

## Acute care patients who reported that doctors always explained things in a way they could understand

Unit : %

Year  
2023

### Province

New Brunswick	74.4
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### Hospitals

The Moncton Hospital	74.6
St. Joseph's Hospital	91.7
Saint John Regional Hospital	72.0
Dr. Everett Chalmers Regional Hospital	72.3
Upper River Valley Hospital	69.1
Miramichi Regional Hospital	71.0
Dr. Georges-L.-Dumont University Hospital Centre	82.3
Edmundston Regional Hospital	76.9
Campbellton Regional Hospital	71.9
Tracadie Hospital	76.4
Chaleur Regional Hospital	81.6

### Health zones

Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	77.5
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	72.7
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	71.5
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	76.4
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	71.9
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	81.0
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	71.0

**Regional Health Authorities**

Horizon Health Network	<b>72.7</b>
Vitalité Health Network	<b>79.5</b>

**Age**

18-64	<b>76.3</b>
65 and over	<b>72.4</b>

**Sex at birth**

Female	<b>75.1</b>
Male	<b>73.3</b>

**Language**

Preferred language of service: English	<b>72.7</b>
Preferred language of service: French	<b>79.9</b>

**Indigenous identity**

Indigenous	<b>77.8</b>
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**Education level**

High school or less	<b>74.4</b>
Postsecondary	<b>74.9</b>

## About

This indicator is the percentage of acute care patients who reported that doctors always explained things in a way they could understand.

## Source

Hospital Acute Care Survey

## Calculations

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: During this hospital stay, how often did doctors explain things in a way you could understand?

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Higher is better	AU_CWD03_1

### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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