

Major HPA 4 - Toronto Central South Profile: Older Adults

Census Variables	Toronto 2001		1996		Toronto Central South 2001		% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	
Total persons (in institutions & households), Aged 65 & over	337,910		38,260		38,015		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	22,375	58.5	21,040	55.3	-6.0
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	12,150	31.8	12,980	34.1	6.8
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	3,735	9.8	3,995	10.5	7.0
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	15,885	41.5	16,975	44.7	6.9
Females, aged 65 & over	195,450		22,820		22,225		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	12,500	54.8	11,355	51.1	-9.2
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	7,645	33.5	8,055	36.2	5.4
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	2,675	11.7	2,815	12.7	5.2
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	10,320	45.2	10,870	48.9	5.3
Males, aged 65 & over	142,460		15,440		15,790		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	9,875	64.0	9,685	61.3	-1.9
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	4,505	29.2	4,925	31.2	9.3
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	1,060	6.9	1,180	7.5	11.3
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	5,565	36.0	6,105	38.7	9.7
Persons in Private Households (excludes persons in institutions & collective dwellings) as a % of Total Persons in Age group							
Aged 65-74 years	182,140	98.4	21,620	96.6	20,285	96.4	-6.2
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	11,290	92.9	12,095	93.2	7.1
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	2,815	75.4	3,035	76.0	7.8
Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 & over							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	13,970	64.6	13,375	65.9	-4.3
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	8,150	72.2	8,480	70.1	4.0
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	2,080	73.9	2,420	79.7	16.3
Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 & over							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		13,275		13,620		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	8,575	64.6	9,375	68.8	9.3
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	1,745	20.3	2,190	23.4	25.5
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	4,645	35.0	4,245	31.2	-8.6
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	1,850	39.8	1,540	36.3	-16.8
Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 & over	91,050		13,725		13,715		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	4,945	36.0	5,260	38.4	6.4
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	585	11.8	830	15.8	41.9
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	8,780	64.0	8,440	61.5	-3.9
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	5,195	59.2	5,555	65.8	6.9
Persons Age 65 & over in Households by % Living Alone*							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				20,895		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			8,925	42.7	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				15,045		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			4,045	26.9	
Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 & over	318,960		35,725		35,415		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	15,140	42.4	14,850	41.9	-1.9
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	15,790	44.2	16,020	45.2	1.5
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	4,855	13.6	4,640	13.1	-4.4
Institutional Dwelling							
Number of Long Term Care (LTC) Facilities	94				11		
Number of beds	16,429				1,876		

* Data not available for 1996

Notes:

- 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.
- LTC data is as of March 2004 and includes planned for 2005 and projected for 2006.

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	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	
Persons in households by Income, Aged 65 & over	318,455		35,735		35,420		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	13,410	37.5	11,215	31.7	-16.4
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		21,310		20,680		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	8,595	40.3	7,410	35.8	-13.8
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		14,410		14,770		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	4,725	32.8	3,790	25.7	-19.8
Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 & over	318,595		35,775		35,485		
with less than secondary certificate	202,150	63.5	25,395	71.0	23,395	65.9	-7.9
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		21,250		20,680		
with less than secondary certificate	117,890	65.1	15,460	72.8	13,985	67.6	-9.5
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		14,365		14,735		
with less than secondary certificate	84,375	61.3	9,865	68.7	9,440	64.1	-4.3
Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 & over	318,605		35,765		35,490		
recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	3,145	8.8	2,685	7.6	
Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	319,810		35,745		35,795		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	5,890	16.5	5,405	15.1	-8.2
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		21,275		20,725		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	3,745	17.6	3,550	17.1	-5.2
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		14,355		15,065		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	2,135	14.9	1,855	12.3	-17.2
Persons in household by home language, Aged 65 & over	320,395				36,280		
With non-official home language	88,330	27.6			9,560	26.4	
Top 3 non-official home language							
Chinese	23,525				3,780		
Italian	20,820				1,150		
Portuguese	6,550				895		

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 South		
	Males	Females	Both sexes	Males (95% CI)	Females (95% CI)	Both sexes (95% CI)
Activity Limitation¹ - Census Variable						
Persons in households by activity limitation 1996						
Aged 65-74 years	83,010	103,805	187,000	9,410	12,170	21,670
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	30.4	30.5	30.5
95% CI				(29.5, 31.3)	(29.7, 31.3)	(29.9, 31.1)
Rate ratio				1.17 H	1.18 H	1.17 H
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	4,960	9,115	14,115
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	42.0	45.7	44.6
95% CI				(40.7, 43.4)	(44.7, 46.8)	(43.7, 45.4)
Rate ratio				1.08 H	1.02 NS	1.01 H
Persons in households by activity limitation 2001						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	9,230	11,045	20,295
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	41.5	46.5	44.2
95% CI				(40.5, 42.6)	(45.7, 47.5)	(43.5, 44.9)
Rate ratio				1.03 NS	1.09 H	1.06 H
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	5,575	9,685	15,190
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	64.6	68.1	66.7
95% CI				(63.4, 65.9)	(67.2, 69.0)	(65.9, 67.4)
Rate ratio				1.04 H	1.01 NS	1.02 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.

¹ 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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