

N125 - Ionview Profile: Older Adults

Indicators	Toronto 2001		1996		Ionview 2001		% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	Count	%	Count		
Total persons (in institutions & households), Aged 65 & over	337,910		1,600		1,640		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	1,080	67.5	1,025	62.5	-7.4
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	450	28.1	540	32.9	17.2
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	70	4.4	75	4.6	3.9
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	520	32.5	615	37.5	15.4
Females, aged 65 & over	195,450		930		940		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	620	66.7	570	60.6	-9.1
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	265	28.5	320	34.0	19.4
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	45	4.8	50	5.3	10.8
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	310	33.3	370	39.4	18.2
Males, aged 65 & over	142,460		670		700		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	460	68.7	455	65.0	-5.4
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	185	27.6	220	31.4	13.9
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	25	3.7	25	3.6	-3.5
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	210	31.3	245	35.0	11.8
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	1,090	100.0	1,015	99.0	-1.0
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	405	90.0	540	100.0	11.1
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	85	100.0 **	70	93.3 **	-6.7 **
Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 & over							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	650	59.6	575	56.7	-5.0
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	265	65.4	370	68.5	4.7
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	60	70.6 **	45	64.3 **	-8.9 **
Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 & over							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		675		760		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	415	61.5	525	69.1	12.4
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	100	24.1	95	18.1	-24.9
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	250	37.0	235	30.9	-16.5
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	100	40.0	100	42.6	6.4
Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 & over	91,050		450		335		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	310	68.9	185	55.2	-19.8
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	30	9.7	20	10.8	11.7
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	165	36.7	155	46.3	26.2
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	95	57.6	105	67.7	17.7
Persons Age 65 & over in Households by % Living Alone*							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				860		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			230	26.7	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				750		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			90	12.0	
Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 & over	318,960		1,580		1,625		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	830	52.5	975	60.0	14.2
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	585	37.0	625	38.5	3.9
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	150	9.5	25	1.5	-83.8
Institutional Dwelling							
Number of Long Term Care (LTC) Homes (formerly called Facilities)	94				0		
Number of beds	16,429				0		

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* Data not available for 1996

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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		1,570		1,620		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	410	26.1	305	18.8	-27.9
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		960		870		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	280	29.2	165	19.0	-35.0
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		615		750		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	120	19.5	135	18.0	-7.8
Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 & over	318,595		1,575		1,620		
with less than secondary education	202,150	63.5	1,195	75.9	1,175	72.5	-4.4
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		960		865		
with less than secondary education	117,890	65.1	705	73.4	665	76.9	4.7
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		615		760		
with less than secondary education	84,375	61.3	490	79.7	530	69.7	-12.5
Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 & over	318,605		1,580		1,620		
Recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	195	12.3	170	10.5	-14.6
Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	319,810		1,575		1,610		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	85	5.4	80	5.0	-7.9
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		960		865		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	40	4.2	65	7.5	80.3
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		615		755		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	30	4.9	10	1.3 **	-72.8 **

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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	420	660	1,085
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	25.0	22.7	23.0
95% CI				(20.9, 29.1)	(19.5, 25.9)	(20.5, 25.5)
Rate ratio				0.96 NS	0.88 NS	0.89 L
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	195	295	490
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	41.0	40.7	39.8
95% CI				(34.1, 47.9)	(35.1, 46.3)	(32.9, 46.7)
Rate ratio				1.05 NS	0.91 NS	0.93 NS
Persons in households by activity limitation 2001						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	490	525	1,010
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	46.9	50.5	48.5
95% CI				(42.5, 51.4)	(46.2, 54.8)	(45.4, 51.6)
Rate ratio				1.16 H	1.18 H	1.16 H
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	270	335	600
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	59.3	67.2	64.2
95% CI				(53.4, 65.1)	(62.1, 72.2)	(61.2, 67.1)
Rate ratio				0.95 NS	1.00 NS	0.98 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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