

Table 105-0205^{1,2,3,4,8,9,10,15}

Probability of depression, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, selected provinces, territories and health regions (June 2003 boundaries), every 2 years

Survey or program details:

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Geography ^{4,8,9,10}	Age group	Sex	Probability of depression ^{2,3}	Characteristics ^{5,6,7,14}	2003
	Total, 12 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	20,273
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	18,117
				Percent	89.4
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	1,112 ^E
				Percent	5.5 ^E
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	1,043 ^E
				Percent	5.1 ^E
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	10,406
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	9,138
				Percent	87.8
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	9,866
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	8,980
				Percent	91.0
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	555 ^E
				Percent	5.6 ^E
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	12 to 19 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,142
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,696
				Percent	85.8
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,560
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,295
				Percent	83.0
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,582
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,401
				Percent	88.6
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	20 to 34 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	5,742
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,921
				Percent	85.7
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,001
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,447
				Percent	81.5
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,741
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,474

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			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	35 to 44 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,066
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,887
				Percent	95.6
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,031
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,984
				Percent	97.7
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,035
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,903
				Percent	93.5
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	45 to 64 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	6,111
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	5,656
				Percent	92.6
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,188
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,911
				Percent	91.3
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,923
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,744
				Percent	93.9
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	65 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,212
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	958
				Percent	79.0
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	627
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	500 ^E
				Percent	79.8 ^E
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	585
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	457
				Percent	78.2
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	24,946
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	22,954

Total, 12 years and over	Both sexes		Percent	92.0
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	973
			Percent	3.9
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	1,019 ^E
	Males		Percent	4.1 ^E
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	12,450
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	11,349
			Percent	91.2
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	390 ^E
			Percent	3.1 ^E
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	712 ^E
			Percent	5.7 ^E
	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	12,496
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	11,605
			Percent	92.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	583 ^E
			Percent	4.7 ^E
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	308 ^E
			Percent	2.5 ^E
12 to 19 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,682
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,440
			Percent	93.4
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,922
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,814
			Percent	94.4
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,760
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,626
			Percent	92.4
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
20 to 34 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	5,983
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	5,348
			Percent	89.4
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	358 ^E
			Percent	6.0 ^E
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,857
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,510
			Percent	87.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,126
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,838
			Percent	90.8
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	5,403
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,924
			Percent	91.1
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,595
			Percent	100.0

	35 to 44 years	Males	Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,289
				Percent	88.2
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,808
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,634
				Percent	93.8
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	45 to 64 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	8,067
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	7,514
				Percent	93.1
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,208
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,949
				Percent	93.9
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,860
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,565
				Percent	92.4
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	65 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,810
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,728
				Percent	95.5
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	869
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	787
				Percent	90.6
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	942
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	942
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	Total, 12 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	33,228
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	29,988
				Percent	90.2
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	1,553 ^E
				Percent	4.7 ^E
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	1,687
				Percent	5.1
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	17,262
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	15,334
				Percent	88.8
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	650 ^E
				Percent	3.8 ^E
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	1,278 ^E
				Percent	7.4 ^E
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	15,966
				Percent	100.0

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12 to 19 years	Females	Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	14,654
			Percent	91.8
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	903 ^E
			Percent	5.7 ^E
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	410 ^E
			Percent	2.6 ^E
	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	5,656
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	5,066
			Percent	89.6
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,020
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,614
			Percent	86.5
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
20 to 34 years	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,636
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,452
			Percent	93.0
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	10,081
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	9,112
			Percent	90.4
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	5,245
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,633
			Percent	88.3
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
35 to 44 years	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,835
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,479
			Percent	92.6
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	7,806
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	6,985
			Percent	89.5
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	636 ^E
			Percent	8.1 ^E
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,778
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,395
			Percent	89.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,029
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,590
			Percent	89.1
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	7,899
			Percent	100.0

	45 to 64 years	Both sexes	Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	7,224
				Percent	91.5
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,380
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,009
				Percent	91.5
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,519
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	3,215
				Percent	91.4
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	65 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,786
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,601
				Percent	89.6
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	839
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	683
				Percent	81.4
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	947
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	918
				Percent	96.9
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
	Total, 12 years and over	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	13,743
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	12,734
				Percent	92.7
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	570 ^E
				Percent	4.1 ^E
		Males	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	438 ^E
				Percent	3.2 ^E
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	6,975
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	6,560
				Percent	94.1
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	249 ^E
				Percent	3.6 ^E
		Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	6,768
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	6,174
				Percent	91.2
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	321 ^E
				Percent	4.7 ^E
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	3,286
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,913
				Percent	88.7
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	230 ^E
				Percent	7.0 ^E
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,612

12 to 19 years	Males		Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,495
			Percent	92.8
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,675
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,418
			Percent	84.7
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
20 to 34 years	Both sexes	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	4,821
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	4,509
			Percent	93.5
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	264 ^E
			Percent	5.5 ^E
	Males	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,330
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,165
			Percent	92.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,491
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,344
			Percent	94.1
35 to 44 years	Both sexes	Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,543
	Males		Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,387
			Percent	93.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,368
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,291
			Percent	94.4
45 to 64 years	Both sexes	Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	2,572
	Males		Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	2,435
			Percent	94.7
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,174
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,096
			Percent	93.3
65 to 74 years	Both sexes	Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,211
	Males		Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,305
			Percent	95.9
		Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	1,361
			Percent	100.0
		Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,305
			Percent	95.9

		Females		Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	1,130
				Percent	93.3
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		65 years and over	Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	521
				Percent	100.0
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	489
				Percent	94.0
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Males	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
		Females	Total population for the variable probability of depression	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, less than 0.9	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, 0.9 or greater	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F
			Probability of depression, not stated	Number of persons	F
				Percent	F

Symbol legend:

- E Use with caution
- F Too unreliable to be published

Footnotes:

1. Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Community Health Survey, 2003
2. Population aged 12 and over with a probability of 0.9 or greater of having experienced a major depressive episode in the past 12 months.
3. Based on responses to the short-form Composite International Diagnostic Interview (CIDI). Respondents are classified according to the probability that they would have been diagnosed as having experienced a major depressive episode in the past 12 months, if they had completed the long-form CIDI.
4. Provincial estimates are provided only for those provinces in which all health regions selected the "Probability of depression" module as optional content.
5. When comparing estimates, it is important to use confidence intervals to determine if differences between values are statistically significant. Confidence intervals describe sampling variability and give an indication of the precision of a given estimate. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
6. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified as follows: (E) use with caution.
7. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed due to extreme sampling variability and are identified as follows: (F) too unreliable to be published.
8. Health regions are defined by the provincial ministries of health. These are legislated administrative areas in all provinces except Nova Scotia. In Nova Scotia, the Ministry of Health uses statistical zones rather than its legislated administrative areas; the zones are aggregations of the nine district health authorities.
9. For complete Canadian coverage, each of the northern territories also represents a health region.
10. The health regions presented in this table are based on boundaries and names in effect as of June 2003.
14. The following standard symbols are used in this Statistics Canada table : (..) for figures not available for a specific reference period and (...) for figures not applicable.
15. The CANSIM table 105-0205 is an update of CANSIM table 105-0005.

Source: Statistics Canada. *Table 105-0205 - Probability of depression, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, selected provinces, territories and health regions (June 2003 boundaries), every 2 years*, CANSIM (database).

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