

SUSTAINABLE GOALS

# Agenda 2030 Sustainable Development Goals Report

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CANADA'S OFFICIAL POVERTY LINE IS CALCULATED USING THE **MARKET BASKET MEASURE**, WHICH REFLECTS THE COMBINED COSTS OF A BASKET OF GOODS AND SERVICES THAT INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES REQUIRE TO MEET THEIR BASIC NEEDS AND ACHIEVE A MODEST STANDARD OF LIVING.

CANADIANS LIVING BELOW CANADA'S OFFICIAL POVERTY LINE IN 2018

**31.7%** OF CHILDREN LIVING IN FEMALE LONE-PARENT FAMILIES

5.6% OF CANADA'S SENIORS AGED 65 YEARS AND OLDER

THE RATE FOR **MEN (11.1%)** WAS SLIGHTLY HIGHER THAN **WOMEN (10.9%)** 

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#### **DIGNITY FOR ALL** is a

multi-partner, non-partisan campaign co-organized by Citizens for Public Justice and Canada Without Poverty with a vision to create a poverty-free and more socially secure and cohesive Canada. Since its inception in 2009, over 13,000 people and organizations have supported the campaign, including: 66 Members of Parliament and Senators, and approximately 800 groups and 12,300 individuals. Source: https://dignityforall.ca/.

179 BILLION

104 BII

**185 BILLION** 

social protection

education

health

Source: Statistics Canada, table 11-10-0135-01.

**62%** OF THE **\$754 BILLION** SPENT BY ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT\* NATIONALLY WERE ON **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** IN 2018

Note: The consolidated Canadian general government includes federal, provincial, territorial and local governments and other government entities combined. Source: Statistics Canada, *table 10-10-0005-01*.



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