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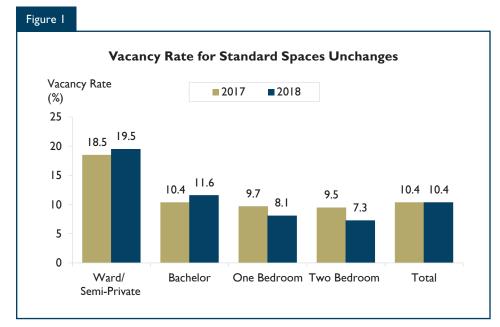


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Highlights

- The vacancy rate for standard spaces remained unchanged at 10.4%. The vacancy rate for total spaces dropped to a record low of 9.9% from 10.3% last year.
- Total supply grew by 3,500 spaces, the most since 2001.
- The average rent for a standard space increased by 2.6% to \$3,618.



Source: CMHC Seniors' Housing Survey

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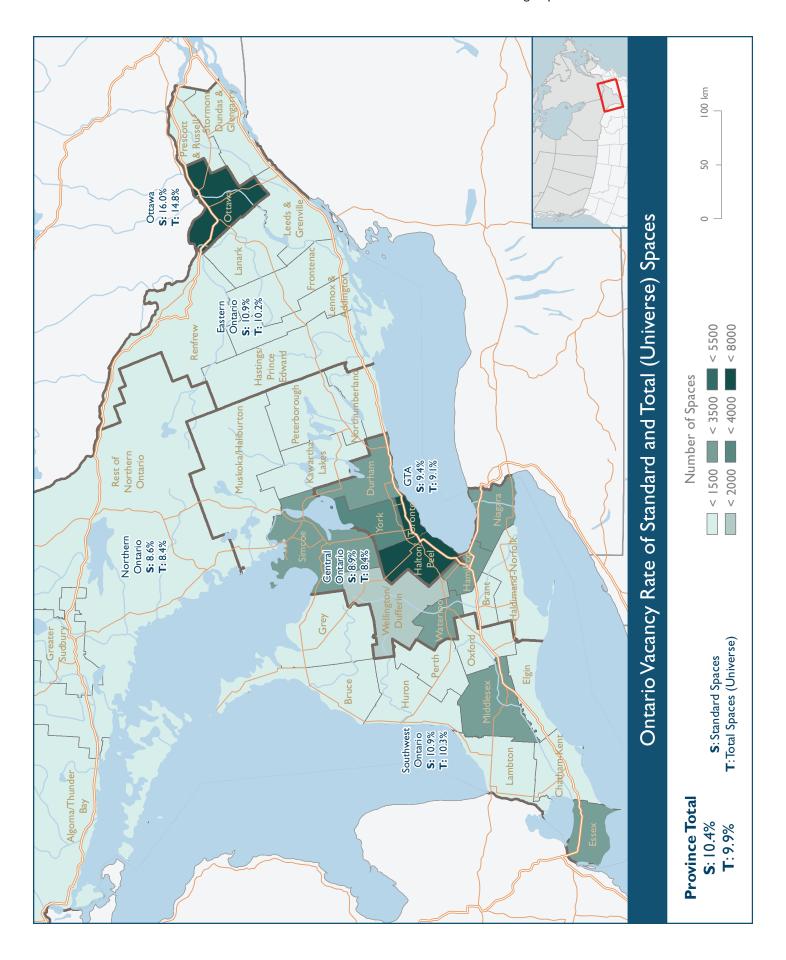
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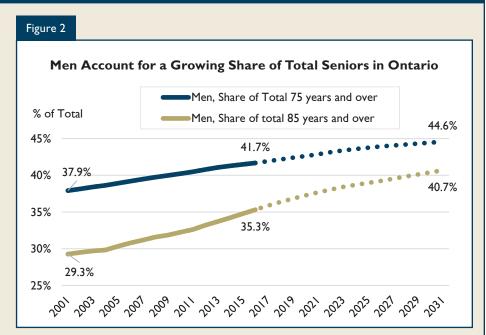


Spotlight on...

Seniors' Demographic Trends and Their Impacts on Seniors' Housing Demand

Men have seen their average life expectancy grow faster than women and as such, are accounting for a growing share of the population aged 75 years and over as well as 85 years and over in Ontario (Figure 2). During 2011-2016, men captured almost half, 49.7%, of the total increase in the population aged 75 years and over in Ontario, and 46.1% of the increase in the population aged 85 years and over.

This demographic trend reduced the likelihood of seniors living alone. According to census data, one-person households accounted for 45.8% of total households aged 75 years and over in 2016, down from 47.3% in 2011. Furthermore, the gains in life expectancy led to seniors delaying their entry into the residential care market thanks to their improved health.



