

## Individuals (aged 50 to 74) who had at least one fecal test in the provincial colon cancer screening program within a 30-month period

Unit : %

Province		Years	Years
		2023-2025	2022-2024
<b>Province</b>			
New Brunswick		<b>18.1</b>	<b>17.7</b>
<b>Health zones</b>			
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area		<b>18.8</b>	<b>18.0</b>
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area		<b>18.7</b>	<b>18.3</b>
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area		<b>20.1</b>	<b>19.7</b>
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area		<b>18.0</b>	<b>17.8</b>
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area		<b>12.1</b>	<b>12.0</b>
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area		<b>15.9</b>	<b>14.9</b>
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area		<b>12.4</b>	<b>14.2</b>

## About

Percentage of population aged 50-74 who had at least one fecal test in the provincial colon cancer screening program within the measurement timeframe of 30 months

## Source

New Brunswick Cancer Network

## Calculations

Numerator: Number of individuals aged 50-74 who had at least one fecal test in the provincial colon cancer screening program within a 30-month period Denominator: Number of individuals aged 50-74 obtained from Statistics Canada

## Notes

The percentage is calculated based on the 30-month period from January 1, 2023 to June 30, 2025, using data from the colon cancer screening database, as retrieved September 2025. The measurement timeframe is defined as the duration of the 24-month screening cycle plus a 6-months grace period. The population aged 50-74 was obtained from the Centre for Demography, Statistics Canada (2024-04-22 production for the year 2023).

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Higher is better	DOH-NBCN-004

### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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