Citizens who reported that school, college or university contributes a lot to feelings of stress in the last 12 months

Unit:%

	Year 2020	Year 2017	Year 2014
Province			
New Brunswick	7.7	8.4	9.4
Health zones			
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	7.7	9.5	9.5
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	7.8	8.7	9.3
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	10.0	9.0	10.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	7.7	5.3	6.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	6.4	6.1	8.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	4.7	6.4	9.4
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	5.0	7.5	9.0
Communities			
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	4.4	6.2	9.7
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	4.5	7.6	6.3
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	8.0	10.4	9.2
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	5.3	3.9	7.9
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	4.8	2.3	8.2
Dieppe and Memramcook	6.9	11.2	9.4
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	11.9	5.8	7.5
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	9.2	5.9	9.0
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	9.4	5.7	7.0
Fredericton	12.1	13.8	12.7
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	9.8	10.6	8.3



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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	6.1	5.1	3.6
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	7.1	S	S
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S	3.5	4.8
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	S	5.9	7.6
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	5.7	8.2	6.5
Moncton	8.5	11.0	12.3
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	10.3	4.3	5.3
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	S	S	19.4
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	10.2	7.3	13.1
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	7.5	7.1	12.7
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	5.0	9.8	6.8
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	6.5	11.0	11.1
Riverview and Coverdale	8.9	11.7	10.1
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	9.4	8.3	9.0
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	8.1	8.7	10.1
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	6.7	8.8	8.1
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	6.8	5.4	5.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	4.7	8.0	11.7
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	7.1	10.2	4.0
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	8.1	5.0	10.8
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	8.4	5.9	5.9
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	4.9	7.8	7.5
Age			
18-64	10.3	10.8	11.7

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	Year 2020	Year 2017	Year 2014
65 and over	0.4	0.5	0.4
Sex at birth			
Female	7.9	9.3	10.2
Male	7.5	7.4	8.5
Sexual identity			
Minority sexual identity	22.3	n/a	n/a
Heterosexual	7.1	n/a	n/a
Language			
Preferred language of service: English	8.0	8.5	9.1
Preferred language of service: French	7.8	8.5	10.3
Indigenous identity			
Indigenous	10.1	11.1	12.4
Non-Indigenous	7.7	8.3	9.3
Immigrant			
Immigrants	15.3	14.1	n/a
Non-immigrants	7.1	8.0	n/a
Education level			
High school or less	8.8	9.9	11.3
Postsecondary	7.2	7.4	8.2
Household income			
Less than \$25,000	12.1	16.2	12.5
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	6.7	5.4	6.3
\$60,000 or more	6.5	6.8	9.5

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8.4	9.0	10.5
5.7	6.2	5.7
	2020 8.4 5.7	2020 2017



About

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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: Thinking about stress in your day-to-day life within the last 12 months, please tell me if the following things have contributed a lot to feelings of stress you may have: f) School, college or university

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 Lower is better NBHC code PH_STRSC_1

Caption

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