

## Citizens without a primary care provider who reported that they used the hospital emergency department when they needed medical care in the last 12 months

Unit : %

	Year 2025	Year 2024	Year 2023
<b>Province</b>			
New Brunswick	41.4	38.9	41.9
<b>Health zones</b>			
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	38.2	34.1	33.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	44.6	45.1	55.3
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	38.6	36.6	38.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	57.5	54.3	64.3
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	43.2	40.9	34.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	40.7	38.9	36.7
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	42.5	31.5	S
<b>Age</b>			
18-64	42.6	39.8	42.4
65 and over	36.3	35.3	39.5
<b>Gender</b>			
Female	43.8	41.6	46.9
Male	39.2	36.7	38.6
<b>2SLGBTQIA+ status</b>			
2SLGBTQIA+	46.6	46.7	43.9
<b>Language</b>			
Most comfortable in English	40.2	39.8	42.6

	Year 2025	Year 2024	Year 2023
Most comfortable in French	49.5	41.6	40.4
Comfortable in both English and French	30.5	25.6	39.3
<b>Indigenous identity</b>			
Indigenous	64.8	45.0	S
<b>Immigrant</b>			
Immigrants	43.6	36.2	37.0
<b>Education level</b>			
High school or less	40.9	43.3	49.0
Postsecondary	41.9	36.8	39.9
<b>Disability or special need</b>			
Disability or special need	43.8	50.9	53.8
<b>Household income</b>			
Less than \$30,000	45.6	40.7	44.8
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	46.9	45.6	44.8
\$60,000 or more	34.9	35.0	39.1
<b>Racialized groups</b>			
Racialized groups	44.4	33.3	32.4

### About

This indicator is the percentage of citizens without a primary care provider who reported that they used the hospital emergency department when they needed medical care in the last 12 months.

### Source

Primary Health Survey and Primary Care Survey

### Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who do not have a family doctor or a nurse practitioner. 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 when you needed medical care? a) Hospital emergency department

<b>Unit</b>	<b>NBHC code</b>
%	PC_NMCED_1

### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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