

Table 105-0402¹

Arthritis or rheumatism, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, Canada, provinces, territories, health regions (June 2005 boundaries) and peer groups, every 2 years

Survey or program details:

Canadian Community Health Survey - [3226](#)

Arthritis or rheumatism, by health regions (June 2005 boundaries), every 2 years

| Geography ^{2,3} | Age group | Sex | Arthritis or rheumatism ^{10,11} | Characteristics ^{12,13,14,15} | 2005 |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------|---|--|--------|
| | Total, 12 years and over | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 27,188 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,760 |
| | | | | Percent | 13.8 |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 23,427 |
| | | | | Percent | 86.2 |
| | | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 13,664 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,545 |
| | | | | Percent | 11.3 |
| | 12 to 19 years | Females | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 12,119 |
| | | | | Percent | 88.7 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 13,524 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,216 |
| | | | | Percent | 16.4 |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 11,308 |
| | | | | Percent | 83.6 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | 20 to 34 years | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,854 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,822 |
| | | | | Percent | 99.2 |
| | | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,016 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Females | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,985 |
| | | | | Percent | 98.4 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,838 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,838 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 6,422 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 6,260 |
| | | | | Percent | 97.5 |
| | | Females | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,921 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Both sexes | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,886 |
| | | | | Percent | 98.8 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,921 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,886 |
| | | | | Percent | 98.8 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|---|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Yukon Territory [60] | 35 to 44 years | Females | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,501 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,374 |
| | | | Percent | 96.4 | |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F | |
| | | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,580 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,060 |
| | | | Percent | 90.7 | |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F | |
| | | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,807 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | | Number of persons | 2,450 | |
| | | Percent | 87.3 | | |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | | |
| | Females | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,773 | |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F | |
| | | | Percent | F | |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,610 | |
| | | Percent | 94.1 | | |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | | |
| | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 9,228 | |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,892 | |
| | | | Percent | 20.5 | |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,335 | |
| | | Percent | 79.5 | | |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | | |
| | 45 to 64 years | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,816 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 632 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 13.1 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,183 |
| | | Percent | 86.9 | | |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | | |
| Females | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,412 | |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,260 | | |
| | | Percent | 28.6 | | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,152 | | |
| | Percent | 71.4 | | | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | | |
| | Percent | F | | | |
| 65 years and over | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,103 | |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,154 | |
| | | | Percent | 54.8 | |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 950 | |
| | | Percent | 45.2 | | |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | | |
| | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,103 | |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| With arthritis or rheumatism | | Number of persons | 488 ^E | | |
| | | Percent | 44.2 ^E | | |
| Without arthritis or rheumatism | | Number of persons | 615 ^E | | |
| | Percent | 55.8 ^E | | | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | | |
| | Percent | F | | | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,000 | | |

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total, 12 years and over | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | Number of persons | 666 |
| | | | Percent | 66.6 |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 334 ^E |
| | | | Percent | 33.4 ^E |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F |
| | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 34,664 |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,206 |
| | | | Percent | 12.1 |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 30,458 |
| | | | Percent | 87.9 |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F |
| | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 18,070 |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,832 |
| | | | Percent | 10.1 |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 16,238 |
| | | | Percent | 89.9 |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F |
| | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 16,594 |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,374 | |
| | | Percent | 14.3 | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 14,220 | |
| | | Percent | 85.7 | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,716 | |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,559 | |
| | | Percent | 97.2 | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,987 | |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,880 | |
| | | Percent | 96.4 | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,730 | |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,678 | |
| | | Percent | 98.1 | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 10,944 | |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 535 ^E | |
| | | Percent | 4.9 ^E | |
| | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 10,408 | |
| | | Percent | 95.1 | |
| | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F | |
| | | Percent | F | |
| | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,591 | |
| | | Percent | 100.0 | |
| 20 to 34 years | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F |
| | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,372 |
| | | | Percent | 96.1 |
| | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | Percent | F |
| | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,352 |
| | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F | |
| | Percent | F | | |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| Northwest Territories [61] | 35 to 44 years | Females | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,036 |
| | | | | Percent | 94.1 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,169 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 768 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 10.7 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 6,401 |
| | | | | Percent | 89.3 |
| | | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,710 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,428 |
| | | | | Percent | 92.4 |
| | | Both sexes | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,459 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | 45 to 64 years | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 486 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 14.1 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,973 |
| | | | | Percent | 85.9 |
| | | Both sexes | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 9,053 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,941 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 21.4 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,111 |
| | | | | Percent | 78.6 |
| | | Females | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,888 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 873 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 17.9 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,015 |
| | | | | Percent | 82.1 |
| | 65 years and over | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 4,164 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,068 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 25.7 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,096 |
| | | | | Percent | 74.3 |
| | | Both sexes | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,782 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 803 |
| | | | | Percent | 45.0 |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 979 |
| | | | | Percent | 55.0 |
| | | Females | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 894 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 351 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 39.2 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 543 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 60.8 ^E |
| | | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 889 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 452 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 50.9 ^E |

| | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--|------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total, 12 years and over | | Both sexes | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 436 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 49.1 ^E |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 14,948 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 970 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 6.5 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 13,943 |
| | | | | Percent | 93.3 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,627 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 429 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 5.6 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,197 |
| | | | | Percent | 94.4 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 7,321 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 540 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 7.4 ^E |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 6,746 |
| | | | | Percent | 92.1 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,321 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 3,321 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,683 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| 12 to 19 years | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,683 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,638 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,638 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,278 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 5,147 |
| | | | | Percent | 97.5 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,730 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| 20 to 34 years | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,697 |
| | | | | Percent | 98.8 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Females | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,548 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,451 |
| | | | | Percent | 96.2 |

| | | | | | |
|--------------|-------------------|------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Nunavut [62] | 35 to 44 years | Both sexes | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,900 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Males | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,778 |
| | | | | Percent | 95.8 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,433 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | 45 to 64 years | Females | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,409 |
| | | | | Percent | 98.4 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Both sexes | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,467 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,369 |
| | | | | Percent | 93.3 |
| | 65 years and over | Males | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,931 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Females | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 2,462 |
| | | | | Percent | 84.0 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,466 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Both sexes | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,249 |
| | | | | Percent | 85.2 |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Males | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,465 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 1,213 |
| | | | | Percent | 82.8 |
| | | Females | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 519 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 283 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 54.5 ^E |
| | | Both sexes | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 236 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 45.5 ^E |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 315 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | Males | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 160 ^E |
| | | | | Percent | 50.7 ^E |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, not stated | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | Females | Total population for the variable arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | 204 |
| | | | | Percent | 100.0 |
| | | | With arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Without arthritis or rheumatism | Number of persons | F |
| | | | | Percent | F |
| | | | Arthritis or rheumatism, 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 (CCHS 3.1), 2005. The CANSIM table 105-0402 is an update of CANSIM table 105-0202.
2. Health regions are defined by the provincial ministries of health. These are legislated administrative areas in all provinces. The health regions presented in this table are based on boundaries and names in effect as of June 2005. For complete Canadian coverage, each of the northern territories also represents a health region.
3. A "peer group" is a grouping of health regions that have similar social and economic characteristics. The nine peer groups are identified by the letters A through I, which are appended to the health region 4-digit code.
10. Population aged 12 and over who report that they have been diagnosed by a health professional as having arthritis or rheumatism.
11. Arthritis or rheumatism includes rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis, but excludes fibromyalgia.
12. 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.
13. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
14. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified as follows: (E) use with caution.
15. 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.

Source: Statistics Canada. *Table 105-0402 - Arthritis or rheumatism, by age group and sex, household population aged 12 and over, Canada, provinces, territories, health regions (June 2005 boundaries) and peer groups, every 2 years*, CANSIM (database).

<http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgui.exe?>

[Lang=E&CANSIMFile=CII\CII_1_E.htm&RootDir=CII/](http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgui.exe?Lang=E&CANSIMFile=CII\CII_1_E.htm&RootDir=CII/)

(accessed: October 2, 2008)