

## Acute care patients who reported that the hospital staff always told them what their new medication was for

Unit : %

	Year 2023
<b>Province</b>	
New Brunswick	68.8
<b>Hospitals</b>	
The Moncton Hospital	68.9
St. Joseph's Hospital	84.4
Saint John Regional Hospital	68.7
Dr. Everett Chalmers Regional Hospital	70.8
Upper River Valley Hospital	65.3
Miramichi Regional Hospital	63.0
Dr. Georges-L.-Dumont University Hospital Centre	68.0
Edmundston Regional Hospital	72.7
Campbellton Regional Hospital	58.6
Tracadie Hospital	S
Chaleur Regional Hospital	70.4
<b>Health zones</b>	
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	68.3
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	69.3
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	69.6
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	73.0
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	58.6
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	69.8
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	63.0

	Year 2023
<b>Regional Health Authorities</b>	
Horizon Health Network	68.8
Vitalité Health Network	68.6
<b>Age</b>	
18-64	71.7
65 and over	65.2
<b>Sex at birth</b>	
Female	67.3
Male	70.9
<b>Language</b>	
Preferred language of service: English	69.2
Preferred language of service: French	65.2
<b>Indigenous identity</b>	
Indigenous	64.8
<b>Education level</b>	
High school or less	69.9
Postsecondary	68.3

**About**

This indicator is the percentage of acute care patients who reported that the hospital staff always told them what their new medication was for.

**Source**

Hospital Acute Care Survey

**Calculations**

This indicator is based on respondents who received new medication(s). This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "always" by the number of respondents who answered "never, sometimes, usually or always" to the question: Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff tell you what the medicine was for?

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<b>Unit</b>	<b>Interpretation</b>	<b>NBHC code</b>
%	Higher is better	AU_CAM02_1

**Caption**

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