# Citizens [who consulted with their primary care provider in the last 12 months] who used a hospital emergency department in the last 12 months because their primary care provider was not available when they needed medical care

Unit:%

	Year 2022
Province	
New Brunswick	26.6
Health zones	
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	23.8
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	24.2
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	29.1
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	40.3
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	25.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	28.3
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	28.2



# About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens [who consulted with their primary care provider in the last 12 months] who used a hospital emergency department in the last 12 months because their primary care provider was not available when they needed medical care.

### Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

## Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have a family doctor or a nurse practitioner and who consulted with them in the last 12 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: Thinking of the last 12 months, did you use any of the following services because your family doctor or your nurse practitioner was not available when you needed medical care? a) Hospital emergency department

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### Caption

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