Citizens [having seen a specialist] who have seen a specialist for the first time in the last 12 months

Unit : %

	Year 2020	Year 2017
Province		
New Brunswick	**17.9**	**25.0**
Health zones		
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	**18.5**	**26.4**
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	**17.9**	**26.0**
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	**16.1**	**23.6**
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	**19.3**	**22.3**
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	**23.0**	**28.1**
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	**18.6**	**23.8**
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	**17.4**	**23.0**
Communities		
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	**19.4**	**23.1**
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	**16.7**	**26.6**
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	**21.1**	**24.2**
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	**18.2**	**19.2**
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	**24.9**	**31.5**
Dieppe and Memramcook	**13.2**	**26.6**
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	**13.2**	**26.2**
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	**21.3**	**25.2**
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	**13.3**	**20.2**
Fredericton	**17.4**	**24.0**
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	**17.4**	**22.9**

	Year 2020	Year 2017
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	**17.3**	**17.8**
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	**15.7**	**20.1**
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	**15.0**	**20.9**
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	**13.3**	**20.5**
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	**17.0**	**24.3**
Moncton	**20.5**	**27.3**
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	**17.3**	**22.1**
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	**19.5**	**16.1**
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	**15.4**	**24.4**
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	**15.1**	**25.6**
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	**23.8**	**25.0**
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	**17.8**	**26.9**
Riverview and Coverdale	**16.8**	**27.2**
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	**18.4**	**25.7**
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	**19.3**	**27.5**
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	**16.6**	**25.0**
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	**21.3**	**24.5**
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	**16.3**	**27.8**
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	**16.5**	**24.6**
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	**21.5**	**23.0**
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	**16.8**	**23.6**
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	**19.3**	**25.8**
Age		
18-64	**16.8**	**24.4**

	Year 2020	Year 2017
65 and over	**20.4**	**27.0**
Sex at birth		
Female	**19.5**	**27.9**
Male	**15.9**	**21.8**
Sexual identity		
Minority sexual identity	**18.4**	n/a
Heterosexual	**18.0**	n/a
Language		
Preferred language of service: English	**17.3**	**25.3**
Preferred language of service: French	**19.1**	**24.3**
Indigenous identity		
Indigenous	**16.1**	**28.4**
Non-Indigenous	**18.1**	**24.8**
Immigrant		
Immigrants	**15.3**	**25.0**
Non-immigrants	**17.8**	**25.0**
Education level		
High school or less	**16.3**	**24.2**
Postsecondary	**18.5**	**25.6**
Household income		
Less than $25,000	**17.4**	**24.4**
$25,000 to less than $60,000	**16.8**	**25.9**
$60,000 or more	**18.6**	**24.8**

	Year 2020	Year 2017
Persons with a disability		
Without disability	**14.9**	**22.9**
With disability	**26.5**	**32.0**

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens [having seen a specialist] who have seen a specialist for the first time in the last 12 months.

Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have seen a specialist . This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "yes" by the number of respondents who answered "no or yes" to the question: In the last 12 months, have you seen a specialist for the first time? This does not include seeing a specialist during a hospital stay or a visit to an emergency department

Unit	NBHC code
%	PH_USEST_1

Caption
n/a = Not applicable / not available
S = Data suppressed due to confidentiality requirements and/or small sample size