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Code Health Region Name	Total		Male		Female	
	Years	95% confidence interval	Years	95% confidence interval	Years	95% confidence interval
0 Canada	18.2	18.1, 18.2	16.1	16.1, 16.1	19.9	19.9, 20.0
10 Newfoundland	16.9	16.8, 17.1	14.9	14.7, 15.1	18.9	18.7, 19.1
1001 Health and Community Services St John's Region	17.7	17.4, 18.0	15.6	15.2, 16.0	19.5	19.1, 19.9
1002 Health and Community Services Eastern Region	16.0	15.7, 16.3	13.8	13.4, 14.2	18.4	17.9, 18.8
1003 Health and Community Services Central Region	16.9	16.6, 17.2	15.3	14.9, 15.7	18.7	18.2, 19.2
1004 Health and Community Services Western Region	16.8	16.4, 17.2	15.1	14.6, 15.6	18.6	18.1, 19.2
1005 Grenfell Regional Health Services Board	17.8	16.7, 18.9	16.2	14.8, 17.6	19.7	18.2, 21.3
1006 Health Labrador Corporation	15.8	14.4, 17.2	13.7	11.9, 15.5	18.1	16.0, 20.2
11 Prince Edward Island	17.9	17.6, 18.2	15.3	14.9, 15.7	20.2	19.8, 20.6
1101 Urban Health Region	17.0	16.6, 17.5	15.0	14.4, 15.6	18.8	18.2, 19.4
1102 Rural Health Region	18.7	18.3, 19.2	15.6	15.0, 16.2	22.0	21.3, 22.6
12 Nova Scotia	17.6	17.5, 17.7	15.3	15.2, 15.5	19.6	19.4, 19.7
1201 Zone 1	17.8	17.5, 18.1	15.6	15.2, 16.0	19.9	19.5, 20.3
1202 Zone 2	18.2	17.8, 18.6	15.9	15.4, 16.4	20.3	19.7, 20.8
1203 Zone 3	17.8	17.5, 18.1	15.7	15.2, 16.1	19.7	19.2, 20.1
1204 Zone 4	17.8	17.4, 18.1	15.6	15.1, 16.1	19.7	19.2, 20.2
1205 Zone 5	16.7	16.5, 17.0	14.3	13.9, 14.7	18.9	18.5, 19.2
1206 Zone 6	17.6	17.4, 17.8	15.4	15.1, 15.7	19.4	19.2, 19.7
13 New Brunswick	17.9	17.8, 18.0	15.7	15.5, 15.8	19.9	19.7, 20.1
1301 Region 1	18.6	18.3, 18.8	16.2	15.8, 16.5	20.7	20.3, 21.1
1302 Region 2	17.4	17.2, 17.7	15.3	14.9, 15.6	19.2	18.8, 19.6
1303 Region 3	17.5	17.2, 17.8	15.3	14.9, 15.7	19.5	19.1, 19.9
1304 Region 4	17.4	16.9, 17.9	15.1	14.4, 15.7	19.5	18.8, 20.1
1305 Region 5	17.9	17.2, 18.6	15.9	14.9, 16.8	19.6	18.7, 20.5
1306 Region 6	18.5	18.1, 18.9	16.2	15.7, 16.8	20.9	20.3, 21.5
1307 Region 7	18.0	17.5, 18.5	16.1	15.3, 16.8	19.8	19.1, 20.6
24 Quebec	17.8	17.8, 17.9	15.5	15.4, 15.5	19.8	19.7, 19.8
2401 Région du Bas-Saint-Laurent	18.1	17.9, 18.3	15.8	15.5, 16.1	20.2	19.8, 20.5
2402 Région du Saguenay - Lac-Saint-Jean	17.2	17.0, 17.4	14.8	14.5, 15.1	19.3	19.0, 19.7
2403 Région de Québec	18.0	17.8, 18.1	15.2	15.0, 15.4	20.1	19.9, 20.3
