

Citizens [with diabetes, heart disease, stroke or high blood pressure] who had a test or measurement for cholesterol in the last 12 months

Unit : %

Province	Year 2020	Year 2017	Year 2014	Year 2011
New Brunswick	69.5	69.1	76.3	79.8
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	69.6	69.5	78.6	79.4
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	67.3	71.0	75.8	77.5
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	66.2	64.5	73.4	80.4
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	70.7	68.1	76.8	82.4
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	71.2	74.2	70.4	81.1
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	72.7	72.3	82.1	82.5
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	72.7	68.9	71.8	79.0
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	78.1	76.7	75.8	83.6
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	71.8	68.8	80.0	81.9
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	67.0	73.7	78.4	78.5
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	71.5	72.9	83.2	85.8
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	75.0	74.8	63.7	83.6
Dieppe and Memramcook	72.6	72.8	76.9	73.7
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	61.3	64.5	78.3	79.7
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	69.0	69.4	73.5	83.5
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	65.8	60.8	75.1	76.4
Fredericton	64.1	61.3	71.4	81.7
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	71.0	75.5	68.8	81.0

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	71.1	65.1	81.8	82.5
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	80.2	78.9	82.0	87.4
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	79.3	71.8	S	74.8
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	67.3	63.4	80.9	73.8
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	74.8	71.6	74.0	81.3
Moncton	68.0	65.5	78.2	81.6
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	76.2	76.0	73.8	84.7
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	67.9	57.3	63.9	70.2
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	62.7	63.1	72.1	80.8
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	64.4	69.1	65.4	80.5
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	71.4	75.2	74.7	87.0
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	76.5	73.1	78.1	77.4
Riverview and Coverdale	70.8	72.1	75.3	78.4
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	74.1	74.8	81.3	84.1
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	60.8	69.2	75.2	75.0
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	70.3	62.4	67.6	72.4
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	65.4	72.5	84.5	75.1
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	72.1	73.8	93.2	82.3
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	68.3	66.4	78.7	79.5
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	70.5	67.2	71.3	77.0
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	73.0	77.0	79.8	83.0
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	70.7	63.6	84.2	78.1
Age				
18-64	63.5	64.8	73.0	76.7

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65 and over	72.9	74.2	81.6	84.8
Sex at birth				
Female	65.8	67.4	74.8	78.4
Male	69.8	70.9	77.8	81.3
Sexual identity				
Minority sexual identity	64.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Heterosexual	69.9	n/a	n/a	n/a
Language				
Preferred language of service: English	66.9	68.6	75.2	81.2
Preferred language of service: French	70.3	72.5	78.8	79.7
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	58.3	54.5	67.5	72.4
Non-Indigenous	69.8	69.9	76.7	80.1
Immigrant				
Immigrants	71.6	69.5	n/a	n/a
Non-immigrants	66.1	69.1	n/a	n/a
Education level				
High school or less	65.8	67.4	75.0	79.1
Postsecondary	69.5	70.9	77.4	80.6
Household income				
Less than \$25,000	62.3	63.0	73.4	77.1
\$25,000 to less than \$60,000	66.6	70.0	76.7	81.7
\$60,000 or more	70.5	72.3	79.1	80.0

	Year 2020	Year 2017	Year 2014	Year 2011
Persons with a disability				
Without disability	67.1	67.7	74.9	n/a
With disability	69.3	71.3	78.9	n/a

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens [with diabetes, heart disease, stroke or high blood pressure] who had a test or measurement for cholesterol in the last 12 months.

Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have diabetes, heart disease, stroke or high blood pressure . 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 past 12 months, did you get the following tests or measurements from a health professional: b) Cholesterol measurement

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
%	Higher is better	PH_TSTCH_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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