64	74.6	75.9	83.5	88.0
65 and over	83.8	88.1	90.6	95.3
Gender				
Female	79.9	82.7	87.8	n/a
Male	74.7	75.9	82.9	n/a
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	73.1	74.8	83.5	86.6
Language				
Most comfortable in English	75.3	79.0	n/a	n/a
Most comfortable in French	81.3	79.4	n/a	n/a



	Year 2024	Year 2023	Year 2022	Year 2020
Comfortable in both English and French	81.2	80.6	n/a	n/a
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	75.8	83.2	75.2	90.5
Immigrant				
Immigrants	55.0	47.0	72.1	72.0
Education level				
High school or less	76.2	81.1	86.0	90.6
Postsecondary	77.5	78.6	85.3	89.5
Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	78.2	84.1	n/a	n/a
Household income				
Less than \$30,000	72.7	75.0	n/a	n/a
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	75.3	77.1	n/a	n/a
\$60,000 or more	79.4	82.9	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	56.2	47.3	n/a	n/a



#### **About**

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who have a primary care provider (family doctor or nurse practitioner).

### Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

## **Calculations**

This indicator is based on respondents who said "yes" to one of the 2 following questions about attachment to a primary care provider: "Do you have a personal family doctor" or "Do you have a personal nurse practitioner?"

#### **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	
%	Higher is better	PH PCP01 1	

## Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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