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## CANSIM - Results

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Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS 3.1) off-reserve  
Aboriginal profile, by sex, Canada, provinces and territories,  
occasional

Survey or program details:  
Canadian Community Health Survey - 3226

Geography=Nunavut

Off-reserve Aboriginal profile <sup>2</sup>	Sex	Health profile	Characteristics <sup>47,48,49,50,51,52</sup>	2005
Both sexes		Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	7,465
			Percent	49.9
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	9,535
			Percent	63.8
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	970 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	6.5 <sup>F</sup>
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	642 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	4.3 <sup>F</sup>
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	1,040
			Percent	7.0
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	1,736
			Percent	11.6
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	2,928
			Percent	19.6
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	4,450
			Percent	29.8
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	7,896
			Percent	52.8
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	1,194 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	17.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	1,158 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	16.5 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	591 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	8.4 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	774 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	11.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	10,141
			Percent	67.8
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	8,242
			Percent	90.4
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	6,454
			Percent	53.7
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	2,856
			Percent	19.1
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	3,228
			Percent	32.3
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	7,053
			Percent	47.2
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	2,433 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	19.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	3,643
			Percent	30.4
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	3,114
			Percent	25.9
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	689 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	26.6 <sup>F</sup>
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	12,087
			Percent	80.9
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	2,391
			Percent	16.0
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	8,599
			Percent	57.5
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	8,428
			Percent	56.4
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	5,942
			Percent	39.8
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	3,783
			Percent	49.6
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	4,878
			Percent	64.0
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	429 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	5.6 <sup>F</sup>
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	679 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	8.9 <sup>F</sup>
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	1,224
			Percent	16.1
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	1,148
			Percent	15.1
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	2,716
			Percent	35.6

Total off-reserve population	Males	Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	4,026
			Percent	52.8
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	685 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	19.2 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	761 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	21.3 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	489 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	13.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	4,973
			Percent	65.2
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	3,886
			Percent	84.9
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	2,992
			Percent	49.0
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	1,397
			Percent	18.3
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	1,987
			Percent	37.7
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	3,750
			Percent	49.2
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	1,055 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	16.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	2,210
			Percent	35.0
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,675
			Percent	26.5
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	415 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	31.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	6,053
			Percent	79.4
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	1,218 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	16.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	4,067
			Percent	53.3
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	3,840
			Percent	50.4
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	2,809
			Percent	36.8
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
	Females	Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	3,682
			Percent	50.3
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	4,657
			Percent	63.6
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	540 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	7.4 <sup>F</sup>
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	361 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	4.9 <sup>F</sup>
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	512 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	7.0 <sup>F</sup>
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	1,780
			Percent	24.3
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	1,734
			Percent	23.7
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	3,870
			Percent	52.9
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	509 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	14.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	5,168
			Percent	70.6
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	4,356
			Percent	96.0
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	3,462
			Percent	58.5
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	1,460 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	19.9 <sup>F</sup>
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	1,241 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	26.3 <sup>F</sup>
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	3,303
			Percent	45.1
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	1,379 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	23.2 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,433
			Percent	25.2
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,439
			Percent	25.3
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	6,034
			Percent	82.4
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	1,173
			Percent	16.0

Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	4,532
	Percent	61.9
Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	4,587
	Percent	62.7
Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	3,133
	Percent	42.8
Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	4,675
	Percent	79.3
Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	4,646
	Percent	43.2
Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	6,414
	Percent	59.6
With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	441 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	4.1 <sup>F</sup>
With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	587 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	5.4 <sup>F</sup>
Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	1,222
	Percent	11.4
1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	2,137
	Percent	19.9
Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	3,417
	Percent	31.7
Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	7,032
	Percent	65.3
Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	1,006 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	27.1 <sup>E</sup>
Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	612 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	16.5 <sup>E</sup>
Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	517 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	13.9 <sup>F</sup>
Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	6,837
	Percent	63.5
Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	4,635
	Percent	87.9
Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	5,506
	Percent	59.0
Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	2,628
	Percent	24.4
5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	2,295 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	35.8
Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	4,915
	Percent	45.7
Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	1,374 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	16.6 <sup>E</sup>
Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	2,319
	Percent	28.9
Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,882
	Percent	23.5
Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	9,138
	Percent	84.9
Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	1,229 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	11.4 <sup>F</sup>
Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	5,398
	Percent	50.1
Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	5,541
	Percent	51.5
Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	4,774
	Percent	44.3
Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
	Percent	...
Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
	Percent	...
Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	2,598
	Percent	47.5
Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	3,398
	Percent	62.1
With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
	Percent	F
With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	306 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	5.6 <sup>E</sup>
Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	943
	Percent	17.2
1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	912 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	16.7 <sup>F</sup>
Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	2,083
	Percent	38.1
Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	3,504
	Percent	64.1
Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	528 <sup>F</sup>
	Percent	27.2 <sup>F</sup>
	Number of persons	396 <sup>F</sup>

