

LHPA 38 - Oakridge-Birchmount Profile: Prevention

Toronto				Oakridge-Birchmount			Rate Ratio **
Pap Smears							
Health Services Utilization ^a (2000-2002)	Females, Aged 21-44	Females, Aged 45-69	Females, Aged 21-69	Females, Aged 21-44 (95% C.I.)	Females, Aged 45-69 (95% C.I.)	Females, Aged 21-69 (95% C.I.)	
# of women in the Ontario Health Care Registry	476,875	369,358	846,233	6,662	4,305	10,967	
% Having Pap smear within last 3 years	48.8	51.9	50.1	49.6 (48.4-50.8)	49.8 (48.3-51.3)	49.7 (48.7-50.6)	0.99 NS
# of women having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2000-2002)	396,506	328,078	724,584	5,842	3,928	9,770	
% Women, using services in past 3 years, who had a Pap smear	55.3	55.5	55.4	53.6 (52.3-54.9)	51.8 (50.2-53.4)	52.9 (51.9-53.9)	0.95 L
Mammograms							
Health Services Utilization ^a (2002-2003)	Females, Aged 50-69			Females, Aged 50-69 (95% C.I.)			
# of women in the Ontario Health Care Registry	298,146			3,408			
# of women having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	276,085			3,225			
% Having routine screening mammogram within last 2 years	44.9			40.7 (39.0-42.4)			0.91 L
Infant Immunizations ^a Children 0 to < 2 years	Both Sexes			Both Sexes (95% C.I.)			
# of Children born between July 96-July 97	27,562			435			
% Received at Least 5 immunizations by Age 2	67.9			70.8 (66.5-75.1)			1.04 NS
Flu Shots ^a Seniors	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males (95% C.I.)	Females (95% C.I.)	Both Sexes (95% C.I.)	
# of seniors (65-74) having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	92,544	107,426	199,970	1,083	1,355	2,438	
% Having flu shots in 2003, Aged 65-74	52.3	55.8	54.2	52.5 (49.5-55.4)	57.9 (55.2-60.5)	55.5 (53.5-57.4)	1.02 NS
# of seniors (75+) having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	80,361	124,685	205,046	1,081	1,667	2,748	
% Having flu shots in 2003, Aged 75+	47.5	48.2	47.9	42.9 (40.0-45.9)	46.5 (44.1-48.9)	45.1 (43.2-47.0)	0.94 L

C.I - Confidence Interval

H/L/NS- chances are 19 in 20 that the rate is higher (H) or lower (L) or not significantly (NS) different than the aggregate (city) rate.

Dash (-) Due to very small sample size, numbers were suppressed completely.

^a Data source: Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care (MOHLTC) physician and laboratory claims. Does not include data from the Ontario Breast Screening Program (OBSP), Community Health Centres (CHCs), Toronto Public Health immunization clinics, or privately-sponsored immunization clinics.

** Rate ratios were created by dividing the local area rate for all ages by the City of Toronto aggregate rate.

For information about definitions, data quality & limitations, and selection & preparation of variables, please go to <http://www.torontohealthprofiles.ca/aboutTheData.php>