

Finding a Primary Care Provider

in Nova Scotia – July 2021

As of July 1, 2021

69,070

Nova Scotians

are on the Need a Family Practice Registry

This represents

7.0%

of the population



Annual Population Estimates, Apr 1, 2021
Statistics Canada

Approximately

2,400 people

found a family doctor or nurse practitioner each month in the past year

Monthly activity

As reported in June 2021

3,425 people

found a family practice

In June 2021

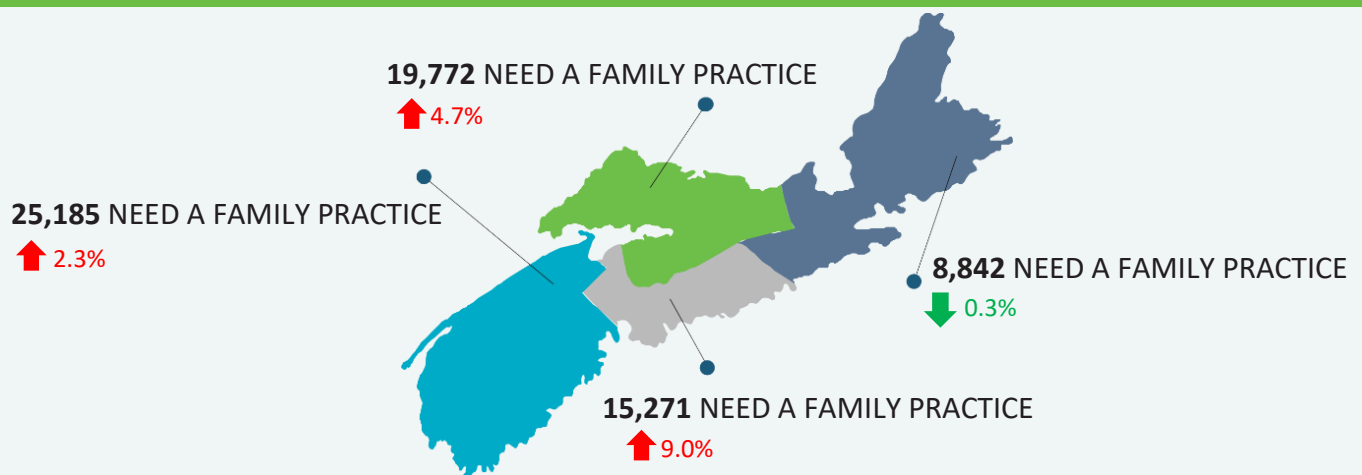
4,977 people

added their names to the registry

Number of people on the Need a Family Practice Registry Aug 2020 – Jul 2021



Total number of Nova Scotians by area and percentage change



Total volumes and percent of the population not yet placed by zone, network and cluster

Zone/Network/Cluster	Total # Not yet placed	Difference vs previous month		Population (2016)	% of Population (2016)
Central	15,271	↑	1,256	423,498	3.6%
Bedford / Sackville	3,428	↑	490	99,581	3.4%
Bedford / Hammonds Plains	1,723	↑	198	40,679	4.2%
Fall River and Area	444	↑	66	15,424	2.9%
Sackville North and Area	676	↑	109	22,325	3.0%
Sackville South	585	↑	117	21,153	2.8%
Dartmouth / Southeastern	3,026	↑	402	116,491	2.6%
Cole Harbour / Eastern Passage	795	↑	128	35,355	2.2%
Dartmouth East	502	↑	71	23,264	2.2%
Dartmouth North	658	↑	68	19,833	3.3%
Dartmouth South	856	↑	100	27,284	3.1%
Preston/Lawrencetown/Lake Echo	215	↑	35	10,755	2.0%
Eastern Shore Musquodoboit	659	↑	52	17,474	3.8%
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Halifax Peninsula / Chebucto	6,430	↑	126	169,768	3.8%
Armdale / Spryfield / Herring Cove	741	↓	31	25,640	2.9%
Clayton Park	1,187	↑	6	34,194	3.5%
Fairview	711	↑	17	17,104	4.2%
Halifax Chebucto	712	↑	41	18,939	3.8%
Halifax Citadel	1,347	↑	39	22,106	6.1%
Halifax Needham	870	↑	81	19,426	4.5%
Sambro Rural Loop	410	↓	24	12,660	3.2%
Tantallon / Timberlea / SMB	452	↓	3	19,699	2.3%
West Hants	1,728	↑	186	20,184	8.6%
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Eastern	8,842	↓	26	158,936	5.6%
Antigonish and Guysborough	453	↓	9	26,926	1.7%
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Guysborough / Canso	37	↑	4	5,039	0.7%
Sherbrooke	-		-	2,586	0.0%
Cape Breton County	7,875	↑	148	99,590	7.9%
Dominion / Glace Bay	1,464	↓	122	20,713	7.1%
Florence / Sydney Mines / North Sydney	864	↑	35	19,679	4.4%
New Waterford	975	↑	64	9,454	10.3%
Sydney and Area	4,572	↑	171	49,744	9.2%
Inverness / Victoria / Richmond	514	↓	165	32,420	1.6%
Baddeck / Whycomagh	7	↓	4	3,654	0.2%

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Cheticamp	2	↓	6	3,903	0.1%
Dingwall	-	↓	1	2,567	0.0%
Inverness	42	↑	8	6,932	0.6%
Port Hawkesbury / L'Ardoise / Isle Madame	463	↓	162	15,364	3.0%
Northern	19,772	↑	881	147,500	13.4%
Colchester East Hants	9,643	↑	304	70,658	13.6%
East Hants Corridor	1,218	↑	84	12,674	9.6%
Economy / Glenholme	721	↑	16	5,277	13.7%
Hants North	834	↑	106	6,945	12.0%
South Colchester	782	↑	18	10,792	7.2%
Truro and Area	6,088	↑	80	34,971	17.4%
Cumberland	2,006	↓	94	33,094	6.1%
Amherst	756	↓	35	13,143	5.8%
Cumberland North / North Shore	1,094	↓	48	8,665	12.6%
South Cumberland	58	↑	2	3,864	1.5%
Springhill	98	↓	13	7,422	1.3%
Pictou County	8,123	↑	671	43,748	18.6%
New Glasgow / Westville / Stellarton	6,480	↑	598	33,561	19.3%
Pictou West	1,643	↑	73	10,187	16.1%
Western	25,185	↑	557	193,664	13.0%
Annapolis and Kings	11,536	↑	380	78,793	14.6%
Annapolis Royal	611	↑	83	6,056	10.1%
Berwick	1,804	↑	36	13,764	13.1%
Kentville	2,204	↑	62	23,893	9.2%
Middleton	5,806	↑	160	20,910	27.8%
Wolfville	1,111	↑	39	14,170	7.8%
Queens and Lunenburg	5,768	↑	158	57,933	10.0%
Bridgewater	3,025	↑	91	26,711	11.3%
Chester and Area	687	↑	33	11,778	5.8%
Liverpool	1,443	↑	84	10,351	13.9%
Lunenburg / Mahone Bay	613	↓	50	9,093	6.7%
Yarmouth / Shelburne / Digby	7,881	↑	19	56,938	13.8%
Digby / Clare / Weymouth	2,709	↑	9	18,553	14.6%
Shelburne / Lockeport	1,530	↓	42	13,966	11.0%
Yarmouth	3,642	↑	52	24,419	14.9%
Unknown	-	↓	2	-	0.0%