Source: Statistics Canada, Table 051-0062 Estimates of Population by Census Division Ontario Ministry of Finance, Ontario Population Projections Update, 2016-2041

The growth in demand for seniors' housing has been driven by older seniors aged 85 years and over. From 2011 to 2016, this age group captured all the growth in demand for seniors' residences, excluding residences that only provide

extended health care services, such as long-term care homes (Table I). Also, men were less inclined to live in seniors' housing compared to women in Ontario, although the gaps have been closing!.

Statistics Canada, Type of Collective Dwelling, Age and Sex for the Population in Collective Dwellings of Canada, Provinces and Territories, 2011 and 2016 Census

Spotlight on... (con't)

Table I

Seniors' Population and Seniors Living in Residences for Seniors² and Facilities That are a Mix of Both a Nursing Home and a Residence for Seniors³ in Ontario during 2011-2016 by Age

<u> </u>				<u> </u>	, ,		
	7	5-84 years ol	d	85 years and over			
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
Population in 2011	628,006	273,676	354,330	246,442	80,389	166,053	
Population in 2016	695,863	309,641	386,222	308,018	108,759	199,259	
Change in Population	67,857	35,965	31,892	61,576	28,370	33,206	
Residents in 2011*	20,715	6,070	14,645	30,820	7,095	23,720	
Residents in 2016	18,055	5,705	12,345	42,490	11,085	31,400	
Changes in Residents	-2,630	-875	-1,750	11,670	3,990	7,680	
Change in Residents/Change in Population	-3.9%	-2.4%	-5.5%	19.0%	14.1%	23.1%	
Residents/Population-2011	3.3%	2.2%	4.1%	12.5%	8.8%	14.3%	
Residents/Population-2016	2.6%	1.8%	3.2%	13.8%	10.2%	15.8%	

Source: Statistics Canada, Type of Collective Dwelling, Age and Sex for the Population in Collective Dwellings of Canada, Provinces and Territories, 2011 and 2016 Census.

^{*}Total residents living in facilities providing a mix of services of nursing home and residence for seniors in 2011 are estimated.

² Residences for seniors refer to residences that provide support services or assisted living services (meals, laundry, supervision of medication, assistance bathing or dressing, etc.), but no extended healthcare services. Residents are independent in most activities of daily living.

³ Facilities that are a mix of both a nursing home and a residence for seniors refer to residences that provided extended health care services to some residents, but only support services or assisted living services to other residents.

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Ottawa - West	Former municipalities of West Carleton, Goulbourn, Rideau, Kanata, Nepean and western portion of former city of Ottawa bounded by Bronson and Rideau River (east).										
Ottawa - Central	Central portion of former city of Ottawa, bounded by Ottawa River (north), Bronson (west), Rideau River (south and east).										
Ottawa - East	Former municipalities of Gloucester, Cumberland, Osgoode, Rockliffe Park, Vanier and eastern portion of the former city of Ottawa bounded by Rideau River (west).										

