

When it comes to top priorities for change in Canada's healthcare system, people are much more likely to prefer recruiting more healthcare workers over investing more money in public healthcare or allowing private corporations to charge people for healthcare services.



The research gauged the habits and views of Canadians related to healthcare including whether they or an immediate member of their family have been unable to get urgent medical care, have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable, and whether they have sought care outside of Canada and paid out of pocket for those services. Questions were also asked on the top priority for change in Canada's healthcare system, as well as support for increasing taxes if funds were guaranteed to be spent on public healthcare.

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,021 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between December 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 as part of an omnibus survey. The margin of error for this survey is  $\pm 3.1$  percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

This study was commissioned by CTV News and the research was conducted by Nanos Research.

# Key Findings

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## CANADIANS PREFER RECRUITING MORE HEALTHCARE WORKERS AS A PRIORITY FOR CHANGE

When asked about what should be the top priority for change in Canada's healthcare system, Canadians are much more likely to prefer recruiting more healthcare workers as the top priority ([53%](#)) over investing more money in the public healthcare system ([28%](#)) and allowing private corporations to charge people for healthcare services ([14%](#)).

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## A MAJORITY OF CANADIANS SUPPORT OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT INCREASING TAXES IF THE FUNDS WERE GUARANTEED FOR PUBLIC HEALTHCARE

Six in ten Canadians support ([24%](#)) or somewhat support ([36%](#)) increasing taxes if the funds were guaranteed to go towards public healthcare. Residents of Ontario are more likely to say they support increased taxes ([29%](#)) than residents of Quebec ([13%](#)).

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## ONE IN FOUR CANADIANS REPORT AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER OR THEMSELVES BEING UNABLE TO SEE A DOCTOR OR GET MEDICAL CARE

One in four Canadian reports that they have not been able to see a doctor or get urgent care ([13%](#)) or has an immediate family member who has been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care ([12%](#)). Over two in five ([44%](#)) Canadians report that neither they nor an immediate family member have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care, while [30 per cent](#) did not seek care.

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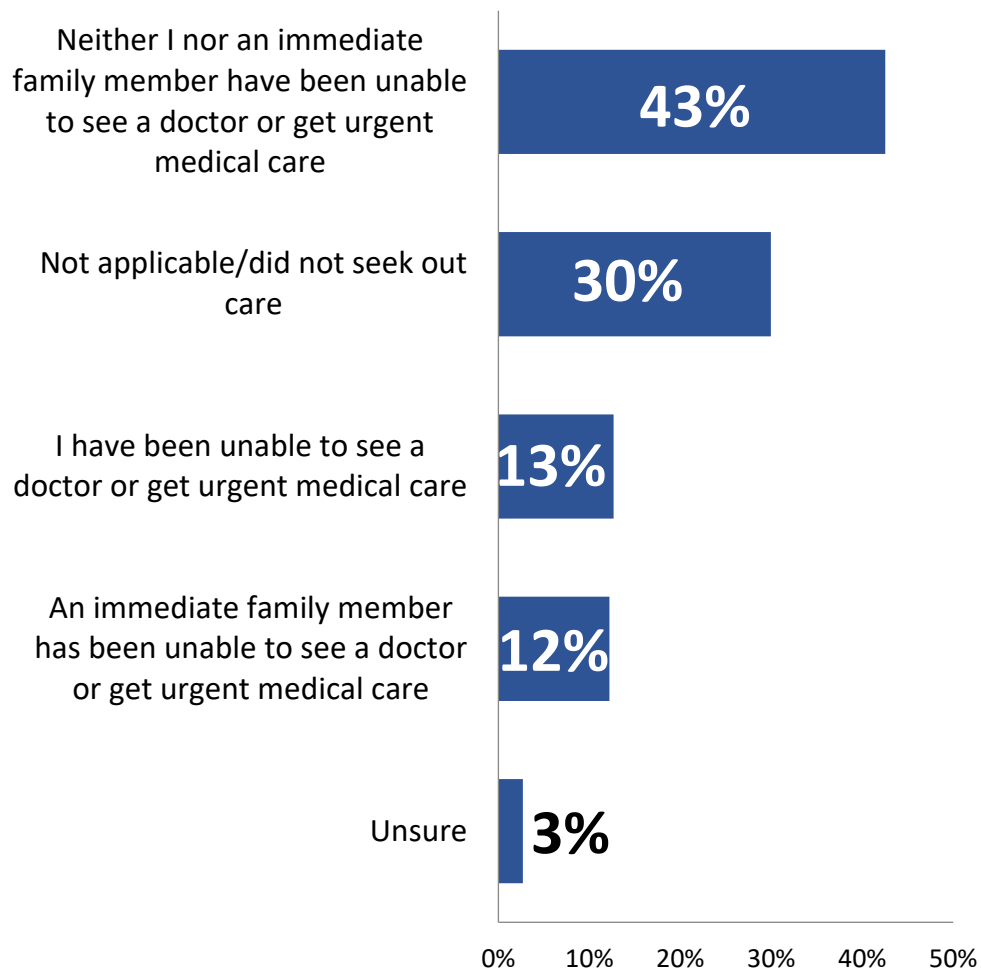
## ABOUT ONE IN SEVEN CANADIANS REPORT EXPERIENCING HOSPITAL SERVICES BEING CLOSED FOR THEMSELVES OR A FAMILY MEMBER

