

Low Income Prevalence and Number Below Threshold by Age and Gender, 2003 to 2020
Newfoundland and Labrador

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Low Income Prevalence (risk) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All Persons | 18.9% | 18.1% | 17.2% | 15.7% | 13.4% | 12.5% | 12.3% | 12.4% | 12.1% | 12.3% | 13.0% | 13.0% | 14.0% | 14.4% | 14.1% | 13.5% | 13.1% | 8.6% |
| Less than 18 | 28.4% | 27.7% | 25.9% | 23.3% | 20.1% | 19.3% | 19.2% | 19.1% | 19.1% | 19.7% | 20.4% | 20.3% | 20.9% | 20.5% | 20.1% | 19.5% | 19.1% | 12.0% |
| 18 to 24 | 23.1% | 22.5% | 22.5% | 21.7% | 19.0% | 18.3% | 18.7% | 18.9% | 18.8% | 19.3% | 20.2% | 20.0% | 21.5% | 22.7% | 23.1% | 22.9% | 23.2% | 15.8% |
| 18 to 64 | 17.8% | 17.2% | 16.6% | 15.5% | 13.3% | 12.4% | 12.3% | 12.4% | 12.2% | 12.5% | 13.1% | 13.1% | 13.9% | 14.5% | 14.7% | 14.4% | 14.3% | 9.7% |
| 25 to 34 | 19.8% | 19.0% | 18.0% | 16.5% | 13.8% | 13.1% | 13.2% | 13.2% | 13.2% | 13.8% | 14.4% | 14.5% | 15.6% | 16.4% | 16.9% | 16.8% | 16.9% | 10.3% |
| 35 to 44 | 16.9% | 16.4% | 15.5% | 14.5% | 12.2% | 11.2% | 11.0% | 11.2% | 10.9% | 11.0% | 11.7% | 12.0% | 12.5% | 12.8% | 12.9% | 12.7% | 12.6% | 7.9% |
| 45 to 54 | 14.0% | 13.8% | 13.5% | 13.0% | 10.9% | 10.2% | 9.9% | 10.2% | 9.9% | 9.9% | 10.3% | 10.2% | 10.6% | 11.3% | 11.5% | 11.0% | 10.8% | 7.4% |
| 55 to 64 | 17.8% | 16.9% | 16.3% | 15.1% | 13.2% | 12.1% | 11.6% | 12.0% | 11.7% | 12.0% | 12.6% | 12.5% | 13.1% | 13.6% | 13.6% | 13.3% | 12.9% | 9.9% |
| 65 and over | 9.1% | 7.8% | 7.2% | 5.7% | 4.7% | 4.1% | 3.6% | 3.8% | 3.6% | 3.6% | 4.8% | 5.5% | 8.0% | 8.4% | 7.0% | 5.8% | 5.1% | 3.1% |
| 65 to 74 | 7.3% | 6.5% | 6.1% | 4.9% | 4.3% | 3.8% | 3.2% | 3.6% | 3.4% | 3.4% | 4.5% | 5.1% | 7.2% | 7.6% | 6.6% | 5.6% | 5.1% | 3.2% |
| 75 to 84 | 9.5% | 8.1% | 7.3% | 5.7% | 4.6% | 3.9% | 3.3% | 3.4% | 3.0% | 2.8% | 4.0% | 4.7% | 7.2% | 7.8% | 6.1% | 4.9% | 4.0% | 2.2% |
| 85 and over | 17.3% | 14.0% | 12.8% | 9.6% | 7.4% | 6.6% | 7.2% | 6.8% | 6.3% | 6.9% | 8.9% | 10.3% | 15.3% | 16.0% | 12.8% | 10.4% | 8.7% | 5.2% |
| Number Below Threshold (magnitude) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| All Persons | 97,500 | 92,830 | 86,640 | 78,850 | 67,360 | 63,590 | 62,530 | 63,050 | 62,080 | 63,330 | 66,800 | 67,340 | 72,600 | 74,330 | 72,520 | 69,310 | 66,880 | 43,570 |
| Less than 18 | 30,570 | 29,110 | 25,920 | 23,050 | 19,690 | 18,730 | 18,400 | 18,210 | 18,060 | 18,520 | 19,010 | 18,820 | 19,440 | 18,980 | 18,250 | 17,520 | 16,900 | 10,430 |
| 18 to 24 | 11,590 | 10,840 | 10,420 | 9,660 | 8,390 | 8,110 | 8,180 | 8,130 | 7,970 | 8,040 | 8,270 | 8,050 | 8,490 | 8,770 | 8,770 | 8,620 | 8,740 | 5,860 |
