

Table 19-1
Legal aid plan personnel as of March 31 — Total

	Total		Lawyers		Non-lawyers	
	number		percent		number	percent
Newfoundland and Labrador						
2004/2005
2005/2006
2006/2007
2007/2008
2008/2009
Prince Edward Island						
2004/2005	15	8	53	7	47	
2005/2006	..	..	...	..	..
2006/2007	14 ^r	8 ^r	57	6 ^r	43	
2007/2008	14 ^r	8 ^r	57	6 ^r	43	
2008/2009	..	..	...	..	..
Nova Scotia						
2004/2005	146	78	53	68	47	
2005/2006	155	86	55	69	45	
2006/2007	149	82	55	67	45	
2007/2008	156	81	52	75	48	
2008/2009	154	82	53	72	47	
New Brunswick¹						
2004/2005	50	28	56	22	44	
2005/2006	53	31	58	22	42	
2006/2007	55	31	56	24	44	
2007/2008	60	33	55	27	45	
2008/2009	52	23	44	29	56	
Quebec						
2004/2005	830	343	41	487	59	
2005/2006	834	348	42	486	58	
2006/2007	835	347	42	488	58	
2007/2008	835	348	42	487	58	
2008/2009	826	348	42	478	58	
Ontario²						
2004/2005	1,336	482	36	854	64	
2005/2006	1,336	486	36	850	64	
2006/2007	1,333	494	37	839	63	
2007/2008	1,402	524	37	878	63	
2008/2009	1,427	519	36	908	64	
Manitoba						
2004/2005	157	60	38	97	62	
2005/2006	158	60	38	98	62	
2006/2007	171	66	39	105	61	
2007/2008	165	63	38	102	62	
2008/2009	179	70	39	109	61	
Saskatchewan						
2004/2005	150	76	51	74	49	
2005/2006	149	76	51	73	49	
2006/2007	149	77	52	72	48	
2007/2008	155	77	50	78	50	
2008/2009	161	84	52	77	48	
Alberta						
2004/2005	229	66	29	163	71	
2005/2006	245	66	27	179	73	
2006/2007	253	69	27	184	73	
2007/2008	277	78	28	199	72	
2008/2009	328	115	35	213	65	
British Columbia						
2004/2005	204	27	13	177	87	
2005/2006	185	25	14	160	86	
2006/2007	180	39	22	141	78	
2007/2008	213	27	13	186	87	
2008/2009	226	29	13	197	87	

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 19-1 – continued

Legal aid plan personnel as of March 31 — Total

	Total		Lawyers		Non-lawyers	
	number	percent	number	percent	number	percent
Yukon						
2004/2005	16		8	50	8	50
2005/2006	16		8	50	8	50
2006/2007	15		8	53	7	47
2007/2008	14		8	57	6	43
2008/2009	14		8	57	6	43
Northwest Territories						
2004/2005	30		9	30	21	70
2005/2006	29		10	34	19	66
2006/2007	28		9	32	19	68
2007/2008	27		11	41	16	59
2008/2009	27		10	37	17	63
Nunavut						
2004/2005	29		9	31	20	69
2005/2006	..		..	...	..	...
2006/2007	..		..	...	..	...
2007/2008	..		..	...	..	...
2008/2009	18		10	56	8	44
Total						
2004/2005	3,192		1,194	37	1,998	63
2005/2006	3,160		1,196	38	1,964	62
2006/2007	3,182 ^r		1,230 ^r	39	1,952 ^r	61
2007/2008	3,318 ^r		1,258 ^r	38	2,060 ^r	62
2008/2009	3,412		1,298	38	2,114	62

1. In New Brunswick in 2004/2005, many members of the private bar refused to take legal aid cases. Information on the number of private lawyers providing service is not available.
2. Ontario has 79 legal aid clinics that are independent, non-profit organizations funded by the legal aid plan. Staff lawyers and community legal workers at these clinics provide legal aid services primarily in "other" civil matters, particularly in the area of poverty law which includes, social assistance/income maintenance, landlord and tenant, workers' compensation, criminal injuries compensation, and refugee and immigration matters. In 2008/2009, these clinics accounted for 41% of legal aid plan personnel, including 49% of lawyers and 36% of non-lawyers.

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.