Although a majority of Canadians report that neither they or an immediate family member have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable ([50%](#)), over one in ten Canadians say that either they have ([6%](#)) or an immediate family member has ([8%](#)) experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable. One in three reports that they did not seek care ([34%](#)).

# Experience with being unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care

Over **2 in 5** Canadians

Report that neither they or an immediate family member have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care, whereas one in four has not been able to see a doctor or get urgent care themselves (13%) or has an immediate family member who has been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care (12%) in the last three months.



\*Weighted to the true population proportion.

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Q – Our next few questions are about healthcare in Canada. In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care? (Select all that apply)

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1050, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.



# Experience with being unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care by demographics

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care? (Select all that apply)

I have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care				
Atlantic (n=107)	Quebec (n=208)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=212)	BC (n=163)
<b>13.8%</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>12.0%</b>	<b>9.0%</b>	<b>14.9%</b>
Men (n=535)	Women (n=513)	18 to 34 (n=240)	35 to 54 (n=369)	55 plus (n=441)
<b>9.8%</b>	<b>15.4%</b>	<b>15.2%</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>9.2%</b>
An immediate family member has been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care				
Atlantic (n=107)	Quebec (n=208)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=212)	BC (n=163)
<b>14.8%</b>	<b>10.3%</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>12.6%</b>	<b>17.6%</b>
Men (n=535)	Women (n=513)	18 to 34 (n=240)	35 to 54 (n=369)	55 plus (n=441)
<b>9.7%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>18.3%</b>	<b>14.2%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1050, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# Experience with being unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care by demographics