	I.I Vacanc	y Rates		andard : tario	Spaces b	y Unit ⁻	Гуре			
Centre	Semi Pr Wa		Private/		One Be	droom	Two Bed	Iroom +	То	tal
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018
Toronto GTA	22.7 a	25.3 d	10.8 a	11.8 a	9.3 a	6.9 a	7.9 a	6.6 a	10.1 a	9.4
Toronto	22.3 d	**	11.2 a	15.4 a	8.3 a	5.9 a	9.0 b	3.8 с	9.9 a	11.6
East York / York City	**	**	19.3 a	44.5 a	**	25.0 a	**	**	21.8 a	40.3
Etobicoke	**	**	3.0 d	7.6 c	9.5 €	5.0 ∈	**	**	7.1 c	6.0
North York	**	**	8.4 a	11.0 a	6.2 b	6.3 b	6.1 c	3.8 d	7.2 a	8.6
Scarborough	**	**	6.3 c	13.5 d	7.7 c	**	**	**	7.0 b	17.4
Former City of Toronto	**	**	14.9 a	11.6 a	8.0 a	5.0 a	5.6 d	2.0 a	10.7 a	7.6
Durham	**	**	7.6 b	6.7 b	9.3 a	2.9 b	5.7 c	8.6 c	8.5 a	5.4
Halton	**	**	10.5 a	9.8 a	9.8 a	9.6 a	7.3 b	7.4 a	10.5 a	9.3
Peel	**	24.1 d	16.3 a	13.2 a	10.8 a	11.0 a	7.1 b	8.5 b	12.9 a	11.9
York	**	**	8.3 a	8.6 a	9.5 a	4.4 b	8.6 b	6.8 c	9.2 a	6.2
Central Ontario	19.4 a	15.9 a	9.7 a	9.5 a	10.0 a	6.4 a	10.7 c	9.8 c	10.3 a	8.9
Brant	**	0.0 a	9.7 b	6.8 a	7.6 b	7.5 a	**	**	8.3 b	6.6
Haldimand-Norfolk	**	**	7.9 b	**	**	**	**	**	8.3 b	7.0
Hamilton	8.6 €	**	13.2 a	11.7 a	8.7 b	8.0 b	11.8 d	**	11.8 a	11.0
Former City of Hamilton	9.3 €	**	12.1 a	9.8 b	8.2 €	**	**	**	11.3 a	10.7
Rest of Hamilton	**	**	14.9 a	15.2 a	9.0 a	8.0 b	**	**	12.3 a	11.4
Kawartha Lakes	**	**	7.1 a	12.6 c	**	**	**	**	15.2 a	15.8
Muskoka	**	**	17.4 a	II.I a	12.0 c	5.9 с	**	**	15.8 a	9.7
Niagara	**	**	7.4 b	7.4 c	7.2 b	7.5 c	**	**	7.9 a	7.6
Niagara Falls	**	**	5.8 a	3.6 €	5.8 a	**	**	**	7.8 a	2.4
St. Catharines	**	**	7.8 c	**	**	**	**	**	6.0 c	**
Rest of Niagara	**	**	7.9 b	6.3 b	9.9 b	8.9 c	**	**	8.9 b	7.4
Northumberland	**	**	4.0 c	12.3 a	3.4 c	4.7 b	**	3.6 d	3.6 c	8.0
Peterborough	**	**	7.1 c	10.7 d	**	5.6 d	**	**	7.2 c	8.6
Simcoe	21.6 d	18.6 d	9.4 a	8.5 a	9.6 b	2.6 b	**	**	10.4 a	7.7
Barrie	**	**	10.8 c	7.0 a	**	1.8 b	**	**	12.6 c	5.5
Rest of Simcoe	**	27.4 d	8.5 b	9.3 b	10.2 c	3.1 c	**	**	9.2 a	8.9
Waterloo	19.6 d	19.7 d	9.3 a	10.0 a	17.9 a	7.8 b	15.1 d	11.8 d	13.1 a	10.1
Cambridge	**	**	9.5 a	8.9 a	**	**	**	**	10.0 a	8.9
Kitchener	**	**	6.9 b	9.2 b	10.5 d	**	**	**	8.7 b	9.8
Rest of Waterloo	**	**	13.4 c	11.9 с	24.9 a	9.6 b	17.8 d	13.3 d	19.1 a	11.1
Wellington/Dufferin	19.0 d	**	12.5 c	9.0 b	10.0 b	5.5 b	**	**	11.9 a	7.8
Guelph	**	**	12.5 c	7.7 c	13.7 c	4.3 d	**	**	12.6 c	6.8
Rest of Wellington/Dufferin	29.4 d	**	12.5 a	10.6 c	5.7 b	6.8 b	5.3 d	**	11.0 a	9.0
Ottawa	**	18.5 d	13.1 a	18.2 a	11.3 a	13.4 a	10.8 c	9.6 b	12.5 a	16.0
Ottawa - Central	**	**	**	32.8 a	**	**	**	**	**	30.2
Ottawa - East	**	**	11.2 a	15.0 a	12.0 a	7.3 b	6.8 c	**	11.3 a	11.6
Ottawa - West	**	20.0 d	13.0 a	19.1 a	10.2 c	15.0 a	12.5 d	12.6 c	12.1 a	17.4