2404 Région de la Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec	17.9	17.7, 18.0	15.3	15.1, 15.5	20.1	19.8, 20.3
2405 Région de l'Estrie	18.1	17.9, 18.3	15.7	15.4, 15.9	20.2	19.9, 20.4
2406 Région de Montréal-Centre	18.1	18.0, 18.2	15.7	15.6, 15.8	19.8	19.7, 19.9
2407 Région de l'Outaouais	17.2	17.0, 17.5	15.2	14.9, 15.5	19.0	18.7, 19.3
2408 Région de l'Abitibi-Témiscamingue	16.8	16.5, 17.1	14.7	14.3, 15.1	18.9	18.5, 19.4
2409 Région de la Côte-Nord	17.2	16.7, 17.6	15.1	14.6, 15.7	19.4	18.7, 20.0
2410 Région du Nord-du-Québec	16.1	14.6, 17.6	14.4	12.3, 16.6	18.9	16.6, 21.3
2411 Région de la Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine	17.5	17.2, 17.8	15.4	14.9, 15.8	19.7	19.2, 20.2
2412 Région de la Chaudière-Appalaches	18.0	17.8, 18.2	15.6	15.3, 15.8	20.3	20.0, 20.6
2413 Région de Laval	18.1	17.9, 18.3	15.8	15.5, 16.1	20.0	19.7, 20.2

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2414 Région de Lanaudière	17.1	16.9, 17.3	14.9	14.6, 15.1	19.3	19.0, 19.6
2415 Région des Laurentides	17.2	17.0, 17.4	15.2	14.9, 15.4	19.1	18.9, 19.4
2416 Région de la Montérégie	17.7	17.6, 17.8	15.5	15.3, 15.6	19.5	19.4, 19.7
2417 Région du Nunavik	10.7	9.3, 12.2	8.8	6.8, 10.8	16.1	12.0, 20.2
2418 Région des Terres-Cries-de-la-Baie-James	14.7	13.0, 16.3	17.1	14.4, 19.8	12.9	10.5, 15.2
35 Ontario	18.1	18.1, 18.2	16.1	16.1, 16.2	19.8	19.8, 19.9
3501 Champlain District Health Council	18.4	18.3, 18.5	16.4	16.3, 16.6	20.0	19.8, 20.1
3502 Quinte-Kingston and Rideau DHC	17.6	17.5, 17.7	15.6	15.4, 15.8	19.4	19.2, 19.6
3503 Durham-Haliburton-Kawartha and Pine Ridge DHC	17.7	17.6, 17.8	15.9	15.7, 16.1	19.3	19.1, 19.4
3504 Toronto District Health Council	18.9	18.8, 19.0	16.9	16.8, 17.0	20.6	20.4, 20.7
3505 Simcoe-York District Health Council	18.4	18.3, 18.6	16.6	16.4, 16.8	20.0	19.8, 20.2
3506 Halton-Peel District Health Council	18.8	18.7, 19.0	17.0	16.8, 17.2	20.3	20.1, 20.5
3507 Waterloo-Wellington-Dufferin DHC	18.1	17.9, 18.2	15.9	15.7, 16.1	19.9	19.7, 20.1
3508 Hamilton-Wentworth DHC	17.9	17.7, 18.0	15.9	15.6, 16.1	19.6	19.3, 19.8
3509 Niagara District Health Council	17.9	17.8, 18.1	16.0	15.8, 16.2	19.6	19.3, 19.8
3510 Grand River DHC	17.5	17.3, 17.7	15.5	15.2, 15.8	19.2	18.9, 19.5
3511 Thames Valley DHC	17.9	17.7, 18.0	15.6	15.4, 15.8	19.8	19.6, 20.0
3512 Essex-Kent and Lambton DHC	17.5	17.4, 17.7	15.3	15.1, 15.5	19.4	19.2, 19.6
