Citizens receiving home care services from the Extra-Mural Program [and taking new prescription medications] who reported that the staff talked with them about the purpose for taking their new prescription medications

Unit : %

	Year 2018	Year 2015	Year 2012
Province			
New Brunswick	**72.8**	**73.1**	**59.5**
Health zones			
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	**72.9**	**71.1**	**58.4**
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	**70.1**	**66.0**	**47.9**
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	**67.1**	**73.0**	**59.7**
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	**82.1**	**81.1**	**71.6**
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	**78.0**	**69.9**	**64.4**
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	**78.3**	**85.4**	**74.5**
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	**76.7**	**75.0**	**64.7**
Communities			
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	**70.8**	**73.4**	**73.1**
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	**75.1**	**90.5**	**67.6**
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	**64.2**	**69.6**	S
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	**83.6**	**88.0**	S
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	**91.7**	**70.1**	**69.1**
Dieppe and Memramcook	**69.6**	**67.1**	S
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	**62.5**	S	S
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	**79.7**	**84.7**	**72.6**
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	**81.5**	**82.5**	**68.5**

	Year 2018	Year 2015	Year 2012
Fredericton	**57.8**	**65.3**	**65.7**
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	S	S	S
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	**81.9**	**76.7**	**74.0**
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	S	S	S
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S	S	S
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	**83.6**	S	S
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	**77.8**	**74.0**	**64.4**
Moncton	**74.4**	**68.0**	**55.3**
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	**58.3**	S	S
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	S	S	S
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	**57.3**	S	S
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	**77.1**	S	S
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	**64.8**	S	S
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	**56.8**	**62.4**	**40.6**
Riverview and Coverdale	**62.1**	**71.5**	**39.4**
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	**80.5**	**60.7**	S
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	**62.4**	**51.1**	**45.7**
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	S	S	S
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	**73.9**	**75.9**	**60.7**
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	**74.7**	**92.5**	S
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	**70.5**	**76.2**	**45.8**
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	**88.6**	**81.9**	**53.9**
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	**77.1**	**76.7**	**59.8**
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	**84.6**	**92.6**	S

	Year 2018	Year 2015	Year 2012
Age			
18-64	**68.3**	**73.8**	**60.1**
65 and over	**74.3**	**72.6**	**59.7**
Gender			
Female	**71.3**	**70.8**	**60.0**
Male	**74.8**	**76.1**	**58.8**
Language			
Preferred language of service: English	**70.9**	**70.3**	**55.2**
Preferred language of service: French	**80.3**	**82.0**	**71.1**
Indigenous identity			
Indigenous	**82.6**	**73.4**	**73.2**
Non-Indigenous	**73.0**	**72.9**	**59.1**
Education level			
High school or less	**74.0**	**72.2**	**61.1**
Postsecondary	**69.9**	**75.7**	**58.2**
Household income			
Less than $25,000	**73.1**	**72.0**	**61.6**
$25,000 to less than $60,000	**75.8**	**72.7**	**62.3**
$60,000 or more	**76.4**	**80.1**	**49.4**

About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens receiving home care services from the Extra-Mural Program [and taking new prescription medications] who reported that the staff talked with them about the purpose for taking their new prescription medications in the last 2 months.

Source

Home Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who had taken any new prescription medicine or changed any of the medicines they were taking in the last 2 months. 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 2 months, did Extra-Mural staff talk with you about the purpose for taking your new or changed prescription medicines?

Notes

The 2021 edition of the Home Care Survey was conducted during the COVID-19 pandemic. While the pandemic did not influence the survey's response rate, users are advised to use the survey data with caution, especially when creating estimates for small sub-populations or when comparing it to other editions of the survey.

Unit	NBHC code
%	XM_MED04_1

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