

Minor HPA 4b - Downtown & Waterfront Profile: Socio-demographic

Census Variables	Toronto	Downtown & Waterfront			
	2001	1991	1996	2001	% change from 1991-2001
Demographic Composition					
Total Population	2,481,560	162,815	174,301	186,140	14.3
% 19 and under	23.3	17.9	18.7	18.1	1.0
% 65 and over	13.6	9.9	9.8	9.3	-6.3
% Living alone	10.8	19.9	21.0	20.9	5.4
% Aged 65+ living alone	26.6	38.9	40.0	38.8	-0.3
% Lone parent families	19.7	22.5	23.0	21.9	-2.9
% 1 year mobility in population	14.6	23.2	22.4	19.2	-17.4
Socioeconomic Status					
Average household income \$	69,194	46,187	46,403	62,935	36.3
% Families-Incidence of low income	19.4	24.4	30.9	23.1	-5.2
% Individuals-Incidence of low income	22.5	27.9	35.6	28.7	3.1
% Rented Dwellings	49.2	70.5	70.9	64.0	-9.2
Unemployment rate % *	7.0	10.2	10.4	7.3	-28.6
% Not in labour force *	34.7	27.8	32.2	28.8	3.6
% Less than high school education *	28.4	30.4	26.4	21.1	-30.8
% With a University degree *	25.3	24.9	28.0	34.3	38.0
Diversity					
% No knowledge of English/French	5.1	5.6	6.6	4.3	-23.0
% Recent immigrants-within 5 years	11.4	-	12.9	10.3	-
% Recent immigrants-within 10 years	21.0	15.1	-	18.6	23.5
% Immigrants	49.5	35.7	39.9	40.3	12.9
% Visible minority	42.8	-	37.3	40.4	-
Top 3 Countries of Origin for people immigrating within last 5 years	China	-	China	China	-
	India	-	Philippines	Philippines	-
	Pakistan	-	Sri Lanka	Pakistan	-
Top 3 Home Languages for non-English speaking households	Chinese, n.o.s.†	Chinese †	Chinese †	Chinese, n.o.s.†	-
	Cantonese †	Vietnamese	Tamil	Cantonese †	-
	Italian	Spanish	Vietnamese	Tamil	-

* 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>