

Table 5-4

Population of caregivers by selected consequences of providing informal care for a long-term health condition or physical limitation, by sex and age — Ontario

	Total informal caregivers		Less time spent on social activities		Holiday plans cancelled		Extra expenses		Less time with spouse	
	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent
Total both sexes	1,620	100.0	557	34.4	320	19.8	530	32.7	311	19.2
45 to 54	690	100.0	265	38.4	154	22.3	248	35.9	171	24.8
55 to 64	519	100.0	191	36.8	114	22.0	185	35.6	117	22.5
65 to 74	265	100.0	74	27.9	38	14.3	66	24.9	x	x
75 and over	146	100.0	27 ^E	18.5	14 ^E	9.6 ^E	31	21.2	x	x
Total male	718	100.0	216	30.1	120	16.7	239	33.3	121	16.9
45 to 54	307	100.0	98	31.9	51	16.6	108	35.2	62	20.2
55 to 64	226	100.0	72	31.9	45	19.9	86	38.1	45	19.9
65 to 74	126	100.0	37	29.4	x	x	31 ^E	24.6	x	x
75 and over	58	100.0	9 ^E	15.5 ^E	x	x	14 ^E	24.1 ^E	x	x
Total female	902	100.0	341	37.8	200	22.2	290	32.2	190	21.1
45 to 54	382	100.0	166	43.5	103	27.0	140	36.6	108	28.3
55 to 64	293	100.0	119	40.6	69	23.5	99	33.8	73	24.9
65 to 74	139	100.0	37	26.6	x	x	35	25.2	x	x
75 and over	88	100.0	18 ^E	20.5 ^E	x	x	16 ^E	18.2 ^E	x	x

	Total informal caregivers		Less time with children		Health suffers		Education/training program postponed		Move in with care recipient	
	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent
Total both sexes	1,620	100.0	293	18.1	227	14.0	80	4.9	50	3.1
45 to 54	690	100.0	165	23.9	107	15.5	47	6.8	23 ^E	3.3 ^E
55 to 64	519	100.0	84	16.2	71	13.7	25 ^E	4.8 ^E	19 ^E	3.7 ^E
65 to 74	265	100.0	30	11.3	35	13.2	x	x	x	x
75 and over	146	100.0	14 ^E	9.6 ^E	13 ^E	8.9 ^E	x	x	x	x
Total male	718	100.0	109	15.2	64	8.9	24 ^E	3.3 ^E	13 ^E	1.8 ^E
45 to 54	307	100.0	63	20.5	x	x	13 ^E	4.2 ^E	x	x
55 to 64	226	100.0	29 ^E	12.8	20 ^E	8.8 ^E	x	x	x	x
65 to 74	126	100.0	x	x	12 ^E	9.5 ^E	x	x	x	x
75 and over	58	100.0	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Total female	902	100.0	184	20.4	162	18.0	56	6.2	37	4.1
45 to 54	382	100.0	103	27.0	x	x	34	8.9	x	x
55 to 64	293	100.0	55	18.8	51	17.4	x	x	x	x
65 to 74	139	100.0	x	x	23 ^E	16.5	x	x	x	x
75 and over	88	100.0	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Note(s): The sum of the values for each category may differ from the total due to rounding.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, General Social Survey, 2007.