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	I.I Vacanc	y naces	` ′	anuaru tario	opaces i	,, Ollic	туре				
Centre		Semi Private & Ward		Private/Studio		One Bedroom		Two Bedroom +		Total	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	
Eastern Ontario	15.7 d	18.0 d	9.4 a	10.5 a	10.1 a	10.6 a	7.2 b	9.2 b	9.9 a	10.9	
Frontenac	**	**	6.9 c	15.7 a	9.4 b	12.6 a	**	16.4 d	8.2 b	14.2	
Hastings/Prince Edward	**	**	4.4 c	10.3 c	8.3 b	3.7 d	**	**	5.7 b	9.1	
Lanark	**	**	7.3 b	5.3 с	10.2 a	*ok	**	**	9.9 a	7.9	
Leeds & Grenville	**	5.6 d	9.3 b	9.1 a	**	3.1 c	**	**	10.2 c	8.1 a	
Lennox & Addington	**	**	3.8 a	5.7 d	**	**	**	**	4.3 a	5.8	
Prescott & Russell	**	**	10.9 c	11.3 с	**	**	**	**	10.5 с	11.2	
Renfrew	**	**	11.9 a	7.8 b	12.2 c	10.4 c	**	**	11.8 a	8.7	
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	**	**	14.7 c	17.7 a	14.0 c	13.8 a	**	**	14.6 a	17.7 a	
Southwest Ontario	13.8 a	20.6 d	10.3 a	12.2 a	9.5 a	8.5 a	7.6 b	5.3 b	10.0 a	10.9	
Bruce	**	**	9.7 b	3.8 d	13.1 c	10.3 d	**	**	10.7 c	6.1	
Elgin	**	**	11.3 a	6.3 €	**	**	**	**	17.1 a	8.1	
Essex	2.4 a	**	12.4 a	11.4 c	9.1 a	9.9 a	9.2 b	6.3 с	10.3 a	10.5 a	
Windsor	**	**	14.9 a	16.0 d	13.6 a	8.3 c	**	**	13.5 a	11.4	
Leamington/Kingsville	**	**	7.5 a	5.9 c	**	**	**	**	7.1 a	9.3	
Rest of Essex	5.5 a	**	10.6 a	**	**	10.0 c	**	**	6.6 a	9.7	
Grey	**	**	5.0 c	7.7 a	2.4 c	10.7 a	**	**	4.2 c	8.9 a	
Huron	**	**	25.7 d	**	**	**	**	**	**	24.7	
Chatham-Kent	**	**	8.0 b	15.8 a	14.1 d	7.0 b	**	**	9.7 b	15.5 a	
Lambton	**	**	6.9 b	5.1 b	**	4.0 c	**	**	5.1 b	4.3	
Middlesex	**	**	11.2 a	12.6 a	8.0 a	7.2 a	8.2 b	3.9 с	9.4 a	9.1 a	
Oxford	**	**	6.7 b	19.0 a	10.9 c	8.4 a	**	**	9.0 b	15.4	
Perth	18.5 d	**	8.7 a	**	**	**	**	**	8.5 a	9.9	
Northern Ontario	17.0 d	**	9.1 a	8.2 a	9.6 a	10.0 a	28.0 a	**	10.3 a	8.6	
Algoma/Thunder Bay	**	II.I a	9.7 b	11.0 a	10.0 с	15.4 a	**	**	9.6 a	12.6 a	
Greater Sudbury	**	**	**	**	1.2 a	**	**	**	2.1 a	**	
Rest of Northern Ontario	**	**	14.3 a	10.8 с	18.4 a	**	50.0 a	**	18.5 a	10.2	
Ontario	18.5 a	19.5 a	10.4 a	11.6 a	9.7 a	8.1 a	9.5 a	7.3 a	10.4 a	10.4	

The following units are excluded from the table above: non-market/subsidy units; respite units; and, units where an extra charge is paid for Heavy-care (1½ hours or more of care).