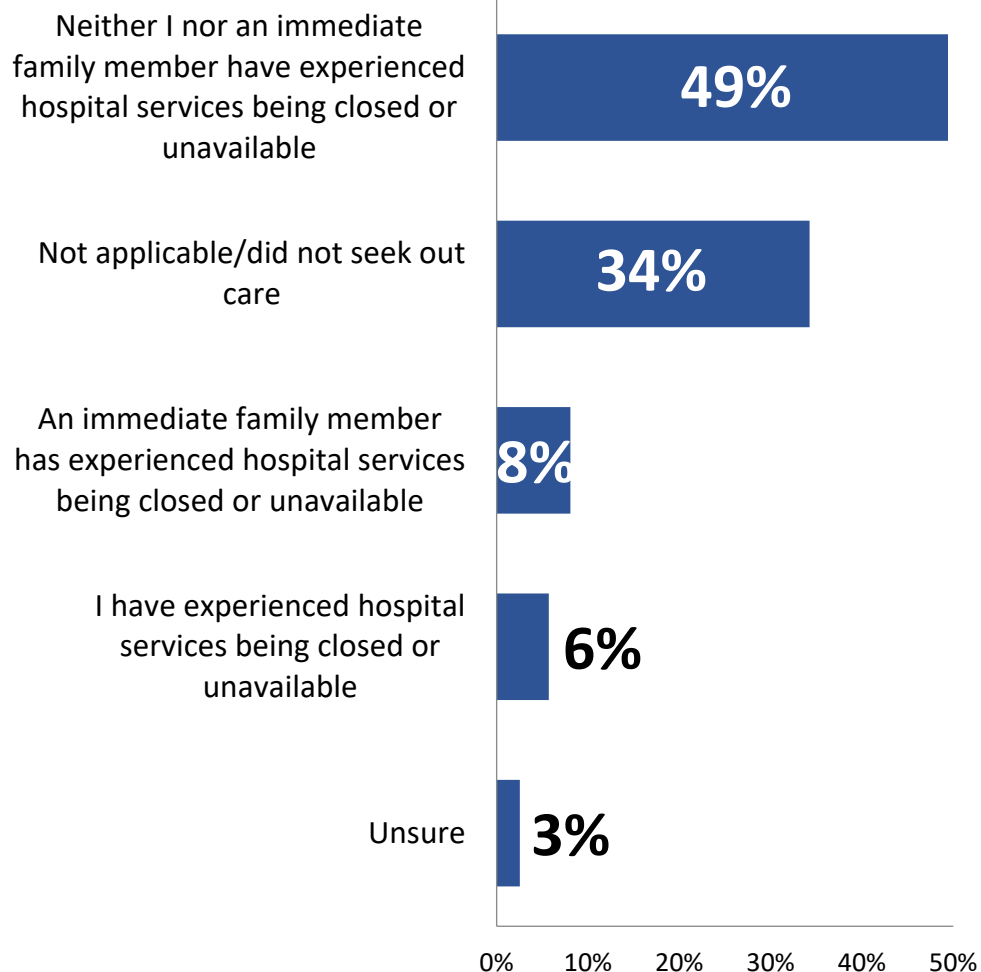
Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care? (Select all that apply)

Neither I nor an immediate family member have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care				
Atlantic (n=107)	Quebec (n=208)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=212)	BC (n=163)
<b>43.2%</b>	<b>27.0%</b>	<b>51.1%</b>	<b>42.1%</b>	<b>43.7%</b>
Men (n=535)	Women (n=513)	18 to 34 (n=240)	35 to 54 (n=369)	55 plus (n=441)
<b>48.2%</b>	<b>37.1%</b>	<b>35.5%</b>	<b>42.7%</b>	<b>47.0%</b>
Not applicable/did not seek out care				
Atlantic (n=107)	Quebec (n=208)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=212)	BC (n=163)
<b>25.6%</b>	<b>43.8%</b>	<b>23.4%</b>	<b>34.7%</b>	<b>21.9%</b>
Men (n=535)	Women (n=513)	18 to 34 (n=240)	35 to 54 (n=369)	55 plus (n=441)
<b>29.7%</b>	<b>30.3%</b>	<b>29.0%</b>	<b>25.3%</b>	<b>34.3%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1050, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# Experience with hospital services being closed or unavailable

Although Canadians most often report that neither they or an immediate family member have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable (49%), about one in seven say that either they have (6%) or an immediate family member has (8%) experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable. One in three Canadians say that they did not seek care (34%)



\*Weighted to the true population proportion.

\*Charts may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable?

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1029, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# Experience with hospital services being closed or unavailable by demographics

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable?

I have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable				
Atlantic (n=104)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=353)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=159)
<b>5.3%</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>5.6%</b>
Men (n=528)	Women (n=499)	18 to 34 (n=236)	35 to 54 (n=358)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>5.2%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
An immediate family member has experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable				
Atlantic (n=104)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=353)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=159)
<b>12.8%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	<b>9.2%</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>7.0%</b>
Men (n=528)	Women (n=499)	18 to 34 (n=236)	35 to 54 (n=358)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>7.9%</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>14.3%</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1029, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.



# Experience with hospital services being closed or unavailable by demographics

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable?