Aboriginal	Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Percent	20.4 <sup>E</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	339 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	17.4 <sup>E</sup>
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	3,399
			Percent	62.2
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	2,075
			Percent	79.7
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	2,391
			Percent	50.8
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	1,315
			Percent	24.0
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	1,314 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	38.4
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	2,803
			Percent	51.3
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,468 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	34.1 <sup>E</sup>
	Females	Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	839
			Percent	19.5
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	320 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	27.6 <sup>F</sup>
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	4,615
			Percent	84.4
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	2,571
			Percent	47.0
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	2,499
			Percent	45.7
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	2,376
			Percent	43.5
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
	Females	Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	2,048
			Percent	38.7
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	3,016
			Percent	56.9
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	279 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	5.3 <sup>E</sup>
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	1,225 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	23.1 <sup>E</sup>
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	1,334
			Percent	25.2
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	3,529
			Percent	66.6
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	479 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	27.1 <sup>E</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	3,438
			Percent	64.9
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	2,560
			Percent	96.0
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	3,115
			Percent	67.4
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	1,314 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	24.8 <sup>E</sup>
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	981 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	32.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	2,111
			Percent	39.9
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	926 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	23.3 <sup>E</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	851 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	22.9 <sup>E</sup>
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,043
			Percent	28.1
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	4,523
			Percent	85.4
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	564 <sup>E</sup>
			Percent	10.6 <sup>E</sup>
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	2,827
			Percent	53.4
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	3,043
			Percent	57.4
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F

		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	2,398
			Percent	45.3
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	2,970
			Percent	75.7
Both sexes		Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	2,800 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	68.5
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	3,063 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	74.9
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	6.5 <sup>F</sup>
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	454 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	11.1
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	514 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	12.6
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	791 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	19.3 <sup>F</sup>
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	1,014
			Percent	24.8
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	822 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	20.1 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	546 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	16.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	3,223
			Percent	78.8
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	3,595
			Percent	95.8
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	935 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	35.8
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	933 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	26.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	2,110
			Percent	51.6
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	1,060 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	27.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,302 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	33.3
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	1,232
			Percent	31.5
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	2,878
			Percent	70.4
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	1,150 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	28.1 <sup>F</sup>
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	3,121
			Percent	76.3
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	2,817
			Percent	68.9
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	16.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	1,169 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	28.6
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	1,185 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	55.8
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	1,480 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	69.7
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	8.8 <sup>F</sup>
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	373 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	17.6 <sup>F</sup>
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	281 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	13.2 <sup>F</sup>
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	11.1 <sup>F</sup>
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	633 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	29.8
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	523 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	24.6
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	22.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F

Non-Aboriginal	Males		Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	1,552
			Percent	73.1
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	1,811
			Percent	93.4
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	588 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	43.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	673 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	37.0
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	947 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	44.6
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	607 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	30.5 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	720 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	36.1 <sup>F</sup>
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	836 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	42.0
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	1,426
			Percent	67.1
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	553 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	26.0 <sup>F</sup>
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	1,474 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	69.4
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	1,320
			Percent	62.1
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	10.1 <sup>F</sup>
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	433 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	20.4 <sup>F</sup>
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
	Females	Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	1,616 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	82.2
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	1,583 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	80.5
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	11.8 <sup>F</sup>
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	555 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	28.2
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	381 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	19.4 <sup>F</sup>
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	1,672 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	85.1
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	1,784 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	98.5
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	347 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	27.8 <sup>F</sup>
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	1,163 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	59.2
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	453 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	23.5 <sup>F</sup>
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	30.4 <sup>F</sup>
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	20.7 <sup>F</sup>
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	1,453 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	73.9
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	30.4 <sup>F</sup>
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	1,647 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	83.8
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	1,497 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	76.2
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	736 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	37.4 <sup>F</sup>

