

LHPA 24 - Lawrence West Profile: Prevention

Toronto				Lawrence West			Rate Ratio **
Pap Smears							
Health Services Utilization ^a (2000-2002)	Females, Aged 21-44	Females, Aged 45-69	Females, Aged 21-69	Females, Aged 21-44 (95% C.I.)	Females, Aged 45-69 (95% C.I.)	Females, Aged 21-69 (95% C.I.)	
# of women in the Ontario Health Care Registry	476,875	369,358	846,233	6,060	4,473	10,533	
% Having Pap smear within last 3 years	48.8	51.9	50.1	49.8 (48.5-51.0)	49.6 (48.2-51.1)	49.7 (48.7-50.7)	0.99 NS
# of women having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2000-2002)	396,506	328,078	724,584	5,143	4,043	9,186	
% Women, using services in past 3 years, who had a Pap smear	55.3	55.5	55.4	54.4 (53.0-55.7)	51.5 (49.9-53.0)	53.1 (52.1-54.1)	0.96 L
Mammograms							
Health Services Utilization ^a (2002-2003)	Females, Aged 50-69			Females, Aged 50-69 (95% C.I.)			
# of women in the Ontario Health Care Registry	298,146			3,583			
# of women having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	276,085			3,353			
% Having routine screening mammogram within last 2 years	44.9			50.6 (48.9-52.3)			1.13 H
Infant Immunizations ^a Children 0 to < 2 years							
	Both Sexes			Both Sexes (95% C.I.)			
# of Children born between July 96-July 97	27,562			383			
% Received at Least 5 immunizations by Age 2	67.9			72.9 (68.4-77.3)			1.07 H
Flu Shots ^a Seniors							
	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males (95% C.I.)	Females (95% C.I.)	Both Sexes (95% C.I.)	
# of seniors (65-74) having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	92,544	107,426	199,970	1,247	1,613	2,860	
% Having flu shots in 2003, Aged 65-74	52.3	55.8	54.2	55.6 (52.8-58.3)	59.3 (56.9-61.7)	57.7 (55.8-59.5)	1.06 H
# of seniors (75+) having contact with the health care system in 3 years (2001-2003)	80,361	124,685	205,046	1,740	2,894	4,634	
% Having flu shots in 2003, Aged 75+	47.5	48.2	47.9	48.7 (46.3-51.0)	49.0 (47.2-50.9)	48.9 (47.5-50.3)	1.02 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.

Dash (-) Due to very small sample size, numbers were suppressed completely.

^a Data source: Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-term Care (MOHLTC) physician and laboratory claims. Does not include data from the Ontario Breast Screening Program (OBSP), Community Health Centres (CHCs), Toronto Public Health immunization clinics, or privately-sponsored immunization clinics.

** Rate ratios were created by dividing the local area rate for all ages by the City of Toronto aggregate rate.

For information about definitions, data quality & limitations, and selection & preparation of variables, please go to <http://www.torontohealthprofiles.ca/aboutTheData.php>