

N113 - Weston Profile: Older Adults

Indicators	Toronto 2001		1996		Weston 2001		% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	Count	%	Count		
Total persons (in institutions & households), Aged 65 & over	337,910		2,240		2,065		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	1,265	56.5	1,125	54.5	-3.6
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	765	34.2	735	35.6	4.1
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	210	9.4	205	9.9	5.6
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	975	43.5	940	45.5	4.6
Females, aged 65 & over	195,450		1,395		1,260		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	725	52.0	635	50.4	-3.1
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	510	36.6	465	36.9	0.8
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	160	11.5	160	12.7	10.4
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	670	48.0	625	49.6	3.3
Males, aged 65 & over	142,460		845		805		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	540	63.9	490	60.9	-4.7
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	255	30.2	270	33.5	11.1
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	50	5.9	45	5.6	-5.3
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	305	36.1	315	39.1	8.4
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	1,250	98.8	1,100	97.8	-1.0
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	725	94.8	735	100.0	5.5
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	225	100.0	180	87.8	-12.2
Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 & over							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	890	71.2	700	63.6	-10.6
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	575	79.3	560	76.2	-3.9
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	180	80.0	150	83.3	4.2
Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 & over							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		735		740		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	465	63.3	480	64.9	2.5
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	40	8.6	115	24.0	178.5
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	270	36.7	265	35.8	-2.5
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	110	40.7	95	35.8	-12.0
Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 & over	91,050		1,005		875		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	295	29.4	240	27.4	-6.6
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	40	13.6	60	25.0	84.4
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	740	73.6	640	73.1	-0.7
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	450	60.8	445	69.5	14.3
Persons Age 65 & over in Households by % Living Alone*							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				1,265		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			585	46.2	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				765		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			220	28.8	
Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 & over	318,960		2,200		2,015		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	960	43.6	895	44.4	1.8
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	1,165	53.0	1,040	51.6	-2.5
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	90	4.1	110	5.5	33.4
Institutional Dwelling							
Number of Long Term Care (LTC) Homes (formerly called Facilities)	94				1		
Number of beds	16,429				224		

Dash (-) number and rate are suppressed since either numerator is less than 5 or denominator less than 30.

* Data not available for 1996

** Interpret with caution

Notes:

- Total for both sexes is slightly different from the sum for males and females and total for all the areas is also slightly different from the sum of all individual areas due to random rounding by Statistics Canada. In the section on Persons in Private Households where random rounding resulted in percents higher than 100%, the percents were reported as 100%.
- LTC data is as of March 2004 and includes planned for 2005 and projected for 2006.

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Persons in households by Income, Aged 65 & over	318,455		2,190		2,025		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	825	37.7	625	30.9	-18.1
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		1,370		1,255		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	565	41.2	470	37.5	-9.2
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		820		770		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	255	31.1	160	20.8	-33.2
Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 & over	318,595		2,190		2,015		
with less than secondary education	202,150	63.5	1,625	74.2	1,475	73.2	-1.3
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		1,365		1,255		
with less than secondary education	117,890	65.1	1,005	73.6	940	74.9	1.7
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		810		760		
with less than secondary education	84,375	61.3	620	76.5	530	69.7	-8.9
Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 & over	318,605		2,200		2,025		
Recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	135	6.1	150	7.4	21.3
Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	319,810		2,190		2,025		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	160	7.3	150	7.4	1.4
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		1,375		1,260		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	110	8.0	130	10.3	29.0
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		825		760		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	65	7.9	20	2.6	-66.6

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- For Home Languages see Profiles for 41 Local Health Planning Areas.

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	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	530	715	1,250
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	30.2	32.2	30.8
95% CI				(26.3, 34.1)	(28.7, 35.6)	(28.2, 33.4)
Rate ratio				1.16 H	1.25 H	1.19 H
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	285	655	945
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	50.9	38.9	42.3
95% CI				(45.1, 56.7)	(35.2, 42.7)	(37.5, 47.2)
Rate ratio				1.31 H	0.87 L	0.99 NS
Persons in households by activity limitation 2001						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	440	670	1,105
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	39.8	50.0	45.2
95% CI				(35.2, 44.3)	(46.2, 53.8)	(42.3, 48.2)
Rate ratio				0.98 NS	1.17 H	1.08 H
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	330	600	925
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	50.0	71.7	64.3
95% CI				(44.6, 55.4)	(68.1, 75.3)	(61.5, 67.1)
Rate ratio				0.80 L	1.07 H	0.99 NS

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.

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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