		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	1,658 <sup>F</sup>
			Percent	86.0
Aboriginal, not stated	Both sexes	Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,33</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
		Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
			Percent	...
	Males	Very good or excellent self-rated health <sup>3</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Very good or excellent self-rated mental health <sup>4</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With arthritis or rheumatism <sup>5,6</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With diabetes <sup>7,8</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With asthma <sup>9</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		With high blood pressure <sup>10</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Injuries within the past 12 months <sup>11,12</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		1 or more two-week disability days <sup>13</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Participation and activity limitation <sup>14</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Current daily or occasional smoker <sup>15,16,17</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke at home <sup>18,19</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and/or public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places <sup>20</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at home <sup>21</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Complete restriction on smoking at work <sup>22</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Smoking initiation age (5 to 14 years) <sup>23</sup>	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F

	Never had a drink <sup>24</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times a year <sup>25</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Leisure-time physically active or moderately active <sup>26,27</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Life stress, quite a lot (18 years and over) <sup>28</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Overweight, self-reported adult body mass index 25.00 to 29.99 (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Obese, self-reported adult body mass index 30.00 or higher (18 years and over) <sup>29,30,31,32</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Self-reported youth body mass index, overweight or obese <sup>29,31</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Very strong or somewhat strong sense of belonging to local community <sup>34</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Has a regular medical doctor <sup>35</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Contact with medical doctors in the past 12 months <sup>36,37</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Contact with dental professionals in the past 12 months <sup>38,39</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Contact with alternative health care providers in the past 12 months <sup>40,41</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Influenza immunization, less than one year ago <sup>42</sup>	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F
	Received routine screening mammogram within the last 2 years (50 to 69 years) <sup>43,44</sup>	Number of persons	...
		Percent	...
	Pap smear, within the last 3 years (18 to 69 years) <sup>45,46</sup>	Number of persons	...
		Percent	...
	Females	Number of persons	F
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**Symbol legend:**

- ... Not applicable
- F Use with caution
- F Too unreliable to be published

**Footnotes:**

1. Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS 3.1), 2005. Due to changes in the questionnaire introduced in 2005, these data are not comparable to the CANSIM table 105-0112.
2. Aboriginal population includes those people living in Canada who identified themselves or their cultural and/or racial background as North American Indian, Métis or Inuit.
3. Population aged 12 and over who rate their own health status as being either excellent or very good. Self-rated health is an indicator of overall health status. It can reflect aspects of health not captured in other measures, such as incipient disease, disease severity,