Neither I nor an immediate family member have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable				
Atlantic (n=104)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=353)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=159)
<b>45.3%</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>46.1%</b>	<b>55.3%</b>
Men (n=528)	Women (n=499)	18 to 34 (n=236)	35 to 54 (n=358)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>52.3%</b>	<b>46.7%</b>	<b>40.6%</b>	<b>48.3%</b>	<b>56.2%</b>
Not applicable/did not seek out care				
Atlantic (n=104)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=353)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=159)
<b>31.7%</b>	<b>34.5%</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>41.7%</b>	<b>28.6%</b>
Men (n=528)	Women (n=499)	18 to 34 (n=236)	35 to 54 (n=358)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>32.8%</b>	<b>35.8%</b>	<b>34.5%</b>	<b>33.2%</b>	<b>34.9%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1029, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

Neither I nor an immediate family member have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services

**97%**

An immediate family member has gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services

**1%**

I have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services

**1%**

Unsure

**1%**

0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

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# Experience with going outside of Canada to receive healthcare and paying out of pocket for services

Very few Canadians (1%) or an immediate family member (1%) have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services.

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services because the wait in Canada was too long?

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1022, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# Lack of ability to see a doctor or get urgent medical care by demographics

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services because the wait in Canada was too long?

I have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services				
Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=157)
-	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>
Men (n=524)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
An immediate family member has gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services				
Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=157)
-	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
Men (n=524)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>1.7%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1022, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# Lack of ability to see a doctor or get urgent medical care by demographics

Q – In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services because the wait in Canada was too long?

**Neither I nor an immediate family member have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services**

Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=157)
<b>96.4%</b>	<b>98.1%</b>	<b>96.9%</b>	<b>95.5%</b>	<b>95.6%</b>
Men (n=524)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>96.4%</b>	<b>97.2%</b>	<b>94.8%</b>	<b>95.5%</b>	<b>98.9%</b>

## Unsure

Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=206)	BC (n=157)
<b>3.6%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Men (n=524)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
<b>1.3%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1022, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.



# Preferred top priority for change in Canada’s healthcare system

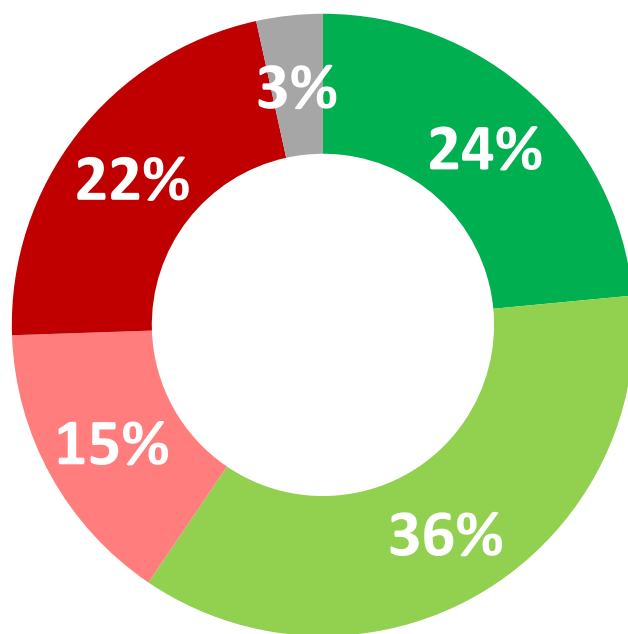
Q – What should be the top priority for change in Canada’s healthcare system? (Select one) [RANDOMIZE]



- Recruiting more healthcare workers (doctors, nurses and staff)
- Investing more money in the public healthcare system
- Allowing private corporations to charge people for healthcare services
- Unsure

Recruiting more healthcare workers	Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=205)	BC (n=157)	Investing more money in the public healthcare system	Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=205)	BC (n=157)
	68.9%	55.0%	49.4%	50.6%	55.2%		21.2%	22.6%	35.3%	27.5%	24.2%
	Men (n=523)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)		Men (n=523)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
	51.3%	54.7%	45.4%	52.1%	58.6%		26.2%	30.6%	31.2%	29.9%	25.7%

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- Support
- Somewhat support
- Somewhat oppose
- Oppose
- Unsure

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## Support for increasing taxes if the funds were guaranteed for public healthcare

Support/ Somewhat support	Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=205)	BC (n=157)
	59.0%	50.3%	67.0%	51.4%	64.1%
	Men (n=523)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
57.8%	61.0%	52.1%	52.5%	69.7%	
Oppose/ Somewhat oppose	Atlantic (n=102)	Quebec (n=207)	Ontario (n=350)	Prairies (n=205)	BC (n=157)
	38.4%	44.2%	31.0%	44.9%	31.6%
	Men (n=523)	Women (n=496)	18 to 34 (n=230)	35 to 54 (n=356)	55 plus (n=435)
40.7%	33.7%	43.3%	43.4%	28.0%	

Q – Do you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose increasing taxes if the funds were guaranteed to be spent on public health care?

