# Citizens who reported that their last consultation with their primary care provider was for a health concern or problem that needed medical care

Unit : %

| | Year 2025 | Year 2024 | Year 2023 | Year 2022 |
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| **Province** | | | | |
| New Brunswick | **56.0** | **55.5** | **56.7** | **54.5** |
| **Health zones** | | | | |
| Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area | **54.5** | **52.7** | **54.7** | **50.0** |
| Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area | **59.6** | **58.8** | **56.2** | **59.9** |
| Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area | **58.6** | **59.2** | **61.2** | **57.0** |
| Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area | **49.9** | **51.9** | **51.5** | **46.5** |
| Zone 5 - Restigouche Area | **52.8** | **51.1** | **52.8** | **50.6** |
| Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area | **52.6** | **53.0** | **56.5** | **53.6** |
| Zone 7 - Miramichi Area | **55.5** | **56.7** | **60.2** | **58.4** |
| **Age** | | | | |
| 18-64 | **57.0** | **56.3** | **58.3** | **56.4** |
| 65 and over | **54.0** | **53.8** | **53.3** | **50.1** |
| **Gender** | | | | |
| Female | **58.9** | **57.4** | **59.6** | **57.1** |
| Male | **52.3** | **53.2** | **53.2** | **50.9** |
| **2SLGBTQIA+ status** | | | | |
| 2SLGBTQIA+ | **60.7** | **56.2** | **62.8** | **56.7** |
| **Language** | | | | |
| Most comfortable in English | **58.8** | **57.7** | **58.6** | n/a |

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| Most comfortable in French | **50.2** | **48.5** | **52.1** | n/a |
| Comfortable in both English and French | **49.6** | **57.4** | **52.8** | n/a |
| **Indigenous identity** | | | | |
| Indigenous | **62.0** | **59.9** | **60.6** | **65.7** |
| **Immigrant** | | | | |
| Immigrants | **58.0** | **54.0** | **59.0** | **62.4** |
| **Education level** | | | | |
| High school or less | **52.0** | **53.9** | **54.6** | **48.3** |
| Postsecondary | **57.5** | **56.2** | **57.6** | **57.1** |
| **Disability or special need** | | | | |
| Disability or special need | **60.2** | **63.3** | **58.3** | n/a |
| **Household income** | | | | |
| Less than $30,000 | **52.2** | **59.7** | **55.8** | n/a |
| $30,000 to less than $60,000 | **57.6** | **53.6** | **56.0** | n/a |
| $60,000 or more | **56.1** | **55.7** | **57.6** | n/a |
| **Racialized groups** | | | | |
| Racialized groups | **59.6** | **54.4** | **53.8** | n/a |

## About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who reported that their last consultation with their primary care provider was for a health concern or problem that 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 "a health concern or problem that needed medical care" by the number of respondents who answered "prescription renewal, a regular check-up that was scheduled in advance or a health concern or problem that needed medical care" to the question: Thinking of the last time you consulted with your family doctor or your nurse practitioner, either in-person or virtually, was this for:

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