- aspects of positive health status, physiological and psychological reserves and social and mental function.
4. Population aged 12 and over who rate their own mental health status as being excellent or very good. Self-reported mental health provides a general indication of the population suffering from some form of mental disorder, mental or emotional problems, or distress, not necessarily reflected in self-reported (physical) health.
  5. Population aged 12 and over who report that they have been diagnosed by a health professional as having arthritis or rheumatism.
  6. Arthritis or rheumatism includes rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis, but excludes fibromyalgia.
  7. Population aged 12 and over who report that they have been diagnosed by a health professional as having diabetes.
  8. Diabetes includes females 15 and over who have been diagnosed with gestational diabetes.
  9. Population aged 12 and over who report that they have been diagnosed by a health professional as having asthma.
  10. Population aged 12 and over who report that they have been diagnosed by a health professional as having high blood pressure.
  11. Population aged 12 and over who sustained injuries in the past 12 months. Repetitive strain injuries are not included.
  12. Refers to injuries which are serious enough to limit normal activities. For those with more than one injury in the past 12 months, refers to "the most serious injury", as identified by the respondent.
  13. Population aged 12 and over who stayed in bed or cut down on normal activities because of illness or injury, on one or more days in the past 2 weeks.
  14. Population aged 12 and over who reported being limited in selected activities (home, school, work and other activities) because of a physical condition, mental condition or health problem which has lasted or is expected to last 6 months or longer. "Participation and activity limitation" was previously referred to as "Activity limitation".
  15. Population aged 12 and over who reported being a current smoker (daily or occasional).
  16. Daily smokers refers to those who reported smoking cigarettes every day.
  17. Occasional smokers refers to those who reported smoking cigarettes occasionally. This includes former daily smokers who now smoke occasionally.
  18. Non-smoking population aged 12 and over who reported that at least one person smokes inside their home every day or almost every day.
  19. Smoking includes cigarettes, cigars and pipes.
  20. Non-smoking population aged 12 and over who reported being exposed to second-hand smoke in private vehicles and/or public places on every day or almost every day in the past month.
  21. Population aged 12 and over who reported there are restrictions against smoking in the home and that the restriction is that smokers are asked to refrain from smoking in the house.
  22. Employed population aged 15 to 75 who reported that smoking is completely restricted at their place of work.
  23. Population aged 12 and over who reported being either a current or former smoker and who reported smoking their first whole cigarette between the ages of 5 and 14.
  24. Population aged 12 and over who reported never having a drink.
  25. Population aged 12 and over who reported having at least 1 drink in the past 12 months and who reported having 5 or more drinks on one occasion, 12 or more times in the past 12 months.
  26. Population aged 12 and over reporting being physically active or moderately active, based on their responses to questions about the frequency, duration and intensity of their participation in leisure-time physical activity.
  27. Respondents are classified as active, moderately active or inactive based on an index of average daily physical activity over the past 3 months. For each leisure time physical activity engaged in by the respondent, an average daily energy expenditure is calculated by multiplying the number of times the activity was performed by the average duration of the activity by the energy cost (kilocalories per kilogram of body weight per hour) of the activity. The index is calculated as the sum of the average daily energy expenditures of all activities. Respondents are classified as follows: 3.0 kcal/kg/day or more = physically active; 1.5 to 2.9 kcal/kg/day = moderately active; less than 1.5 kcal/kg/day = inactive.
  28. Population aged 18 and over who reported their level of life stress as quite a lot.
  29. Body mass index (BMI) is a method of classifying body weight according to health risk. According to the World Health Organization (WHO) and Health Canada guidelines, health risk levels are associated with each of the following BMI categories: normal weight = least health risk; underweight and overweight = increased health risk; obese, class I = high health risk; obese, class II = very high health risk; obese, class III = extremely high health risk.
  30. Body mass index (BMI) is calculated by dividing the respondent's body weight (in kilograms) by their height (in metres) squared.
  31. A definition change was implemented in 2004 to conform with World Health Organization (WHO) and Health Canada guidelines for body weight classification. The index is calculated for the population aged 18 and over, excluding pregnant females and persons less than 3 feet (0.914 metres) tall or greater than 6 feet 11 inches (2.108 metres).
  32. According to the World Health Organization (WHO) and Health Canada guidelines, the index for body weight classification is: less than 18.50 (underweight); 18.50 to 24.99 (normal weight); 25.00 to 29.99 (overweight); 30.00 to 34.99 (obese, class I); 35.00 to 39.99 (obese, class II); 40.00 or greater (obese, class III).
  33. Body mass index (BMI) for youth is different from that of adults as they are still maturing. This variable classifies the measured BMI of children aged 12 to 17 as "obese" or "overweight" according to the age- and sex-specific BMI cut-off points as defined by Cole and others. The Cole cut-off points are based on pooled international data (Brazil, Great Britain, Hong Kong, Netherlands, Singapore and United States) for BMI and linked to the internationally accepted adult BMI cut-off points of 25 (overweight) and 30 (obese). Respondents who do not fall within the categories of "obese" or "overweight" (as defined by Cole and others) have been classified by the Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS) as "neither overweight nor obese".
  34. Population aged 12 and over who describe their sense of belonging to their local community as very strong or somewhat strong. Research shows a high correlation of sense of community-belonging with physical and mental health.
  35. Population aged 12 and over were asked to report whether they had a regular medical doctor.
  36. Population aged 12 and over who have consulted with a medical doctor in the past 12 months.
  37. Medical doctor include family or general practitioners as well as specialists such as surgeons, allergists, orthopaedists, gynaecologists or psychiatrists. For population aged 12 to 17, includes pediatricians.
  38. Population aged 12 and over who have consulted with a dental professional in the past 12 months.
  39. Dental professionals include dentists or orthodontists.
  40. Population aged 12 and over who have consulted with an alternative health care provider in the past 12 months.
  41. Alternative health care providers include massage therapists, acupuncturists, homeopaths or naturopaths, Feldenkrais or Alexander teachers, relaxation therapists, biofeedback teachers, rollers, herbalists, reflexologists, spiritual healers, religious healers and others.
  42. Population aged 12 and over who reported having had their last influenza immunization (flu shot) less than one year ago.
  43. Females aged 50 to 69 who reported having had their last mammogram for routine screening or other reasons within the last 2 years.
  44. Screening by mammography is an important strategy for early detection of breast cancer.
  45. Females aged 18 to 69 who reported having had their last Pap smear test within the last 3 years.
  46. Pap tests (Papanicolaou) detect pre-malignant lesions before cancer of the cervix develops.
  47. 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.
  48. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
  49. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified by an (E) and should be interpreted with caution.
  50. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed (F) due to extreme sampling variability.
  51. The data expressed as proportions (%) in these tables are calculated using the total population of the selected group as the denominator.
  52. 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.

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