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→ Northwest Territories

## NHS (National Household Survey) Aboriginal Population Profile, Northwest Territories, 2011 (</nhs-enm/news-nouvelles/corr/C99011X2011007-e>)

### ▼ NHS (National Household Survey) data

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Characteristic	Total	Male	Female
<b>Marital status</b>			
Total Aboriginal identity population aged 15 years and over in private households by marital status <sup>3</sup>	15,115	7,320	7,790
Married or living with a common-law partner	7,280	3,360	3,920
Married (and not separated)	3,610	1,625	1,985
Living common law	3,670	1,735	1,930
Not married and not living with a common-law partner	7,835	3,965	3,880
Single (never legally married)	6,540	3,510	3,030
Separated	345	160	185
Divorced	410	160	245
Widowed	545	130	420
<b>Family characteristics</b>			
Total Aboriginal identity population in private households by census family status	21,160	10,365	10,795
Married spouses	3,505	1,580	1,920
Common-law partners	3,670	1,740	1,935
Lone parents	1,615	410	1,210
Children in census families	9,555	5,140	4,415
Sons and daughters of only one spouse/partner in a couple (stepchildren) <sup>4</sup>	920	515	410

Characteristic	Total	Male	Female
Sons and daughters of both spouses/partners in a couple, excluding stepchildren	5,415	2,870	2,540
Sons and daughters of lone parents	2,940	1,585	1,355
Grandchildren living with grandparent(s) with no parents present	280	165	115
Persons not in census families <sup>5</sup>	2,815	1,495	1,320
Foster children	205	100	105
Persons not in census families, not including foster children	2,610	1,395	1,215

## Footnotes

- 3 Marital status
- Part A - Short definition
- Refers to the marital status of the person, taking into account his/her common-law status.
- Part B - Detailed definition
- Refers to the marital status of the person, taking into account his/her common-law status. Persons who are married or living common law may be of opposite sex or of the same sex. The classification is as follows:
- Married (and not separated): A person who is married and has not separated or obtained a divorce, and whose spouse is living.
- Common-law: A person who is living with another person as a couple but who is not legally married to that person.
- Separated: A person who is married but who no longer lives with his/her spouse (for any reason other than illness, work or school) and who has not obtained a divorce. Persons living common law are not included in this category.
- Divorced: A person who has obtained a legal divorce and who has not remarried. Persons living common law are not included in this category.
- Widowed: A person who has lost his/her spouse through death and who has not remarried. Persons living common law are not included in this category.
- Single (never legally married): A person who has never married or a person whose marriage has been annulled and who has not remarried. Persons living common law are not included in this category.
- 4 The biological or adopted child of only one spouse/partner in the couple, and whose birth or adoption preceded the current relationship.
- 5 Persons not in census families may live with relatives (without forming a census family with them), or they may live with non-relatives only or they may live alone.

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