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	2 Vacanc	y Rate	s of Sta	ındard	Spaces	s (%) by	/ Rent l	Range	(\$)			
				Onta	irio							
Centre	\$2,500	or Less	\$2,500	- \$2,999	\$3,000	- \$3,499	\$3,500 - \$3,999		\$4,000 or More		Total Spaces Where Rents are Known	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018
Toronto GTA	20.4 a	19.0 a	14.1 a	19.6 a	10.3 a	10.7 a	9.9 a	12.3 a	8.5 a	5.9 a	10.1 a	9.4 a
Toronto	20.6 a	15.3 a	13.3 a	22.5 a	9.6 b	12.0 a	5.3 b	17.7 a	8.0 a	5.8 a	9.9 a	11.6 a
East York / York City	55.5 a	35.7 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	13.9 a	32.3 a	21.8 a	40.3 a
Etobicoke	**	**	**	**	**	*ok	**	**	**	4.6 b	7.1 c	6.0 b
North York	**	**	**	**	13.3 c	12.0 d	4.4 c	16.3 d	6.8 a	5.8 b	7.2 a	8.6 a
Scarborough	**	**	**	26.0 d	8.7 c	**	**	**	5.7 d	**	7.0 b	17.4 d
Former City of Toronto	14.4 c	9.2 a	21.4 d	19.4 a	11.0 c	10.5 a	12.2 c	9.6 a	7.5 a	3.4 a	10.7 a	7.6 a
Durham	13.1 d	**	0.7 b	**	12.2 c	8.0 b	8.2 b	0.9 a	7.6 a	3.5 b	8.5 a	5.4 a
Halton	**	**	12.3 c	**	4.0 c	4.1 b	13.6 a	16.0 a	9.6 a	8.7 a	10.3 a	9.3 a
Peel	**	23.5 a	27.3 a	24.5 d	16.6 a	15.5 d	12.9 a	12.3 a	8.3 a	5.1 b	12.9 a	11.9 a
York	**	**	4.1 d	**	8.7 b	12.7 c	10.6 a	4.8 c	8.7 a	5.0 a	9.2 a	6.2 a
Central Ontario	14.8 a	12.1 a	9.2 a	8.6 a	7.4 a	8.8 a	10.2 a	7.7 a	10.6 a	7.4 b	10.3 a	8.9 a
Brant	8.1 c	2.0 a	8.0 b	16.4 a	10.8 c	6.7 a	**	5.3 a	**	9.8 a	8.3 b	6.6 a
Haldimand-Norfolk	*o*	**	7.2 c	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	8.3 b	7.0 c
Hamilton	16.3 a	18.2 d	14.7 a	7.6 b	6.9 b	13.3 с	13.1 a	13.8 c	7.6 b	7.0 b	11.8 a	11.0 a
Former City of Hamilton	15.4 d	19.3 d	14.0 c	6.5 €	4.5 c	12.8 d	9.8 c	**	**	5.3 d	11.3 a	10.7 c
Rest of Hamilton	18.4 a	14.1 d	17.9 d	12.6 c	10.1 c	13.8 c	14.4 a	13.8 с	7.7 b	7.8 b	12.3 a	11.4 a
Kawartha Lakes	**	**	4.2 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	15.2 a	15.8 d
Muskoka	**	**	**	**	**	*ok	22.8 d	**	**	**	15.8 a	9.7 a
Niagara	13.6 с	**	7.4 b	8.5 c	3.5 c	4.2 c	7.2 c	2.5 c	4.8 c	**	7.9 a	7.6 b
Niagara Falls	13.4 a	**	3.1 a	3.4 d	6.0 a	**	**	**	**	**	7.8 a	2.4 b
St. Catharines	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	6.0 ∈	**
Rest of Niagara	13.7 с	4.3 d	6.6 €	13.2 c	2.3 c	4.8 c	**	5.2 d	**	8.9 ∈	8.9 b	7.4 b
Northumberland	5.6 €	9.5 a	2.9 с	8.1 b	**	10.5 a	2.1 c	1.8 c	**	3.4 c	3.6 €	8.0 a
Peterborough	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	7.2 c	8.6
Simcoe	15.5 d	17.3 d	8.6 b	9.1 b	8.0 b	6.5 b	9.9 b	3.8 с	9.6 b	3.8 b	10.4 a	7.7 a
Barrie	**	**	11.9 d	17.3 d	5.7 d	3.4 b	**	2.9 b	**	1.4 a	12.6 c	5.5 a
Rest of Simcoe	9.5 b	19.5 d	7.1 b	6.5 c	11.6 c	8.8 c	7.4 c	4.6 d	10.8 c	5.6 €	9.2 a	8.9 a
Waterloo	13.5 с	16.8 d	П.1 с	14.2 c	12.7 c	7.5 b	11.3 с	6.5 b	16.1 a	8.2 b	13.1 a	10.1 a
Cambridge	**	**	**	8.9 a	9.5 a	8.3 a	**	5.3 a	**	**	10.0 a	8.9 a
Kitchener	10.9 d	16.6 d	7.4 c	13.3 d	6.1 c	6.7 c	**	**	5.9 d	6.8 c	8.7 b	9.8 b
Rest of Waterloo	**	**	23.7 d	18.4 d	23.8 d	**	9.2 b	7.8 c	23.7 a	10.8 d	19.1 a	11.1 c
Wellington/Dufferin	20.6 a	15.8 d	9.6 €	7.8 c	4.6 d	4.7 d	9.3 €	10.2 c	12.7 c	3.5 c	11.9 a	7.8 b
Guelph	**	**	13.4 d	**	**	**	11.7 d	11.4 d	18.0 d	2.2 c	12.6 c	6.8 b
Rest of Wellington/Dufferin	27.1 a	17.1 d	5.6 b	3.0 d	**	**	1.6 c	8.7 c	6.2 b	5.4 c	11.0 a	9.0 b
Ottawa	11.1 c	16.9 a	9.5 b	17.3 a	13.2 a	16.6 a	12.1 c	19.1 a	13.7 a	13.8 a	12.5 a	16.0 a
Ottawa - Central	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	30.2 a
Ottawa - East	7.1 b	14.0 d	8.5 b	22.4 d	14.0 a	11.2 c	6.1 b	12.9 c	14.3 a	6.3 b	11.3 a	11.6 a
Ottawa - West	8.5 c	17.2 d	10.5 d	13.2 c	12.7 c	21.8 a	12.5 c	20.3 a	12.9 a	15.4 a	12.1 a	17.4 a
Ottavra - vvest	0.5	17.2	10.5	13.2	12.7	21.0 d	12.5	20.3 a	12.7 d	13.7 d	12.1 d	Continue

