

Overall score that represents how well hospital staff communicated with acute care patients about any new medication that was given

Unit : %

| | Year 2019 | Year 2016 | Year 2013 | Year 2010 |
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| Province | | | | |
| New Brunswick | 55.2 | 53.4 | 54.7 | 52.4 |
| Hospitals | | | | |
| The Moncton Hospital | 53.9 | 52.6 | 52.2 | 52.3 |
| Sackville Memorial Hospital | 62.5 | 46.7 | 44.4 | 51.0 |
| Charlotte County Hospital | 48.5 | 50.7 | 54.5 | 49.2 |
| Grand Manan Hospital | 75.0 | 83.3 | 75.0 | 62.5 |
| Saint John Regional Hospital | 54.8 | 52.9 | 54.5 | 49.3 |
| Sussex Health Centre | 52.9 | 55.3 | 50.0 | 47.1 |
| Dr. Everett Chalmers Regional Hospital | 55.6 | 52.3 | 55.0 | 57.2 |
| Hotel-Dieu of St. Joseph | 48.6 | 47.9 | 51.9 | 56.5 |
| Oromocto Public Hospital | 38.2 | 48.9 | 41.4 | 53.4 |
| Upper River Valley Hospital | 44.2 | 50.7 | 47.5 | 50.4 |
| Miramichi Regional Hospital | 62.1 | 54.3 | 61.2 | 55.8 |
| Dr. Georges-L.-Dumont University Hospital Centre | 55.6 | 54.1 | 57.4 | 51.4 |
| Stella-Maris-de-Kent Hospital | 58.1 | 67.1 | 48.9 | 83.3 |
| Grand Falls General Hospital | 52.6 | 47.2 | 50.0 | 59.6 |
| Edmundston Regional Hospital | 55.6 | 54.1 | 54.5 | 47.6 |
| Hôtel-Dieu Saint-Joseph de Saint-Quentin | 66.7 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 66.7 |
| Campbellton Regional Hospital | 48.9 | 51.9 | 46.1 | 48.5 |
| Enfant-Jésus RHSJ† Hospital | 61.2 | 66.7 | 65.1 | n/a |
| Tracadie Hospital | 58.8 | 62.0 | 66.7 | 56.0 |

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| Chaleur Regional Hospital | 61.7 | 56.0 | 57.7 | 50.9 |
| Regional Health Authorities | | | | |
| Horizon Health Network | 54.6 | 52.6 | 54.1 | 53.0 |
| Vitalité Health Network | 56.7 | 55.2 | 56.0 | 51.2 |
| Age | | | | |
| 18-64 | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| 65 and over | 54.6 | 51.8 | 54.1 | n/a |
| Sex at birth | | | | |
| Female | 53.1 | 51.1 | 53.4 | n/a |
| Male | 57.9 | 56.4 | 56.1 | n/a |
| Language | | | | |
| Preferred language of service: English | 54.7 | 53.1 | 54.0 | n/a |
| Preferred language of service: French | 57.5 | 54.6 | 56.8 | n/a |
| Race | | | | |
| White | 55.3 | 53.4 | n/a | n/a |
| Other | 48.5 | 59.2 | n/a | n/a |
| East/Southeast Asian | 58.7 | 54.8 | n/a | n/a |
| Black | 55.7 | 62.1 | n/a | n/a |
| Indigenous identity | | | | |
| Indigenous | 50.4 | 61.5 | 53.9 | n/a |
| Immigrant | | | | |
| Immigrants | 51.9 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| Non-immigrants | 55.5 | n/a | n/a | n/a |

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|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Education level | | | | |
| High school or less | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| Postsecondary | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |

About

This indicator is a composite percentage score, based on 2 individual questions in the survey, that represents how well hospital staff communicated with acute care patients about new medications.

Source

Hospital Acute Care Survey

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who said 'yes' to the question 'During this hospital stay, were you given any medicine that you had not taken before?'. This indicator is calculated by dividing the total number of 'always' responses to the questions 'Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff tell you what the medicine was for?' and 'Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff describe possible side effects in a way you could understand?', by the total number of responses given as 'always, usually, sometimes or never' for these 2 questions.

| Unit | Interpretation | NBHC code |
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| % | Higher is better | AC_CAMCP_1 |

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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