3513 Grey-Bruce-Huron and Perth DHC	17.9	17.7, 18.1	16.0	15.7, 16.2	19.6	19.4, 19.9
3514 Muskoka-Nipissing and Parry Sound DHC	17.2	16.9, 17.4	15.0	14.7, 15.3	19.2	18.9, 19.5
3515 Algoma-Cochrane-Manitoulin and Sudbury DHC	17.0	16.8, 17.2	15.0	14.8, 15.3	18.9	18.7, 19.1
3516 Northwestern Ontario DHC	17.1	16.8, 17.3	15.2	14.9, 15.5	18.8	18.5, 19.1
3526 Algoma Public Health Unit	17.3	17.0, 17.6	15.4	14.9, 15.8	19.2	18.8, 19.7
3527 Brant Public Health Unit	17.4	17.1, 17.7	15.4	15.0, 15.8	19.2	18.8, 19.6
3530 Durham Public Health Unit	17.6	17.4, 17.8	15.8	15.5, 16.1	19.1	18.8, 19.3
3531 Elgin-St Thomas Public Health Unit	17.3	16.9, 17.7	14.9	14.4, 15.4	19.4	18.9, 19.9
3533 Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound Public Health Unit	17.7	17.4, 17.9	16.0	15.6, 16.3	19.2	18.9, 19.6
3534 Haldimand-Norfolk Public Health Unit	17.5	17.2, 17.8	15.6	15.2, 16.0	19.2	18.8, 19.7
3535 Haliburton-Kawartha-Pine Ridge Public Health Unit	17.8	17.5, 18.0	16.1	15.8, 16.5	19.3	19.0, 19.6
3536 Halton Public Health Unit	18.9	18.7, 19.1	17.0	16.7, 17.3	20.6	20.3, 20.9
3537 Hamilton-Wentworth Public Health Unit	17.9	17.7, 18.0	15.9	15.6, 16.1	19.6	19.3, 19.8
3538 Hastings and Prince Edward Public Health Unit	17.6	17.4, 17.9	15.6	15.2, 15.9	19.5	19.1, 19.8
3539 Huron Public Health Unit	18.0	17.6, 18.4	16.0	15.5, 16.5	20.0	19.4, 20.5
3540 Kent-Chatham Public Health Unit	16.9	16.6, 17.2	14.6	14.2, 15.0	18.9	18.5, 19.4
3541 Kingston-Frontenac-Lennox and Addington Public Health Unit	17.7	17.5, 18.0	15.7	15.4, 16.1	19.5	19.1, 19.8
3542 Lambton Public Health Unit	17.9	17.6, 18.2	15.8	15.4, 16.2	19.8	19.3, 20.2
3543 Leeds-Grenville-Lanark Public Health Unit	17.3	17.1, 17.6	15.4	15.0, 15.7	19.1	18.7, 19.4

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3544 Middlesex-London Public Health Unit	18.0	17.8, 18.2	15.7	15.4, 15.9	19.9	19.7, 20.2
3545 Muskoka-Parry Sound Public Health Unit	17.8	17.4, 18.1	15.7	15.3, 16.1	19.9	19.4, 20.4
3546 Niagara Public Health Unit	17.9	17.8, 18.1	16.0	15.8, 16.2	19.6	19.3, 19.8
3547 North Bay Public Health Unit	16.7	16.3, 17.0	14.5	14.0, 14.9	18.7	18.3, 19.2
3549 Northwestern Public Health Unit	16.7	16.3, 17.1	14.9	14.4, 15.5	18.4	17.8, 19.0
3551 Ottawa Carleton Public Health Unit	18.9	18.7, 19.0	17.0	16.8, 17.2	20.3	20.1, 20.5
3552 Oxford Public Health Unit	17.9	17.5, 18.2	15.8	15.3, 16.2	19.7	19.3, 20.2