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I.	2 Vacanc	y Rates	of Sta			s (%) by	y Rent l	Range	(\$)			
				Onta	ırio							
Centre	. ,	\$2,500 or Less		\$2,999	\$3,000 - \$3,499		\$3,500 - \$3,999		\$4,000 or M ore		Total Spaces Where Rents are Known	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018
Eastern Ontario	11.1 a	13.3 a	10.2 a	11.9 a	5.8 b	8.6 a	9.3 a	10.2 a	11.2 a	6.8 b	9.9 a	10.9 a
Frontenac	**	**	**	**	5.3 c	19.3 a	10.6 d	15.7 a	8.9 b	6.0 b	8.2 b	14.2 a
Hastings/Prince Edward	3.4 d	12.0 d	4.3 c	12.3 c	2.1 c	4.4 d	1.0 a	**	13.6 c	**	5.7 b	9.1 b
Lanark	16.9 d	**	10.1 c	**	**	**	**	**	13.2 с	**	9.9 a	7.9 c
Leeds & Grenville	9.9 ⊂	8.0 b	**	3.3 d	**	**	15.0 d	9.0 b	**	14.7 a	10.2 c	8.1 a
Lennox & Addington	**	**	0.0 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	4.3 a	5.8 d
Prescott & Russell	8.8 b	12.4 c	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	10.5 с	11.2 c
Renfrew	13.1 a	10.0 c	14.9 a	9.5 b	4.3 b	0.8 d	12.2 c	**	**	**	11.8 a	8.7 a
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	17.8 d	19.4 a	7.9 c	14.0 a	14.8 c	22.2 a	**	16.3 a	**	**	14.6 a	17.7 a
Southwest Ontario	9.4 a	17.5 a	11.0 a	11.5 a	13.0 a	10.2 a	10.2 a	8.8 a	5.3 a	6.2 a	10.0 a	10.9 a
Bruce	8.9 b	**	11.2 c	3.5 d	**	**	**	**	**	**	10.7 c	6.1 c
Elgin	**	8.3 c	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	17.1 a	8.1 b
Essex	9.4 a	16.7 d	16.4 a	13.8 c	9.6 a	9.4 b	9.6 a	9.5 b	5.1 b	5.9 b	10.3 a	10.5 a
Windsor	11.0 с	19.4 d	18.1 a	**	18.7 d	8.6 €	9.1 b	**	11.2 с	**	13.5 a	11.4 c
Leamington/Kingsville	***	**	9.4 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	7.1 a	9.3 b
Rest of Essex	4.3 a	**	**	**	3.3 a	**	**	**	**	**	6.6 a	9.7 a
Grey	8.0 ∈	6.9 a	3.3 d	10.0 a	5.6 d	11.4 a	2.7 с	4.6 a	**	**	4.2 c	8.9 a
Huron	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	24.7 d
Chatham-Kent	10.3 d	26.7 a	8.0 c	14.6 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	9.7 b	15.5 a
Lambton	5.3 €	**	7.2 c	2.1 c	4.7 c	7.2 b	**	**	**	**	5.1 b	4.3 b
Middlesex	3.3 b	13.6 c	7.7 a	4.0 c	15.1 a	15.8 a	11.7 a	9.0 b	5.1 a	4.4 b	9.4 a	9.1 a
Oxford	11.9 c	**	2.5 c	13.0 a	**	3.5 b	**	**	7.4 c	**	9.0 b	15.4 a
Perth	10.7 a	**	8.1 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	8.5 a	9.7 c
Northern Ontario	6.5 a	10.8 a	14.7 a	7.2 c	14.4 a	7.6 b	11.1 c	7.8 c	**	3.6 b	10.3 a	8.7 a
Algoma/Thunder Bay	6.6 b	15.0 a	15.5 d	**	12.2 c	23.3 d	**	**	**	**	9.6 a	13.3 a
Greater Sudbury	1.7 a	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	2.1 a	**
Rest of Northern Ontario	10.2 a	12.5 c	23.3 a	**	38.2 a	**	13.9 a	**	**	**	18.5 a	10.2 c
Ontario	10.2 a	14.1 a	10.8 a	12.0 a	9.8 a	10.5 a	10.3 a	11.0 a	9.5 a	7.3 a	10.4 a	10.4 a
Ontario	12.4 a	14.1 a	10.8	1 2.0 a	7.8 a	10.5 a	10.3 a	11.0 a	7.5 a	7.5 a	10.4 a	10.4 a

The following units are excluded from the table above: non-market/subsidy units; respite units; and, units where an extra charge is paid for Heavy-care (1½ hours or more of care). Second person extra charge is also excluded from the calculation.

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I.3 Vacancy Rates (%) and Average Rents (\$) of Heavy Care Spaces ¹ Ontario										
Centre	Vacancy Ra	te	Average Rent							
	2017	2018	2017	2018						
Toronto GTA	6.7 a	6.0 a	5,350 a	5,172 a						
Toronto	5.0 b	4.8 a	5,696 a	5,485 a						
Durham	**	4.5 d	**	4,737 a						
Halton/Peel	9.0 b	9.5 a	5,039 a	4,909 a						
York	8.8 b	4.8 c	5,351 a	5,145 a						
Central Ontario	8.7 b	4.0 b	4,283 a	4,397 a						
Hamilton	**	**	**	**						
Ottawa	12.0 c	9.1 a	5,127 a	4,719 a						
Eastern Ontario	5.1 d	**	4,242 a	4,467 a						
Southwest Ontario	5.8 с	4.8 b	3,383 a	3,477 a						
Northern Ontario	**	**	**	**						
Ontario	8.2 a	5.8 a	4,767 a	4,653 a						

Non-market heavy care units are excluded from Average Rents, but are included in Vacancy Rate.