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, December 19<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, n=1021, accurate 3.1 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

# METHODOLOGY

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,021 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between December 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 as part of an omnibus survey. Participants were randomly recruited by telephone using live agents and administered a survey online. The sample included both land- and cell-lines across Canada. The results were statistically checked and weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada.

Individuals randomly called using random digit dialling with a maximum of five call backs.

The margin of error for this survey is  $\pm 3.1$  percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

This study was commissioned by CTV News and the research was conducted by Nanos Research.

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Element	Description
Research sponsor	CTV News
Population and Final Sample Size	1021 Randomly selected individuals.
Source of Sample	Nanos Probability Panel
Type of Sample	Probability
Margin of Error	±3.1 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.
Mode of Survey	RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online omnibus survey
Sampling Method Base	The sample included both land- and cell-lines RDD (Random Digit Dialed) across Canada.
Demographics (Captured)	Atlantic Canada, Quebec, Ontario, Prairies, British Columbia; Men and Women; 18 years and older. Six digit postal code was used to validate geography.
Fieldwork/Validation	Individuals were recruited using live interviews with live supervision to validate work, the research questions were administered online
Number of Calls	Maximum of five call backs to those recruited.
Time of Calls	Individuals recruited were called between 12-5:30 pm and 6:30-9:30pm local time for the respondent.
Field Dates	December 19 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 2022.
Language of Survey	The survey was conducted in both English and French.
Standards	Nanos Research is a member of the Canadian Research Insights Council (CRIC) and confirms that this research fully complies with all CRIC Standards including the CRIC Public Opinion Research Standards and Disclosure Requirements. <a href="https://canadianresearchinsightscouncil.ca/standards/">https://canadianresearchinsightscouncil.ca/standards/</a>

Element	Description
Weighting of Data	The results were weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to ensure a distribution across all regions of Canada. See tables for full weighting disclosure
Screening	Screening ensured potential respondents did not work in the market research industry, in the advertising industry, in the media or a political party prior to administering the survey to ensure the integrity of the data.
Excluded Demographics	Individuals younger than 18 years old; individuals without land or cell lines, and individuals without internet access could not participate.
Stratification	By age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada. Smaller areas such as Atlantic Canada were marginally oversampled to allow for a minimum regional sample.
Estimated Response Rate	12 percent, consistent with industry norms.
Question Order	Question order in the preceding report reflects the order in which they appeared in the original questionnaire.
Question Content	Topics on the omnibus ahead of the survey content included: views on political issues, views on economic issues.
Question Wording	The questions in the preceding report are written exactly as they were asked to individuals.
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# TABULATIONS





**2022-2280 – CTV/Nanos Survey – December Omni - STAT SHEET**

			Region						Gender			Age		
			Canada 2022-12	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Prairies	British Columbia	Male	Female	Other	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 plus
Question - Our next few questions are about healthcare in Canada. In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care? (Select all that apply)	Total	Unwgt N	1050	107	208	360	212	163	535	513	2	240	369	441
		Wgt N	1033	71	233	401	182	146	501	530	2	279	336	418
	I have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care	%	12.7	13.8	14.9	12.0	9.0	14.9	9.8	15.4		15.2	14.9	9.2
	An immediate family member has been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care	%	12.2	14.8	10.3	10.7	12.6	17.6	9.7	14.5		18.3	14.2	6.6
	Neither I nor an immediate family member have been unable to see a doctor or get urgent medical care	%	42.5	43.2	27.0	51.1	42.1	43.7	48.2	37.1		35.5	42.7	47.0
	Unsure	%	2.7	2.5	4.0	2.7	1.7	1.8	2.7	2.7		2.0	3.0	2.9
	Not applicable/did not seek out care	%	29.9	25.6	43.8	23.4	34.7	21.9	29.7	30.3		29.0	25.3	34.3

\*Values are based on the proportion an activity represents of all response options (columns add up to 100%).

