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Aboriginal peoples survey, perceived general health, by Aboriginal identity, age group and sex, population aged 6 years and over, Canada, provinces and territories

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Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
Total, Aboriginal identity	Total, 6 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	16,500	18,590	9,890
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	10,680	10,920	5,630
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	5,520	5,540	2,870
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	5,170	5,370	2,760
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	4,290	5,340	2,760
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	1,520	2,280	1,190
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	310 ^E
		Male	Total, perceived general health	8,070	8,980	4,590
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	5,300	5,560	2,570
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	2,760	2,840	1,360
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	2,540	2,720	1,210
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	2,100	2,320	1,340
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	670	1,040	530
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	160 ^E
	Female	Total, perceived general health	8,430	9,610	5,290	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	5,380	5,360	3,060	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	2,760	2,700	1,500	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	2,630	2,650	1,550	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	2,190	3,020	1,420	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	850	1,230	660	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	160 ^E	
	6 to 14 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	4,070	3,880	1,840
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	3,280	3,120	1,620
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	2,130	2,180	1,110
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,140	940	500
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	680	710	170
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	110 ^E	F	50 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
Male		Total, perceived general health	2,060	1,970	920	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,690	1,610	790	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,040	1,110	550	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	640	500	240	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	320	330	90 ^E	

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Female	Total, perceived general health	2,010	1,910	920
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,590	1,510	820
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,090	1,070	560
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	500	440	260
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	360	380	80 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	15 to 24 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	3,210	4,760	2,210
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,280	2,910	1,360
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,030	1,340	690
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,250	1,570	680
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	800	1,390	610
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	120 ^E	410 ^E	120 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	110 ^E
		Male	Total, perceived general health	1,540	2,400	1,070
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,160	1,550	630
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	560	690	350
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	600	860	280
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	340	600 ^E	300
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	190 ^E	50 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Female	Total, perceived general health	1,670	2,360	1,140
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,120	1,360	730
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	470	650	340
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	660	710	390
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		470	790	310	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		80 ^E	220 ^E	80 ^E	
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F	
25 to 54 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	7,070	7,660	4,420	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	4,450	4,190	2,200	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	2,090	1,710	890	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	2,360	2,480	1,310	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	2,040	2,420	1,450	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	580	1,040	590	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	180 ^E	
	Male	Total, perceived general health	3,330	3,450	2,040	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,090	2,040	960	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	990	870	400	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,100	1,170	560	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	990	1,020	740	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	250	380 ^E	270 ^E	

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
		Female	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
			Total, perceived general health	3,740	4,210	2,390
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,350	2,150	1,240
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,090	840	480
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,260	1,320	760
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	1,050	1,400	710
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	330	650 ^E	320
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	2,080	2,290	1,410
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	640	700	450
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	240	320 ^E	180 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	400	380 ^E	260 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	740	820	520
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	700	770	430
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F	
	Male		Total, perceived general health	1,120	1,160	570
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	340	350 ^E	180 ^E	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	150	170 ^E	F	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	190	190 ^E	130 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	450	370 ^E	210 ^E	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	330	430 ^E	180 ^E	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Female	Total, perceived general health	960	1,130	840
	Excellent or very good perceived general health		300	340 ^E	260 ^E	
	Excellent perceived general health ¹³		90 ^E	150 ^E	120 ^E	
	Very good perceived general health ¹⁴		210 ^E	190 ^E	140 ^E	
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		290	450 ^E	320 ^E	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		370	340 ^E	240 ^E	
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F	
	Age not specified or invalid ¹¹		Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	F	..
		Excellent or very good perceived general health		F
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³		F
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴		F
Good perceived general health ¹⁵		F		..	..
Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		F		..	..
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F		..	..
Male		Total, perceived general health		F
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	..	..
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	..	..