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I.4 Universe, Number of Residents Living in Universe and Capture Rate Ontario										
Centre	Total Number of Spaces	Overall Vaca		Number of Residences	Number of Residents	Estimated Population Aged 75+12	Capture Rate ³ (%)			
Toronto GTA	18,887	9.9 a	9.1 a	172	18,617 a	458,714	4.1			
Toronto	6,842		11.0 a	59	6,445 b	217,272	3.0			
East York / York City	727	22.6 a	27.5 a	5	562 a					
Etobicoke	971	6.4 c	5.7 b	9	**					
North York	1,813		8.0 a	15	1,801 b					
Scarborough	1,006		17.9 d	9	**					
Former City of Toronto	2,325		7.3 a	21	2,245 a					
Durham	2,387		5.4 a	24	2,483 b	42,458	5.8			
Halton	2,758		9.0 a	27	2,771 a	40,409	6.9			
Peel	3,179		11.7 a	29	3,064 b	82,005	3.7			
York	3,721	9.1 a	6.0 a	33	3,853 b	76,570	5.0			
Central Ontario	16,488		8.4 a	218	16,218 b	255,279	6.4			
Brant	843		5.9 a	11	824 a	11,206	7.4			
Haldimand-Norfolk	486		6.8 c		**	10,467	**			
Hamilton	2,206		10.6 a	31	2,097 €	44,979	4.7			
Former City of Hamilton	1,252		10.5 c	16	1,185 d	11,272	1.,			
Rest of Hamilton	954		10.7 a	15	**					
Kawartha Lakes	444		15.4 d	6	402 d	8,940	4.5			
Muskoka	531	14.5 a	8.8 a	8	529 c	7,343	7.2			
Haliburton			-	-	-	2,668				
Niagara	2,699		6.9 b	31	**	46,107	**			
Niagara Falls	685		2.2 b	8	703 c	10,107				
St. Catharines	784		**	7	**					
Rest of Niagara	1,230		7.0 b	16	1,231 d					
Northumberland	815		7.8 a	14	810 b	10,670	7.6			
Peterborough	1,135		8.7 c	11	**	14,985	**			
Simcoe	2,768		7.7 a	38	2,737 b	40,943	6.7			
Barrie	1,023		4.8 a	11	1,038 c	10,713	0.7			
Rest of Simcoe	1,745		9.4 a	27	1,699 c					
Waterloo	2,648		9.6 a	32	2,563 b	36,362	7.0			
Cambridge	553		8.3 a	8	552 a	30,382	7.0			
Kitchener	1,123		9.1 b	12	1,067 c					
Rest of Waterloo	972		10.9 c	12	944 d					
Wellington/Dufferin	1,913		7.3 b	25	I,943 c	20,609	9.4			
Guelph	1,068		6.1 b	10	1,094 d	20,009	7.7			
Rest of Wellington/Dufferin	845		8.7 b	15	**					
Ottawa	7,618		14.8 a	70	6,954 b	66,771	10.4			
Ottawa - Central	588		26.7 a	5	456 a	00,771	10.7			
Ottawa - East	2,907		11.0 a	29	2,773 c					
Ottawa - East Ottawa - West	4,123		15.8 a	36	3,726 b					

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I.4 Univer	se, Number of R	esidents L Ont	_	niverse and	Capture Ra	ite	
Centre	Total Number of Spaces	Overall Vac	ancy Rate (%)	Number of Residences	Number of Residents	Estimated Population Aged 75+12	Capture Rate ³ (%)
Eastern Ontario	6,134	9.6	10.2 a	94	5,840 b	81,199	7.2
Frontenac	817	8.1	13.3 a	11	767 c	13,941	5.5
Hastings/Prince Edward	951	5.9	8.9 b	15	**	16,939	**
Lanark	690	9.5 a	7.2 c	10	**	6,770	**
Leeds & Grenville	519	9.5	7.8 a	10	500 a	10,425	4.8
Lennox & Addington	232	3.1 a	5.0 d	5	**	4,085	**
Prescott & Russell	1,203	10.1	9.6 b	19	1,131 c	6,762	16.7
Renfrew	895	11.8 a	8.5 a	12	873 b	10,445	8.4
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	827	14.4	16.7 a	12	739 b	11,832	6.2
Southwest Ontario	9,226	10.3	10.3 a	130	8,918 a	141,394	6.3
Bruce	454	9.7	5.1 c	10	**	7,250	**
Elgin	243	16.7 a	6.7 b	5	**	7,170	**
Essex	2,292	10.2 a	10.0 a	26	2,241 c	33,008	6.8
Windsor	1,178	13.2 a	10.8 c	11	**		
Leamington/Kingsville	393	7.0 a	9.4 b	6	389 c		
Rest of Essex	721	7.3 a	9.1 a	9	727 c		
Grey	730	5.9	8.9 a	12	710 a	10,739	6.6
Huron	380	**	24.6 d	9	**	6,408	**
Chatham-Kent	859	9.6	13.9 a	14	763 c	10,055	7.6
Lambton	675	5.1 b	4.1 b	- 11	690 c	12,965	5.3
Middlesex	2,044	9.6	8.9 a	21	2,090 b	36,773	5.7
Oxford	967	11.7 a	14.7 a	12	902 a	10,074	9.0
Perth	582	8.5 a	8.8 c	10	**	6,952	**
Northern Ontario	2,810	10.2	8.4 a	37	2,804 Ь	70,823	4.0
Algoma/Thunder Bay	1,113	9.4 a	12.1 a	13	1,081 a	25,554	4.2
Greater Sudbury	832	2.1 a	**	11	**	13,799	**
Rest of Northern Ontario	865	18.4 a	10.1 c	13	**	31,470	**
Ontario	61,163	10.3	9.9 a	721	59,351 a	1,074,180	5.5

