

Table 16
Approved legal aid applications for summary services

	Total approved summary service applications ¹		
	Total	Percentage change	Rate per 1,000 population ²
	number	percent	rate
Newfoundland and Labrador			
2004/2005	.	...	...
2005/2006	.	...	...
2006/2007	.	...	...
2007/2008	.	...	...
2008/2009	.	...	...
Prince Edward Island			
2004/2005	.	...	...
2005/2006	.	...	...
2006/2007	.	...	...
2007/2008	.	...	...
2008/2009	.	...	...
Nova Scotia			
2004/2005	844	-20	1
2005/2006	1,152	36	1
2006/2007	1,030	-11	1
2007/2008	935	-9	1
2008/2009	975	4	1
New Brunswick			
2004/2005	.	...	...
2005/2006	.	...	...
2006/2007	.	...	...
2007/2008	.	...	...
2008/2009	.	...	...
Quebec			
2004/2005	.	...	...
2005/2006	.	...	...
2006/2007	.	...	...
2007/2008	.	...	...
2008/2009	.	...	...
Ontario			
2004/2005	132,662	-28	11
2005/2006	130,121	-2	10
2006/2007	130,310	0	10
2007/2008	129,724	0	10
2008/2009	134,814	4	10
Manitoba			
2004/2005	16,817	-4	14
2005/2006	18,234	8	15
2006/2007	18,028	-1	15
2007/2008	16,541	-8	14
2008/2009	13,958	-16	12
Saskatchewan			
2004/2005	4,711	1	5
2005/2006	5,231	11	5
2006/2007	5,236	0	5
2007/2008	4,795	-8	5
2008/2009	5,078	6	5
Alberta			
2004/2005	.	...	...
2005/2006
2006/2007
2007/2008
2008/2009

See footnotes at the end of the table.

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British Columbia			
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Yukon			
2004/2005	39	...	1
2005/2006	110	182	3
2006/2007	86	-22	3
2007/2008	50	-42	2
2008/2009	53	6	2
Northwest Territories ³			
2004/2005
2005/2006
2006/2007
2007/2008
2008/2009
Nunavut			
2004/2005	253	-70	8
2005/2006	87	-66	3
2006/2007	327	276	11
2007/2008
2008/2009	213	...	7
Total			
2004/2005	155,326	...	10
2005/2006	154,935	0	10
2006/2007	155,017	0	10
2007/2008	152,045	...	10
2008/2009	155,091	...	10

1. An approved application for summary service refers to the provision of legal advice, information, or any other types of minimal legal service to an individual upon written request during a formal interview. Only written requests are included.

2. The population estimates used to calculate per capita figures are provided by Statistics Canada, Census and Demographic Statistics, Demography Division. Populations as of July 1st: final postcensal estimates for 2004 and 2005; updated postcensal estimates for 2006 and 2007; and preliminary postcensal estimates for 2008.

3. No distinction is made between summary and full service applications in Northwest Territories. All applications are counted as full service applications.

Note(s): For more details on legal aid concepts and terminology please refer to the glossary.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Legal Aid Survey 3308.