

CPA 711 – Lakeshore West Profile: Socio-demographic

Census Variables	City of Toronto	Toronto Central LHIN	Lakeshore West		
	2006	2006	2001	2006	% change from 2001-2006 ^a
Demographic Composition					
Total Population	2,503,281	1,089,146	35,484	35,625	0.4
% 19 and under	22.2	19.9	20.3	17.7	-12.2
% 65 and over	14.1	12.9	13.1	13.4	2.4
% Living alone	12.0	17.2	18.0	20.7	16.6
% Aged 65+ living alone	26.9	34.0	40.1	40.5	3.6
% Lone parent families §	30.2	30.9	34.6	36.7	0.3
% 1 year mobility in population	15.6	16.8	15.9	17.1	8.7
Socioeconomic Status					
Median household income before-tax \$	52,833	57,588	47,530	52,349	10.1
Median household income after-tax \$ ‡	46,236	48,903	–	44,995	–
% Families-Incidence of low income before-tax	20.6	18.7	17.1	18.2	8.5
% Families-Incidence of low income after-tax ‡	15.6	14.3	–	14.5	–
% Individuals-Incidence of low income before-tax	24.5	24.0	21.8	23.3	8.7
% Individuals-Incidence of low income after-tax ‡	19.4	19.5	–	19.1	–
% Rented Dwellings	45.6	51.7	54.6	47.8	-6.3
% Unemployment rate *	7.6	6.9	5.9	6.7	16.9
% Not in labour force *	35.0	31.9	30.5	30.6	3.9
% Less than high school education **	12.4	11.4	24.2	10.6	–
% With a University degree **	37.4	43.9	23.0	33.1	–
Language, Immigration, Ethno-Racial Diversity					
% No knowledge of English/French	5.3	4.5	2.7	2.6	-3.2
% Recent immigrants-within 5 years	10.8	8.3	8.8	7.1	-18.8
% Recent immigrants-within 10 years	18.4	13.4	16.2	12.1	-24.0
% Immigrants	50.0	40.8	40.6	40.6	1.2
% Visible minority	46.9	32.4	23.3	25.5	10.9
Top 3 Home Languages for non-English speaking households	Chinese, n.o.s. † Cantonese Tamil	Portuguese Chinese, n.o.s. † Cantonese	Polish Spanish Ukrainian	Polish Russian Tagalog (Filipino)	

^a Refers to the change in absolute number of individuals in the given category, not the change in percentage.

§ For a percentage of all families with children.

‡ After-tax income information was not available prior to the 2006 census.

* Refers to population aged 15+.

** This variable refers to population aged 20+ in 2001 and ages 25-64 in 2006.

† Chinese, n.o.s. means "Not Otherwise Specified".

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>