

N134 - Highland Creek Profile: Older Adults

Indicators	Toronto		Highland Creek				
	2001		1996		2001		% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	Count	%	Count		
Total persons (in institutions & households), Aged 65 & over	337,910		755		1,065		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	500	66.2	695	65.3	-1.4
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	220	29.1	295	27.7	-4.8
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	35	4.6	75	7.0	53.1
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	255	33.8	370	34.7	2.8
Females, aged 65 & over	195,450		420		570		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	255	60.7	335	58.8	-3.2
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	140	33.3	180	31.6	-5.2
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	25	6.0	55	9.6	60.8
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	165	39.3	235	41.2	4.9
Males, aged 65 & over	142,460		335		495		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	245	73.1	360	72.7	-0.5
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	80	23.9	115	23.2	-2.8
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	10	3.0 **	20	4.0	34.7 **
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	90	26.9	135	27.3	1.4
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	510	100.0	685	98.6	-1.4
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	200	90.9	285	96.6	6.3
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	50	100.0 **	90	100.0 **	0.0 **
Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 & over							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	210	41.2	325	47.4	15.2
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	80	40.0	80	28.1	-29.8
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	30	60.0 **	35	38.9 **	-35.2 **
Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 & over							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		355		485		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	355	100.0	465	95.9	-4.1
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	140	39.4	185	39.8	0.9
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	-	-	15	3.1	n/a
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	-	-	10	66.7 **	n/a
Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 & over	91,050		85		135		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	60	70.6 **	120	88.9	25.9 **
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	-	-	20	16.7	n/a
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	35	41.2 **	10	7.4 **	-82.0 **
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	20	57.1 **	10	100.0 **	75.0 **
Persons Age 65 & over in Households by % Living Alone*							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				530		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			60	11.3	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				510		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			30	5.9	
Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 & over	318,960		760		1,060		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	730	96.1	985	92.9	-3.3
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	-	-	-	-	n/a
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	35	4.6	50	4.7	2.4
Institutional Dwelling							
Number of Long Term Care (LTC) Homes (formerly called Facilities)	94				1		
Number of beds	16,429				154		

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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		755		1,045		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	140	18.5	130	12.4	-32.9
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		425		535		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	80	18.8	75	14.0	-25.5
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		330		510		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	55	16.7	45	8.8	-47.1
Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 & over	318,595		765		1,040		
with less than secondary education	202,150	63.5	550	71.9	630	60.6	-15.7
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		430		535		
with less than secondary education	117,890	65.1	325	75.6	355	66.4	-12.2
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		325		510		
with less than secondary education	84,375	61.3	215	66.2	280	54.9	-17.0
Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 & over	318,605		760		1,040		
Recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	85	11.2	90	8.7	-22.3
Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	319,810		765		1,045		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	145	19.0	130	12.4	-34.4
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		435		535		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	95	21.8	70	13.1	-40.1
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		330		515		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	45	13.6	60	11.7	-14.6

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2. 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	240	270	515
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	22.9	31.5	26.2
95% CI				(17.6, 28.2)	(25.9, 37.0)	(22.4, 30.0)
Rate ratio				0.88 NS	1.22 H	1.01 NS
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	85	155	250
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	29.4	58.1	46.0
95% CI				(19.7, 39.1)	(50.3, 65.8)	(36.9, 55.1)
Rate ratio				0.76 NS	1.29 H	1.08 NS
Persons in households by activity limitation 2001						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	385	290	680
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	33.8	37.9	35.3
95% CI				(29.0, 38.5)	(32.3, 43.5)	(31.7, 38.9)
Rate ratio				0.83 L	0.89 NS	0.84 L
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	125	240	370
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	68.0	72.9	68.9
95% CI				(59.8, 76.2)	(67.3, 78.5)	(65.4, 72.4)
Rate ratio				1.09 NS	1.08 NS	1.06 H

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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