

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 2023
Province	
New Brunswick	41.9
Health zones	
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	33.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	55.3
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	38.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	64.3
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	34.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	36.7
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	S
Age	
18-64	42.4
65 and over	39.5
Gender	
Female	46.9
Male	38.6
2SLGBTQIA+ status	
2SLGBTQIA+	43.9
Language	
Most comfortable in English	42.6

	Year 2023
Most comfortable in French	40.4
Comfortable in both English and French	39.3
Indigenous identity	
Indigenous	S
Immigrant	
Immigrants	37.0
Education level	
High school or less	49.0
Postsecondary	39.9
Disability or special need	
Disability or special need	53.8
Household income	
Less than \$30,000	44.8
\$30,000 to less than \$60,000	44.8
\$60,000 or more	39.1
Racialized groups	
Racialized groups	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

Unit	NBHC code
%	PC_NMCED_1

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