3553 Peel Public Health Unit	18.8	18.6, 18.9	17.0	16.7, 17.2	20.2	20.0, 20.4
3554 Perth Public Health Unit	18.2	17.8, 18.6	15.9	15.4, 16.5	20.2	19.6, 20.7
3555 Peterborough Public Health Unit	18.0	17.7, 18.2	16.0	15.6, 16.4	19.7	19.3, 20.0
3556 Porcupine Public Health Unit	16.7	16.3, 17.1	14.7	14.2, 15.2	18.7	18.1, 19.3
3557 Renfrew Public Health Unit	17.6	17.3, 18.0	15.4	15.0, 15.9	19.7	19.2, 20.1
3558 Eastern Ontario Public Health Unit	17.4	17.2, 17.7	15.5	15.1, 15.8	19.1	18.8, 19.5
3560 Simcoe Public Health Unit	17.9	17.7, 18.0	15.9	15.6, 16.1	19.6	19.4, 19.9
3561 Sudbury Public Health Unit	17.0	16.8, 17.3	15.0	14.7, 15.4	18.9	18.5, 19.2
3562 Thunder Bay Public Health Unit	17.1	16.9, 17.4	15.3	14.9, 15.6	18.9	18.5, 19.2
3563 Timiskaming Public Health Unit	16.9	16.4, 17.4	14.9	14.2, 15.6	18.8	18.1, 19.6
3565 Waterloo Public Health Unit	18.1	17.9, 18.3	15.7	15.5, 16.0	20.0	19.8, 20.3
3566 Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph Public Health Unit	18.1	17.8, 18.3	16.2	15.9, 16.6	19.7	19.3, 20.0
3568 Windsor-Essex Public Health Unit	17.6	17.4, 17.8	15.4	15.1, 15.7	19.5	19.2, 19.7
3570 York Public Health Unit	18.9	18.8, 19.1	17.3	17.1, 17.6	20.3	20.1, 20.5
3595 City of Toronto Public Health Unit	18.9	18.8, 19.0	16.9	16.8, 17.0	20.6	20.4, 20.7
46 Manitoba	18.2	18.1, 18.3	16.2	16.0, 16.3	19.9	19.7, 20.0
4610 Winnipeg	18.1	18.0, 18.3	16.0	15.8, 16.2	19.8	19.6, 20.0
4615 Brandon	19.3	18.7, 19.8	18.1	17.3, 18.8	20.2	19.5, 20.9
4620 North Eastman	18.8	18.1, 19.4	16.7	15.9, 17.5	21.3	20.4, 22.2
4625 South Eastman	18.3	17.7, 18.8	15.9	15.2, 16.7	20.8	20.1, 21.6
4630 Interlake	17.6	17.2, 18.0	16.1	15.5, 16.6	19.2	18.6, 19.8
4640 Central	19.1	18.7, 19.4	17.2	16.7, 17.7	20.7	20.3, 21.2
4650 Marquette	18.8	18.3, 19.3	16.7	16.1, 17.4	20.9	20.3, 21.6
4655 South Westman	17.3	16.8, 17.8	15.7	15.0, 16.4	18.9	18.2, 19.6
4660 Parkland	18.0	17.6, 18.5	16.2	15.6, 16.8	20.0	19.3, 20.6
4670 Norman	15.1	14.2, 16.0	13.4	12.3, 14.6	16.9	15.7, 18.2
4680 Burntwood/Churchill	15.4	14.4, 16.4	14.5	13.1, 15.9	16.4	14.9, 17.9
47 Saskatchewan	18.8	18.7, 18.9	16.7	16.5, 16.8	20.8	20.6, 20.9
4701 Weyburn (A) Service Area	19.4	19.0, 19.8	17.0	16.5, 17.6	21.8	21.2, 22.3
4702 Moose Jaw (B) Service Area	18.8	18.4, 19.2	16.6	16.0, 17.2	20.8	20.2, 21.4
4703 Swift Current (C) Service Area	19.2	18.7, 19.7	17.2	16.6, 17.9	21.1	20.5, 21.8
4704 Regina (D) Service Area	18.8	18.5, 19.0	16.4	16.1, 16.8	20.8	20.5, 21.1
