

## Major HPA 2 - Toronto Central West Profile: Older Adults

Census Variables	Toronto 2001		Toronto Central West 2001				% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	
<b>Total persons (in institutions &amp; households), Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	337,910		85,865		90,355		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	51,830	60.4	50,265	55.6	-3.0
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	25,440	29.6	30,155	33.4	18.5
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	8,595	10.0	9,935	11.0	15.6
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	34,035	39.6	40,090	44.4	17.8
<b>Females, aged 65 &amp; over</b>	195,450		49,025		51,360		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	28,100	57.3	27,035	52.6	-3.8
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	14,925	30.4	17,515	34.1	17.4
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	6,000	12.2	6,810	13.3	13.5
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	20,925	42.7	24,325	47.4	16.2
<b>Males, aged 65 &amp; over</b>	142,460		36,840		38,995		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	23,730	64.4	23,230	59.6	-2.1
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	10,515	28.5	12,640	32.4	20.2
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	2,595	7.0	3,125	8.0	20.4
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	13,110	35.6	15,765	40.4	20.3
<b>Persons in Private Households (excludes persons in institutions &amp; collective dwellings) as a % of Total Persons in Age group</b>							
Aged 65-74 years	182,140	98.4	50,955	98.3	49,460	98.4	-2.9
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	23,505	92.4	28,265	93.7	20.3
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	5,885	68.5	7,005	70.5	19.0
<b>Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	31,145	61.1	29,965	60.6	-3.8
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	15,800	67.2	19,310	68.3	22.2
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	3,870	65.8	4,720	67.4	22.0
<b>Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 &amp; over</b>							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		34,540		37,475		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	26,180	75.8	29,335	78.3	12.1
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	3,735	14.3	5,610	19.1	50.2
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	8,345	24.2	8,100	21.6	-2.9
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	3,530	42.3	3,325	41.0	-5.8
<b>Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	91,050		22,320		22,960		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	9,595	43.0	10,440	45.5	8.8
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	750	7.8	1,195	11.4	59.3
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	12,725	57.0	12,520	54.5	-1.6
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	8,375	65.8	8,315	66.4	-0.7
<b>Persons Age 65 &amp; over in Households by % Living Alone*</b>							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				46,945		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			14,900	31.7	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				37,715		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			6,280	16.7	
<b>Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	318,960		80,345		84,730		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	44,540	55.4	49,800	58.8	11.8
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	24,095	30.0	24,595	29.0	2.1
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	11,880	14.8	10,365	12.2	-12.8
<b>Institutional Dwelling</b>							
Number of Long Term Care (LTC) Facilities	94				26		
Number of beds	16,429				4,587		

\* Data not available for 1996

Notes:

1. Total for both sexes is slightly different from the sum for males and females & total for all the areas is also slightly different from the sum of all individual areas due to random rounding by Statistics Canada.
2. LTC data is as of March 2004 and includes planned for 2005 and projected for 2006.

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	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	
<b>Persons in households by Income, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	318,455		80,305		84,660		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	26,595	33.1	24,800	29.3	-6.7
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		44,995		46,995		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	16,520	36.7	15,590	33.2	-5.6
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		35,210		37,735		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	10,015	28.4	9,230	24.5	-7.8
<b>Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	318,595		80,280		84,665		
with less than secondary certificate	202,150	63.5	63,725	79.4	66,075	78.0	3.7
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		44,990		47,025		
with less than secondary certificate	117,890	65.1	35,945	79.9	36,910	78.5	2.7
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		35,215		37,715		
with less than secondary certificate	84,375	61.3	27,745	78.8	29,255	77.6	5.4
<b>Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	318,605		80,315		84,650		
recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	7,275	9.1	6,220	7.3	
<b>Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	319,810		80,315		84,725		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	20,790	25.9	20,615	24.3	-0.8
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		45,020		47,055		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	12,880	28.6	12,985	27.6	0.8
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		35,275		37,765		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	2,070	5.9	7,655	20.3	245.4
<b>Persons in household by home language, Aged 65 &amp; over</b>	320,395				84,775		
With non-official home language	88,330	27.6			35,895	42.3	
Top 3 non-official home language							
Chinese	23,525				Italian	14,875	
Italian	20,820				Portuguese	5,310	
Portuguese	6,550				Chinese	3,555	

**Notes:**

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- Chinese home language includes Cantonese, Mandarin, Hakka and "not otherwise specified" (n.o.s.)

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	Toronto			Toronto Central West		
	Males	Females	Both sexes	Males (95% CI)	Females (95% CI)	Both sexes (95% CI)
<b>Activity Limitation<sup>1</sup> - Census Variable</b>						
<b>Persons in households by activity limitation 1996</b>						
Aged 65-74 years	83,010	103,805	187,000	23,345	27,575	50,925
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	31.0	29.9	30.4
95% CI				(30.4, 31.6)	(29.4, 30.4)	(30.0, 30.8)
Rate ratio				1.19 H	1.16 H	1.17 H
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	11,860	17,450	29,350
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	40.7	48.0	45.2
95% CI				(39.8, 41.6)	(47.3, 48.8)	(44.6, 45.8)
Rate ratio				1.05 H	1.07 H	1.02 H
<b>Persons in households by activity limitation 2001</b>						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	23,130	26,270	49,450
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	45.5	46.6	46.0
95% CI				(44.9, 46.2)	(46.0, 47.2)	(45.5, 46.4)
Rate ratio				1.13 H	1.09 H	1.10 H
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	14,565	20,700	35,240
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	64.2	70.3	67.8
95% CI				(63.4, 64.9)	(69.6, 70.9)	(67.3, 68.3)
Rate ratio				1.03 H	1.04 H	1.04 H

CI - 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.

<sup>1</sup> The census includes questions to identify persons with limitations in the amount and kind of activities at home, at work, at school or in other activities due to a physical or mental condition or health problem lasting six months or more. The responses are used to identify persons for a post census survey on disability.

The wording of the census screening questions differed between 1996 and 2001 with the 2001 census capturing a larger sample.

The rates for the two time periods are not comparable with each other. The 2001 census questions is similar to the CCHS question on activity limitation.

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