

## N37 – Willowdale West Profile: Socio-demographic

Census Variables	City of Toronto	Toronto Central LHIN	Willowdale West		
	2006	2006	2001	2006	% change from 2001-2006 <sup>a</sup>
<b>Demographic Composition</b>					
Total Population	2,503,281	1,089,146	11,402	12,517	9.8
% 19 and under	22.2	19.9	17.1	16.1	3.6
% 65 and over	14.1	12.9	24.6	23.3	3.6
% Living alone	12.0	17.2	15.6	15.2	6.5
% Aged 65+ living alone	26.9	34.0	33.5	35.9	10.1
% Lone parent families §	30.2	30.9	21.9	24.9	32.0
% 1 year mobility in population	15.6	16.8	18.2	15.0	-9.5
<b>Socioeconomic Status</b>					
Median household income before-tax \$	52,833	57,588	47,958	57,733	20.4
Median household income after-tax \$ ‡	46,236	48,903	–	49,324	–
% Families-Incidence of low income before-tax	20.6	18.7	15.4	15.9	16.6
% Families-Incidence of low income after-tax ‡	15.6	14.3	–	10.4	–
% Individuals-Incidence of low income before-tax	24.5	24.0	21.0	20.8	8.7
% Individuals-Incidence of low income after-tax ‡	19.4	19.5	–	15.7	–
% Rented Dwellings	45.6	51.7	39.0	30.0	-15.7
% Unemployment rate *	7.6	6.9	5.9	7.1	33.8
% Not in labour force *	35.0	31.9	42.7	42.3	9.8
% Less than high school education **	12.4	11.4	21.9	7.0	–
% With a University degree **	37.4	43.9	32.9	54.1	–
<b>Language, Immigration, Ethno-Racial Diversity</b>					
% No knowledge of English/French	5.3	4.5	3.2	4.6	58.3
% Recent immigrants-within 5 years	10.8	8.3	9.9	9.5	6.3
% Recent immigrants-within 10 years	18.4	13.4	16.7	17.7	16.1
% Immigrants	50.0	40.8	45.5	51.6	24.7
% Visible minority	46.9	32.4	33.1	37.3	23.5
Top 3 Home Languages for non-English speaking households	Chinese, n.o.s. † Cantonese Tamil	Portuguese Chinese, n.o.s. † Cantonese	Cantonese Chinese, n.o.s. † Russian	Russian Persian (Fars) Korean	

<sup>a</sup> 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>