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
		Female	Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	..	..
First Nations (North American Indian)	Total, 6 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	10,090	11,560	4,160
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	6,510	6,680	2,240
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	3,250	3,560	1,270
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	3,260	3,120	980
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	2,570	3,400	1,270
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	1,010	1,430	480
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	160 ^E
		Male	Total, perceived general health	5,040	5,530	1,790
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	3,350	3,360	920
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,720	1,740	550
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,630	1,620	370
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	1,240	1,540	520
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	450	580 ^E	250 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	Female	Total, perceived general health	5,060	6,030	2,360	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	3,160	3,320	1,320	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,530	1,820	710	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,630	1,500	600	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	1,330	1,860	750	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	560	850	230 ^E	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
	6 to 14 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	2,430	2,530	870
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,900	1,940	760
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,200	1,330	560
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	700	610	200
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	440	560	80 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	90 ^E	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
Male		Total, perceived general health	1,260	1,260	410	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,010	980	350	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	600	670	270	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	410	320 ^E	80 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	210	260 ^E	F	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
Female	Total, perceived general health	1,170	1,270	460		

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	890	960	410
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	590	660	290
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	300	290 ^E	110 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	230	300 ^E	F
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	15 to 24 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	1,960	2,980	890
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,410	1,780	490
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	600	820	260
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	810	960	230
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	480	930	290
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	70 ^E	240 ^E	40 ^E
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Male	Total, perceived general health	970	1,460	390
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	750	920	170 ^E
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	330	400 ^E	90 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	420	520 ^E	80 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	190 ^E	420 ^E	140 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Female	Total, perceived general health	990	1,520	500
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	660	850	320
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	270	410 ^E	170 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	390	440 ^E	150 ^E
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		300	510 ^E	150 ^E	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		30 ^E	F	F	
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F		
	25 to 54 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	4,290	4,670	1,850
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,770	2,520	860
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,280	1,180	410
Very good perceived general health ¹⁴			1,480	1,330	450	
Good perceived general health ¹⁵			1,140	1,410	670	
Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶			390	740 ^E	240 ^E	
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F		
Male		Total, perceived general health	2,040	2,110	770	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,350	1,220	340	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	680	560 ^E	170 ^E	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	670	660 ^E	170 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	540	640 ^E	290	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	150 ^E	250 ^E	120 ^E		
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F			
Female	Total, perceived general health	2,250	2,560	1,080		
		1,420	1,300	520		

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012	
			Excellent or very good perceived general health				
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	610	630 ^E	240 ^E	
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	810	670	280 ^E	
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	600	760	380	
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	240	490 ^E	120 ^E	
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
	55 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	1,360	1,380	540	
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	420	440 ^E	140 ^E	
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	160	230 ^E	F	
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	260	210 ^E	100 ^E	
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	490	510 ^E	240 ^E	
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	460	430 ^E	170 ^E	
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Male	Total, perceived general health	750	700	220 ^E	
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	230	230 ^E	F	
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	100 ^E	F	F	
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	130 ^E	F	F	
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	290	220 ^E	F	
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	220	240 ^E	F	
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Female	Total, perceived general health	620	680	330	
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	180 ^E	210 ^E	F	
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	60 ^E	F	F	
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	120 ^E	F	F	
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	190	280 ^E	170 ^E	
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	240	190 ^E	80 ^E	
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Age not specified or invalid ¹¹	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	F
				Excellent or very good perceived general health	F
				Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F
Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F			..	..
Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F			..	..
Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F			..	..
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F			..	..
Male	Total, perceived general health		F	..	..
	Excellent or very good perceived general health		F	..	..
	Excellent perceived general health ¹³		F	..	..
	Very good perceived general health ¹⁴		F	..	..
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		F	..	..
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		F	..	..
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	..	..
Female	Total, perceived general health		F	..	..
			F	..	..