4705 Yorkton (E) Service Area	18.5	18.2, 18.8	16.6	16.1, 17.0	20.4	19.9, 20.9
4706 Saskatoon (F) Service Area	18.8	18.6, 19.1	16.6	16.3, 16.9	20.8	20.5, 21.1
4707 Rosetown (G) Service Area	17.7	17.2, 18.1	15.6	15.0, 16.2	19.8	19.2, 20.4
4708 Melfort (H) Service Area	19.1	18.7, 19.6	17.6	16.9, 18.2	20.6	20.0, 21.3
4709 Prince Albert (I) Service Area	19.6	19.2, 20.0	17.8	17.2, 18.4	21.3	20.7, 21.9
4710 North Battleford (J) Service Area	18.8	18.3, 19.2	16.9	16.3, 17.5	20.7	20.1, 21.3

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4711 Northern Health Services Branch (K) Service Area	16.8	15.7, 17.9	16.0	14.6, 17.3	17.9	16.2, 19.6
48 Alberta	18.5	18.4, 18.6	16.7	16.5, 16.8	20.2	20.1, 20.3
4801 Chinook Regional Health Authority	18.2	17.9, 18.5	16.6	16.1, 17.0	19.7	19.3, 20.1
4802 Palliser Health Authority	19.0	18.6, 19.4	17.0	16.5, 17.6	20.9	20.3, 21.4
4803 Headwaters Health Authority	18.3	17.8, 18.7	16.1	15.5, 16.8	20.2	19.6, 20.9
4804 Calgary Regional Health Authority	18.8	18.7, 19.0	17.1	16.9, 17.3	20.2	20.0, 20.4
4805 Health Authority #5	18.5	18.0, 19.0	17.0	16.3, 17.7	19.8	19.1, 20.6
4806 David Thompson Regional Health Authority	18.3	18.0, 18.5	16.7	16.3, 17.1	19.7	19.3, 20.1
4807 East Central Health Authority	18.8	18.4, 19.1	16.6	16.1, 17.0	21.0	20.6, 21.5
4808 WestView Regional Health Authority	20.4	19.8, 21.0	17.4	16.7, 18.2	23.3	22.4, 24.1
4809 Crossroads Regional Health Authority	17.1	16.4, 17.7	14.5	13.7, 15.3	19.6	18.7, 20.6
4810 Capital Health Authority	18.6	18.4, 18.7	16.6	16.4, 16.8	20.2	20.0, 20.4
4811 Aspen Regional Health Authority	18.9	18.5, 19.3	16.8	16.2, 17.3	21.2	20.6, 21.9
4812 Lakeland Regional Health Authority	17.3	17.0, 17.7	15.4	14.9, 15.9	19.4	18.9, 20.0
4813 Mistahia Regional Health Authority	17.8	17.3, 18.3	16.1	15.4, 16.8	19.6	18.8, 20.4
4814 Peace Regional Health Authority	15.8	14.9, 16.8	13.9	12.6, 15.1	18.2	16.8, 19.6
4815 Keeweenaw Regional Health Authority	17.0	15.8, 18.2	16.1	14.5, 17.6	18.2	16.4, 20.1
4816 Northern Lights Regional Health Authority	15.6	14.2, 17.1	13.9	12.2, 15.6	17.7	15.2, 20.1
4817 Northwestern Regional Health Authority	22.0	20.3, 23.7	23.9	20.9, 27.0	21.6	19.4, 23.8
59 British Columbia	18.8	18.8, 18.9	17.0	16.9, 17.1	20.5	20.4, 20.5
5901 East Kootenay	18.7	18.2, 19.1	16.9	16.3, 17.5	20.4	19.8, 21.0
