

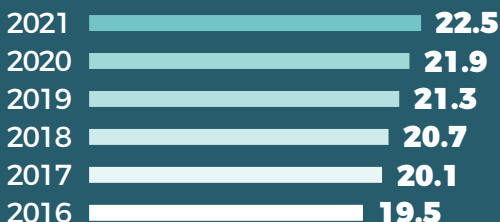
# ACCESS TO PRIMARY HEALTH CARE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

## Our population is shifting

NB POPULATION TRENDS  
(2016-2021)



### % OF NB CITIZENS AGED 65+ (2016-2021)



Source: Statistics Canada-Census 2021 - population estimates



% OF CITIZENS WHO ARE REPORTING LIVING WITH 3 OR MORE **CHRONIC HEALTH CONDITIONS**



### The rate of family physicians is increasing over time in New Brunswick



Source: Canadian Institute for Health Information. Supply, Distribution and Migration of Physicians in Canada, 2020

In 2020, **89.9%** of citizens reported that they have a primary care provider, which represents a decline from 2017 (92.8%)

### In 2020, citizens reported a decline in timely access to primary care services

% citizens who can get an appointment with their family doctor within 5 days



### More citizens turned to alternative care settings to access the primary care services they need

% of citizens who visited an after-hours clinic in the last 12 months



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