

## Citizens who reported that their primary care provider always explained things in a way that they could understand in the last 12 months

Unit : %

	Year 2023
<b>Province</b>	
New Brunswick	68.2
<b>Health zones</b>	
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	67.8
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	70.9
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	71.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	70.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	53.0
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	63.1
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	64.2
<b>Age</b>	
18-64	66.4
65 and over	71.9
<b>Gender</b>	
Female	68.7
Male	67.8
<b>2SLGBTQIA+ status</b>	
2SLGBTQIA+	58.8
<b>Language</b>	
Most comfortable in English	69.3
Most comfortable in French	63.6

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Comfortable in both English and French	69.7
<b>Indigenous identity</b>	
Indigenous	60.5
<b>Immigrant</b>	
Immigrants	55.5
<b>Education level</b>	
High school or less	66.7
Postsecondary	68.7
<b>Disability or special need</b>	
Disability or special need	66.7
<b>Household income</b>	
Less than \$30,000	64.5
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	65.7
\$60,000 or more	71.0
<b>Racialized groups</b>	
Racialized groups	50.2

**About**

This indicator is the percentage of citizens who reported that their primary care provider always explained things in a way that they could understand in the last 12 months.

**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 "always" by the number of respondents who answered "never, rarely, sometimes, usually or always" to the question: Thinking of the last 12 months, in general, how often did your family doctor or nurse practitioner explain things in a way that you could understand?

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<b>Unit</b>	<b>Interpretation</b>	<b>NBHC code</b>
%	Higher is better	PC_CEXWU_1

**Caption**

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