5902 West Kootenay-Boundary	18.2	17.8, 18.5	16.3	15.8, 16.8	19.9	19.4, 20.5
5903 North Okanagan	18.7	18.4, 19.1	17.2	16.8, 17.6	20.2	19.8, 20.7
5904 South Okanagan Similkameen	19.6	19.4, 19.8	17.6	17.3, 17.9	21.6	21.3, 21.9
5905 Thompson	17.9	17.5, 18.2	16.2	15.8, 16.7	19.5	19.0, 20.0
5906 Fraser Valley	18.6	18.3, 18.8	16.9	16.6, 17.3	20.1	19.7, 20.4
5907 South Fraser Valley	18.8	18.7, 19.0	17.0	16.8, 17.3	20.4	20.2, 20.6
5908 Simon Fraser	18.1	17.9, 18.4	16.1	15.8, 16.5	19.7	19.4, 20.1
5909 Coast Garibaldi	18.4	17.9, 18.8	16.7	16.1, 17.3	20.0	19.3, 20.6
5910 Central Vancouver Island	18.7	18.5, 18.9	17.1	16.8, 17.4	20.2	19.9, 20.5
5911 Upper Island / Central Coast	17.8	17.4, 18.2	16.8	16.3, 17.3	18.8	18.2, 19.3
5912 Cariboo	17.4	16.9, 18.0	15.8	15.2, 16.5	19.2	18.4, 20.0
5913 North West	18.0	17.4, 18.7	17.0	16.1, 17.9	19.0	18.2, 19.9
5914 Peace Liard	17.9	17.2, 18.6	16.3	15.4, 17.3	19.5	18.6, 20.5
5915 Northern Interior	17.3	16.8, 17.7	15.4	14.8, 16.0	19.4	18.7, 20.1
5916 Vancouver	19.3	19.1, 19.4	17.0	16.8, 17.3	21.2	20.9, 21.4
5917 Burnaby	18.8	18.5, 19.0	16.4	16.1, 16.8	20.8	20.4, 21.1
5918 North Shore	19.0	18.7, 19.2	17.5	17.1, 17.8	20.2	19.9, 20.5
5919 Richmond	19.7	19.4, 20.1	17.5	17.0, 17.9	21.6	21.2, 22.1
5920 Capital	19.2	19.0, 19.3	17.5	17.2, 17.7	20.5	20.3, 20.7
5921 Vancouver/Richmond	19.4	19.2, 19.5	17.1	16.9, 17.3	21.3	21.1, 21.4
5922 Simon Fraser/Burnaby	18.4	18.2, 18.6	16.3	16.0, 16.5	20.2	20.0, 20.5

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60 Yukon Territory	16.4	15.3, 17.4	13.9	12.6, 15.1	19.9	18.3, 21.6
6001 Yukon Territory	16.4	15.3, 17.4	13.9	12.6, 15.1	19.9	18.3, 21.6
61 Northwest Territories	17.6	16.4, 18.8	16.5	14.9, 18.1	18.8	17.1, 20.6
6101 Northwest Territories	17.6	16.4, 18.8	16.5	14.9, 18.1	18.8	17.1, 20.6
62 Nunavut	15.0	13.1, 16.8	14.6	12.5, 16.6	14.1	11.5, 16.7
6201 Nunavut	15.0	13.1, 16.8	14.6	12.5, 16.6	14.1	11.5, 16.7

Confidence intervals illustrate the degree of variability associated with the rate. See Technical Notes.

Life expectancy is produced using three years of mortality data (1995, 1996, 1997) and the 1996 population estimates.

Rates for Ontario are presented for both **District Health Councils (DHC)** and **Public Health Units (PHU)**. DHCs are more relevant for health system analysis while PHUs are more relevant for health status measures.

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