

N55 - Thorncliffe Park Profile: Older Adults

Indicators	Toronto 2001		Thorncliffe Park				% change 1996 to 2001
	Count	%	1996		2001		
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Total persons (in institutions & households), Aged 65 & over	337,910		2,390		2,200		
Aged 65-74 years	185,165	54.8	1,140	47.7	985	44.8	-6.1
Aged 75-84 years	116,385	34.4	885	37.0	825	37.5	1.4
Aged 85 & over	36,360	10.8	365	15.3	390	17.7	15.9
Aged 75 & over	152,745	45.2	1,250	52.3	1,215	55.2	5.6
Females, aged 65 & over	195,450		1,580		1,430		
Aged 65-74 years	100,865	51.6	730	46.2	600	42.0	-9.2
Aged 75-84 years	69,460	35.5	585	37.0	555	38.8	4.9
Aged 85 & over	25,125	12.9	265	16.8	275	19.2	14.5
Aged 75 & over	94,585	48.4	850	53.8	830	58.0	7.9
Males, aged 65 & over	142,460		810		770		
Aged 65-74 years	84,300	59.2	410	50.6	385	50.0	-1.2
Aged 75-84 years	46,925	32.9	300	37.0	270	35.1	-5.2
Aged 85 & over	11,235	7.9	100	12.3	115	14.9	21.4
Aged 75 & over	58,160	40.8	400	49.4	385	50.0	1.2
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	1,095	96.1	965	98.0	2.0
Aged 75-84 years	110,175	94.7	770	87.0	715	86.7	-0.4
Aged 85 years & over	26,645	73.3	140	38.4	235	60.3	57.1
Person is a Primary Household Maintainer, Aged 65 & over							
Aged 65-74 years	110,065	60.4	775	70.8	605	62.7	-11.4
Aged 75-84 years	74,110	67.3	535	69.5	525	73.4	5.7
Aged 85 years & over	18,915	71.0	100	71.4	180	76.6	7.2
Tenure - Economic Family households by Person Aged 65 & over							
Economic Family Household led by aged 65 & over	136,555		695		660		
Economic Family Owner Household	108,535	79.5	50	7.2	70	10.6	47.4
Economic Family Owner Households with a Mortgage	22,280	20.5	10	20.0 **	25	35.7 **	78.6 **
Economic Family Renter Household	27,830	20.4	645	92.8	595	90.2	-2.9
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	10,840	39.0	295	45.7	170	28.6	-37.5
Tenure - Unattached Persons Aged 65 & over	91,050		830		825		
Unattached Person: Owner Household	44,825	49.2	40	4.8	65	7.9	63.5
Unattached Persons with a Mortgage	5,415	12.1	10	25.0 **	15	23.1 **	-7.7 **
Unattached Person: Renter Household	46,195	50.7	795	95.8	760	92.1	-3.8
Renter Household Shelter costs >30% of Household Income	30,980	67.1	515	64.8	530	69.7	7.7
Persons Age 65 & over in Households by % Living Alone*							
Females age 65 & over Living in Private Households	181,405				1,190		
Females age 65 & over Living Alone	62,705	34.6			600	50.4	
Males age 65 & over Living in Private Households	137,885				740		
Males age 65 & over Living Alone	22,485	16.3			175	23.6	
Persons in households by Dwelling Type, Aged 65 & over	318,960		2,005		1,915		
House: Detached or Semi-detached	181,085	56.8	-	-	-	-	n/a
High Rise (Apartment 5 or more stories)	104,855	32.9	1,980	98.8	1,940	100.0	1.3
Other Dwelling Types	33,130	10.4	15	0.7 **	10	0.5 **	-30.2 **
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:

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- 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		2,000		1,935		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	73,100	23.0	770	38.5	650	33.6	-12.7
Females in households by income, Aged 65 & over	181,160		1,335		1,190		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	48,225	26.6	545	40.8	470	39.5	-3.3
Males in households by income, Aged 65 & over	137,475		660		725		
with income below the Low Income Cut-off (LICO)	24,915	18.1	230	34.8	180	24.8	-28.8
Persons in households by Education, Aged 65 & over	318,595		2,005		1,940		
with less than secondary education	202,150	63.5	1,340	66.8	1,065	54.9	-17.9
Females in households by education, Aged 65 & over	181,090		1,340		1,180		
with less than secondary education	117,890	65.1	905	67.5	625	53.0	-21.6
Males in households by education, Aged 65 & over	137,155		655		745		
with less than secondary education	84,375	61.3	425	64.9	450	60.4	-6.9
Persons in households by Recent Immigrant Status, Aged 65 & over	318,605		2,005		1,925		
Recent immigrants (within last 10 years of census)	25,655	8.1	210	10.5	200	10.4	-1.0
Persons in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	319,810		1,995		1,920		
No knowledge of English or French	48,430	15.1	215	10.8	140	7.3	-32.3
Females in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	181,815		1,335		1,185		
No knowledge of English or French	31,175	17.1	150	11.2	115	9.7	-13.6
Males in households by knowledge of English or French, Aged 65 & over	138,195		655		730		
No knowledge of English or French	17,275	12.5	60	9.2	25	3.4	-62.6

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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	395	700	1,095
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	26.1	25.8	26.0	30.4	27.9	28.8
95% CI				(25.8, 34.9)	(24.5, 31.2)	(26.1, 31.4)
Rate ratio				1.17 NS	1.08 NS	1.11 H
Aged 75 & over	43,365	69,190	112,835	260	645	905
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	38.9	44.9	42.6	26.9	43.4	38.7
95% CI				(21.5, 32.3)	(39.6, 47.2)	(33.6, 43.8)
Rate ratio				0.69 L	0.97 NS	0.91 NS
Persons in households by activity limitation 2001						
Aged 65-74 years	83,150	98,835	181,945	410	565	975
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	40.5	42.8	41.8	45.1	45.1	44.6
95% CI				(40.3, 49.9)	(41.0, 49.2)	(41.5, 47.7)
Rate ratio				1.12 NS	1.05 NS	1.07 NS
Aged 75 & over	54,320	82,380	136,625	330	630	965
% With Activity difficulties/reductions	62.4	67.3	65.3	59.1	68.3	64.2
95% CI				(53.8, 64.4)	(64.6, 71.9)	(61.2, 67.3)
Rate ratio				0.95 NS	1.01 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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