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	..	..
Métis	Total, 6 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	3,160	3,960	2,140
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,040	2,510	1,320
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,080	1,180	650
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	960	1,330	680
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	840	1,020	500
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	280	430 ^E	250
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Male	Total, perceived general health	1,460	2,020	1,120
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	880	1,290	660
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	430	620	300
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	450	670	360
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	450	500	310
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	120 ^E	230 ^E	110 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	Female	Total, perceived general health	1,700	1,940	1,010	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,160	1,220	660	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	650	560	350	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	510	660	310	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	390	510 ^E	190 ^E	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	160 ^E	200 ^E	140 ^E	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
	6 to 14 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	840	850	350
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	710	780	300
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	450	570	200
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	250 ^E	210	100 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	120 ^E	F	F
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
Male		Total, perceived general health	400	450	180	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	330	410	160	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	190 ^E	280	100 ^E	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	140 ^E	120 ^E	50 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	F	F	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
Female	Total, perceived general health	450	400	170		
		370	380	140		

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	260 ^E	280	100 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	110 ^E	90 ^E	40 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	F	F
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	15 to 24 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	540	1,050	450
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	400	680	330
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	220 ^E	290 ^E	170
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	190 ^E	390 ^E	160 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	110 ^E	320 ^E	80 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Male	Total, perceived general health	230 ^E	520 ^E	290
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	190 ^E	360 ^E	210
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	100 ^E	160 ^E	110 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	90 ^E	200 ^E	110 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	F	60 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Female	Total, perceived general health	310 ^E	530 ^E	160
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	210 ^E	320 ^E	120 ^E
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	120 ^E	130 ^E	70 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	100 ^E	190 ^E	50 ^E
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		F	F	F	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		F	F	F	
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F		
	25 to 54 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	1,420	1,560	900
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	840	920	520
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	370	280 ^E	190 ^E
Very good perceived general health ¹⁴			470	640	330	
Good perceived general health ¹⁵			470	520	260	
Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶			120 ^E	120 ^E	80 ^E	
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F		
Male		Total, perceived general health	650	750	460	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	340	470	230 ^E	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	130 ^E	150 ^E	F	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	210 ^E	320 ^E	160 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	240 ^E	240 ^E	160 ^E	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	70 ^E	F	F	
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F		
Female		Total, perceived general health	780	800	440	
			500	450	290	

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012	
			Excellent or very good perceived general health				
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	240 ^E	130 ^E	120 ^E	
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	260 ^E	320 ^E	170 ^E	
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	220 ^E	280 ^E	100 ^E	
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	40 ^E	
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
			Total, perceived general health	350	500	440	
	55 years and over	Both sexes		Excellent or very good perceived general health	90 ^E	130 ^E	180 ^E
				Excellent perceived general health ¹³	50 ^E	F	F
				Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	90 ^E	90 ^E
				Good perceived general health ¹⁵	140 ^E	130 ^E	130 ^E
				Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	110 ^E	250 ^E	120 ^E
				Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
				Total, perceived general health	180 ^E	300 ^E	200 ^E
		Male		Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	F	F
				Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	F	F
				Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	F	F
				Good perceived general health ¹⁵	110 ^E	90 ^E	F
				Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	40 ^E	160 ^E	F
				Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Female		Total, perceived general health	170 ^E	200 ^E	240 ^E
				Excellent or very good perceived general health	70 ^E	F	110 ^E
				Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	F	F
				Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	F	F
				Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	F	F
				Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	70 ^E	F	70 ^E
				Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Age not specified or invalid ¹¹	Both sexes		Total, perceived general health	F	..
	Excellent or very good perceived general health				F	..	..
	Excellent perceived general health ¹³				F	..	..
	Very good perceived general health ¹⁴				F	..	..
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵				F	..	..
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶				F	..	..
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F				..	..
Male			Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
Female			Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
				F	..	..