\*\*Multifrequency tab based on multiple responses

			Region						Gender			Age		
			Canada 2022-12	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Prairies	British Columbia	Male	Female	Other	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 plus
Question - In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable? (Select all that apply)	Total	Unwgt N	1029	104	207	353	206	159	528	499	2	236	358	435
		Wgt N	1010	69	231	393	176	141	495	513	2	274	324	411
	I have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable	%	5.7	5.3	7.0	6.3	3.1	5.6	5.2	6.2		7.5	7.4	3.2
	An immediate family member has experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable	%	8.1	12.8	5.3	9.2	8.2	7.0	7.9	8.1		14.3	8.3	3.7
	Neither I nor an immediate family member have experienced hospital services being closed or unavailable	%	49.4	45.3	51.3	48.4	46.1	55.3	52.3	46.7		40.6	48.3	56.2
	Unsure	%	2.5	4.9	2.0	2.8	0.9	3.5	1.9	3.2		3.1	2.9	1.8
	Not applicable/did not seek out care	%	34.3	31.7	34.5	33.3	41.7	28.6	32.8	35.8		34.5	33.2	34.9

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\*\*Multifrequency tab based on multiple responses

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell- lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,021 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between December 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022. The margin of error for this survey is  $\pm 3.1$  percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

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			Region						Gender			Age		
			Canada 2022-12	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Prairies	British Columbia	Male	Female	Other	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 plus
Question - In the last three months, have you or a member of your immediate family gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services because the wait in Canada was too long? (Select all that apply)	Total	Unwgt N	1022	102	207	350	206	157	524	496	2	230	357	435
		Wgt N	1003	68	231	389	176	139	491	510	2	268	324	411
	I have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services	%	0.9	0.0	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.8	0.9		1.2	1.0	0.6
	An immediate family member has gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services	%	1.3	0.0	0.4	1.3	1.5	3.2	1.7	0.9		2.1	1.9	0.2
	Neither I nor an immediate family member have gone outside of Canada specifically to receive healthcare and paid out of pocket for the services	%	96.7	96.4	98.1	96.9	95.5	95.6	96.2	97.2		94.8	95.5	98.9
	Unsure	%	1.1	3.6	0.8	0.9	2.0	0.0	1.3	0.9		1.9	1.6	0.3

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			Region						Gender			Age		
			Canada 2022-12	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Prairies	British Columbia	Male	Female	Other	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 plus
Question - What should be the top priority for change in Canada's healthcare system? (Select one) [RANDOMIZE]	Total	Unwgt N	1021	102	207	350	205	157	523	496	2	230	356	435
		Wgt N	1002	68	231	389	175	139	490	510	2	268	323	411
	Recruiting more healthcare workers (doctors, nurses and staff)	%	53.0	68.9	55.0	49.4	50.6	55.2	51.3	54.7		45.4	52.1	58.6
	Allowing private corporations to charge people for healthcare services	%	13.7	8.1	14.3	11.9	17.3	15.8	17.3	10.3		19.4	12.8	10.7
	Investing more money in the public healthcare system	%	28.5	21.2	22.6	35.3	27.5	24.2	26.2	30.6		31.2	29.9	25.7
	Unsure	%	4.8	1.8	8.1	3.4	4.7	4.9	5.3	4.4		3.9	5.3	5.0

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			Region						Gender			Age		
			Canada 2022-12	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Prairies	British Columbia	Male	Female	Other	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 plus
Question - Do you support, somewhat oppose or oppose increasing taxes if the funds were guaranteed to be spent on public health care?	Total	Unwgt N	1021	102	207	350	205	157	523	496	2	230	356	435
		Wgt N	1002	68	231	389	175	139	490	510	2	268	323	411
	Support	%	23.5	22.4	12.5	29.0	22.1	28.7	24.9	21.8		23.1	18.1	27.9
	Somewhat support	%	36.0	36.6	37.8	38.0	29.3	35.4	32.8	39.1		28.9	34.4	41.8
	Somewhat oppose	%	15.0	16.7	22.3	10.0	17.8	12.6	15.6	14.5		17.3	14.9	13.6
	Oppose	%	22.1	21.7	21.9	21.1	27.1	19.1	25.2	19.2		26.1	28.6	14.4
	Unsure	%	3.4	2.6	5.5	2.0	3.7	4.3	1.5	5.3		4.6	4.0	2.2