| 18 to 64 | 60,930 | 58,470 | 55,770 | 51,820 | 44,320 | 41,810 | 41,370 | 41,820 | 41,050 | 41,720 | 43,490 | 43,410 | 45,400 | 46,800 | 46,860 | 45,370 | 44,210 | 29,510 |
| 25 to 34 | 12,770 | 11,890 | 10,910 | 9,670 | 8,060 | 7,690 | 7,800 | 7,720 | 7,780 | 8,140 | 8,500 | 8,620 | 9,260 | 9,590 | 9,750 | 9,510 | 9,340 | 5,580 |
| 35 to 44 | 14,100 | 13,420 | 12,350 | 11,220 | 9,260 | 8,440 | 8,130 | 8,090 | 7,700 | 7,690 | 8,030 | 8,160 | 8,330 | 8,310 | 8,230 | 7,970 | 7,790 | 4,780 |
| 45 to 54 | 11,750 | 11,700 | 11,370 | 10,930 | 9,120 | 8,560 | 8,310 | 8,490 | 8,250 | 8,160 | 8,440 | 8,290 | 8,500 | 8,920 | 8,840 | 8,290 | 7,810 | 5,260 |
| 55 to 64 | 10,710 | 10,620 | 10,720 | 10,340 | 9,490 | 9,000 | 8,960 | 9,390 | 9,350 | 9,690 | 10,240 | 10,290 | 10,820 | 11,220 | 11,270 | 10,980 | 10,540 | 8,040 |
| 65 and over | 6,010 | 5,250 | 4,950 | 3,980 | 3,360 | 3,050 | 2,760 | 3,030 | 2,970 | 3,090 | 4,300 | 5,110 | 7,760 | 8,550 | 7,410 | 6,410 | 5,770 | 3,620 |
| 65 to 74 | 2,730 | 2,470 | 2,370 | 1,970 | 1,740 | 1,620 | 1,420 | 1,660 | 1,690 | 1,790 | 2,490 | 2,950 | 4,420 | 4,900 | 4,440 | 3,900 | 3,610 | 2,340 |
| 75 to 84 | 2,100 | 1,800 | 1,640 | 1,290 | 1,040 | 910 | 780 | 810 | 740 | 710 | 1,030 | 1,250 | 1,960 | 2,180 | 1,770 | 1,500 | 1,300 | 750 |
| 85 and over | 1,170 | 980 | 940 | 730 | 580 | 520 | 570 | 560 | 530 | 590 | 780 | 920 | 1,380 | 1,470 | 1,200 | 1,010 | 860 | 530 |

Notes:

Figures may not add to total due to rounding. For more information see our Frequently Asked Questions.

Data is not available in 2010 for economic zones, local areas or police regions.

In 2011, data is suppressed for cells that round to less than 20 individuals or households. In all other years, the rounded suppression cutoff is 10 individuals or households.

There is a slightly revised methodology for the Newfoundland and Labrador Market Basket Measure as of 2012. For communities on the island of Newfoundland requiring ferry services, the number of ferry trips allotted to the nearest service centre has increased. For Labrador communities requiring ferry services, vehicle cost has been removed, and the ferry cost includes the entire family.

The shelter basket since 2012 was calculated as the weighted average of shelter cost in 2001, 2006, 2011 and 2016.

Source: Newfoundland and Labrador Market Basket Measure of Low Income. Statistics provided by Income Statistics Division, Statistics Canada, based on methodology developed by the Newfoundland and Labrador Statistics Agency.

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