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	..	..
Inuk (Inuit)	Total, 6 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	3,460	3,950	3,700
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	2,340	2,300	2,110
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	1,340	1,070	980
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	1,000	1,220	1,130
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	860	1,110	1,020
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	260	530	470
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	100 ^E
		Male	Total, perceived general health	1,660	1,890	1,750
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,150	1,180	1,010
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	670	600	530
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	480	570	480
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	380	400	520
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	120 ^E	300 ^E	180 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	Female	Total, perceived general health	1,800	2,070	1,950	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	1,190	1,120	1,100	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	670	470	450	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	520	650	650	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	480	720	500	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	140 ^E	230 ^E	290	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
	6 to 14 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	930	780	650
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	780	660	580
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	560	470	360
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	230	190	220
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	140 ^E	120	70 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
Male		Total, perceived general health	470	410	330	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	410	350	290	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	290	240	180	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	120 ^E	110 ^E	110 ^E	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	60 ^E	60	40 ^E	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F	
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
Female	Total, perceived general health	470	370	320		
		380	310	290		

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	270	230	180
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	110 ^E	80 ^E	110 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	80 ^E	60 ^E	F
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	15 to 24 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	760	960	910
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	530	640	570
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	240 ^E	290 ^E	270
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	290	350 ^E	300
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	210 ^E	180 ^E	250
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	60 ^E
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Male	Total, perceived general health	350	500	420
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	250	340	270
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	140 ^E	160 ^E	160
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	110 ^E	180 ^E	110 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	100 ^E	40 ^E	110 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	F	F
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F	
		Female	Total, perceived general health	410	460	490
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	280	300 ^E	300
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	100 ^E	130 ^E	110 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	180 ^E	170 ^E	200
	Good perceived general health ¹⁵		110 ^E	140 ^E	130	
	Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶		F	F	F	
	Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F		
	25 to 54 years	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	1,410	1,690	1,680
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	900	870	820
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	490	270 ^E	290
Very good perceived general health ¹⁴			410	600	530	
Good perceived general health ¹⁵			400	610	530	
Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶			100 ^E	220 ^E	270	
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F		
Male		Total, perceived general health	650	720	820	
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	430	410	390	
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	210	170 ^E	170 ^E	
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	220	240 ^E	220	
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	180 ^E	220 ^E	300	
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	40 ^E	100 ^E	110 ^E	
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷		F	F	F		
Female		Total, perceived general health	750	970	860	
			470	460	440	

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	280	100 ^E	130 ^E
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	190 ^E	360 ^E	310
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	220	390 ^E	230
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	60 ^E	F	160 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	55 years and over	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	340	510	450
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	110 ^E	130 ^E	130 ^E
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	40 ^E	F	F
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	70 ^E	80 ^E	70 ^E
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	110 ^E	200 ^E	180 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	120 ^E	180 ^E	130 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Male	Total, perceived general health	180	250 ^E	170 ^E
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	70 ^E	70 ^E	F
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	F	F
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	30 ^E	F	F
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	50 ^E	80 ^E	F
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	70 ^E	F	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
		Female	Total, perceived general health	160	260 ^E	280 ^E
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	40 ^E	60 ^E	70 ^E
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	F	F
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	F	F
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	70 ^E	120 ^E	110 ^E
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	50 ^E	80 ^E	90 ^E
			Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	F	F
	Age not specified or invalid ¹¹	Both sexes	Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	..	..
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷			F	..	..
Male		Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
		Excellent or very good perceived general health	F	..	..
		Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
		Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
		Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
		Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F	..	..
		Perceived general health not specified ¹⁷	F	..	..
Female		Total, perceived general health	F	..	..
		F	..	..

Aboriginal identity ⁵	Age group ^{2, 10}	Sex	Perceived general health ^{4, 12}	2001	2006	2012
			Excellent or very good perceived general health			
			Excellent perceived general health ¹³	F	..	..
			Very good perceived general health ¹⁴	F	..	..
			Good perceived general health ¹⁵	F	..	..
			Fair or poor perceived general health ¹⁶	F
			Perceived general health not specified ¹²	F

