

Major HPA 5-Toronto East Profile: Socio-demographic

Census Variables	Toronto	Toronto East			
	2001	1991	1996	2001	% change from 1991-2001
Demographic Composition					
Total Population	2481560	524560	558929	593250	13.1
% 19 and under	23.3	26.2	26.3	26.0	-0.8
% 65 and over	13.6	10.4	12.0	12.8	23.1
% Living alone	10.8	5.9	5.9	6.0	2.3
% Aged 65+ living alone	26.6	23.1	20.8	20.2	-12.7
% Lone parent families	19.7	16.4	19.1	20.6	25.1
% 1 year mobility in population	14.6	16.2	14.1	13.0	-20.0
Socioeconomic Status					
Average household income \$	69194	53413	51035	61156	14.5
% Families-Incidence of low income	19.4	15.4	25.2	20.3	32.0
% Individuals-Incidence of low income	22.5	17.3	27.4	22.4	29.8
% Rented Dwellings	49.2	41.2	41.8	37.7	-8.5
Unemployment rate % *	7.0	9.2	11.6	7.7	-16.0
% Not in labour force *	34.7	30.5	37.4	35.9	17.7
% Less than high school education *	28.4	34.8	33.4	30.7	-11.8
% With a University degree *	25.3	12.5	14.2	17.8	42.3
Diversity					
% No knowledge of English/French	5.1	3.8	5.7	5.8	54.4
% Recent immigrants-within 5 years	11.4	-	16.0	12.3	-
% Recent immigrants-within 10 years	21.0	18.2	-	25.4	39.8
% Immigrants	49.5	44.0	51.3	55.0	24.9
% Visible minority	42.8	-	51.9	60.0	-
Top 3 Countries of Origin for people immigrating within last 5 years	China	-	Sri Lanka	China	-
	India	-	Hong Kong	Sri Lanka	-
	Pakistan	-	China	India	-
Top 3 Home Languages for non-English speaking households	Chinese, n.o.s.†	Chinese †	Chinese †	Cantonese †	-
	Cantonese †	Tamil	Tamil	Chinese, n.o.s.†	-
	Italian	Greek	Tagalog	Tamil	-

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* Refers to population aged 15+

† In 1991 and 1996 "Chinese" included Cantonese, Mandarin, Hakka, and "Not Otherwise Specified" (n.o.s.).

In 2001 "Chinese" was broken down into it's component languages.

Dash (-) Numbers or statistics are unavailable for that census year.

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