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

1. Sources: Aboriginal Peoples Survey 2001, 2006, 2012.
2. This table was previously released March 30, 2015. This current version of the table has been modified from the original version by the addition of provincial and territorial data and the addition of data from the 2001 and 2006 Aboriginal Peoples Survey.
3. Excludes persons living on Indian reserves or settlements.
4. Perceived general health is an indicator of overall health status. Respondents were asked: "In general, would you say your health is... Excellent? Very good? Good? Fair? Poor?".
5. Aboriginal identity includes persons living off reserve who reported being an Aboriginal person, that is, First Nations (North American Indian), Métis or Inuk (Inuit) and/or those who reported Registered or Treaty Indian status, that is registered under the Indian Act of Canada, and/or those who reported membership in a First Nation or Indian band. The sum of the categories included in this variable does not equal the total population estimate for Aboriginal identity because a person may have reported more than one Aboriginal identity (for example, a person could have self-identified as both First Nations and Métis), or a person may have reported Registered or Treaty Indian status or membership in a First Nation or Indian band without reporting any Aboriginal identity.
6. Atlantic includes Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick.
7. Registered or Treaty Indian status refers to whether or not a person reported being a Registered or Treaty Indian. Registered Indians are persons who are registered under the Indian Act of Canada. Treaty Indians are persons who belong to a First Nation or Indian band that signed a treaty with the Crown. Registered or Treaty Indians are sometimes also called Status Indians.
8. In 2001, item non-response ("Refusal", "Don't know", and "Not stated") and invalid responses to the question "Are you a Treaty Indian or a Registered Indian as defined by the Indian Act of Canada?" were not replaced with imputed values during data processing. In 2006, item non-response was replaced with values imputed from the 2006 Census. In 2012, item non-response was replaced with a "Yes" response if the respondent reported being registered as a Status Indian under Bill C-31 or Bill C-3. If not, item non-response was replaced by values imputed from the 2011 National Household Survey.
9. Age is derived from the respondent's date of birth. In 2001, the Census day of May 15, 2001 was used as the reference date to determine age. In 2006, age was determined from the Aboriginal Peoples Survey reference date of October 31, 2006, and in 2012, age was determined from the Aboriginal Peoples Survey reference date of February 1, 2012.
10. Proxy reporting was used in the 2012 Aboriginal Peoples Survey for most children aged 6 to 14 years, nearly half of youth aged 15 to 17 years and for adults in certain specific situations (for example when the selected adult was not able to answer for health related reasons, due to a language barrier, or because the selected respondent was going to be away from home for the duration of the survey.)
11. In 2001, some respondents did not provide a date of birth, and some dates of birth that were provided were invalid. In such cases, the respondent's age was determined from 2001 Census data wherever possible. Otherwise, age was reported as being "not stated or invalid".
12. All percentages for the variable "perceived general health" are calculated using the number of persons in "total, perceived general health" as denominator.
13. This category includes persons who rated their health as "excellent" or whose health was rated as "excellent" by someone knowledgeable about them. This is the most positive rating on the perceived health scale, a five-point scale ranging from "excellent" to "poor".
14. This category includes persons who rated their health as "very good" or whose health was rated as "very good" by someone knowledgeable about them. This is one point on the perceived health scale, a five-point scale ranging from "excellent" to "poor". The rating "very good" comes between "excellent" and "good".
15. This category includes persons who rated their health as "good" or whose health was rated as "good" by someone knowledgeable about them. This is the midpoint on the perceived health scale which is a five-point scale ranging from "excellent" to "poor".
16. This category includes persons who rated their health as "fair" or "poor" or whose health was rated as "fair" or "poor" by someone knowledgeable about them. These are the most negative ratings on the perceived health scale, a five-point scale ranging from "excellent" to "poor".
17. "Perceived general health not specified" consists of item non-response ("Refusal", "Don't know", and "Not stated").
18. 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).
19. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified by an (E) and should be interpreted with caution.
20. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed (F) due to extreme sampling variability.
21. The standard symbol (..) is used in this Statistics Canada table for figures not available for a specific reference period.

Source: Statistics Canada. *Table 577-0001 - Aboriginal peoples survey, perceived general health, by Aboriginal identity, age group and sex, population aged 6 years and over, Canada, provinces and territories, occasional*, CANSIM (database). (accessed:)

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