Source: Statistics Canada estimates, 2011, and Ontario Ministry of Finance projections released Fall 2014. Reference scenario projection July 1, 2016.

² Data may not add due to rounding

³ The capture rate is the proportion of the population aged 75 and over living in the survey universe.

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	2.1 Universe	of Total Spaces	by Unit Type		
		Ontario			
Centre	Semi Private & Ward	Private/Studio	One Bedroom	Two Bedroom +	Total
Toronto GTA	612	8,088	8,681	1,506	18,887
Toronto	315	3,343	2,773	411	6,842
Durham	52	1,072	1,114	149	2,387
Halton	32	966	1,430	330	2,758
Peel	151	1,201	1,555	272	3,179
York	62	1,506	1,809	344	3,721
Central Ontario	999	9,906	4,943	640	16,488
Brant	81	511	233	18	843
Haldimand-Norfolk	4	440	35	7	486
Hamilton	136	1,435	558	77	2,206
Kawartha Lakes	24	231	168	21	444
Muskoka	-	397	134	-	531
Niagara	98	1,753	757	91	2,699
Northumberland	52	380	353	30	815
Peterborough	10	717	357	51	1,135
Simcoe	241	1,612	787	128	2,768
Waterloo	148	1,467	856	177	2,648
Wellington/Dufferin	205	963	705	40	1,913
Ottawa	196	4,564	2,476	382	7,618
Ottawa - Central	50	313	214	11	588
Ottawa - East	40	1,769	992	106	2,907
Ottawa - West	106	2,482	1,270	265	4,123
Eastern Ontario	349	4,066	1,562	157	6,134
Frontenac	12	232	512	61	817
Hastings/Prince Edward	78	605	252	16	951
Lanark	30	397	234	29	690
Leeds & Grenville	18	419	78	4	519
Lennox & Addington	4	190	32	6	232
Prescott & Russell	2	1,121	80	-	1,203
Renfrew	82	591	185	37	895
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	123	511	189	4	827
Southwest Ontario	522	5,105	3,177	422	9,226
Bruce	522		137		
	-	310		7	454
Elgin	32	179	29	3	243
Essex	230	1,128	835	99	2,292
Grey	2	521	190	17	730
Huron	22	241	104	13	380
Chatham-Kent	62	617	180	-	859
Lambton	42	370	235	28	675
Middlesex	4	860	983	197	2,044
Oxford	64	527	348	28	967
Perth	64	352	136	30	582

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	2.1 Universe of Total Spaces by Unit Type										
Ontario											
Centre Semi Private & Private/Studio One Bedroom Two Bedroom + Total											
Northern Ontario	34	1,573	1,068	135	2,810						
Algoma/Thunder Bay	18	528	522	45	1,113						
Greater Sudbury	8	481	322	21	832						
Rest of Northern Ontario	8	564	224	69	865						
Ontario	2,712	33,302	21,907	3,242	61,163						

2.2 Universe by Unit Type Ontario										
Centre Semi Private & Private/Studio One Bedroom Two Bedroom + Total										
Total	2,712	33,302	21,907	3,242	61,163					
Standard Spaces	1,834	22,847	16,767	2,535	43,983					
Heavy Care Spaces	93	3,253	816	100	4,262					
Other ¹	222	656	83	2	963					
Unknown Spaces	563	6,546	4,241	605	11,955					

Other' consists of non-market units and respite units.

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2.3 Universe of Standard Spaces by Rent Range(\$) Ontario									
	\$2,500 or Less	\$2,500 - \$2,999	\$3,000 - \$3,499	\$3,500 - \$3,999	\$4,000 or More				
Centre	% of Total	% of Total ¹	% of Total	% of Total					
Toronto GTA	5.9 a	7.4 a	14.3 a	17.2 a	55.3				
Toronto	7.3 a	14.5 a	11.3 a	16.8 a	50.2				
East York / York City	21.9 a	19.0 a	7.6 a	21.7 a	29.8				
Etobicoke	4.3 b	4.9 b	0.1 b	9.6 b	81.1				
North York	4.6 b	3.8 b	8.3 a	24.4 a	58.9				
Scarborough	3.8 c	48.7 a	18.0 d	18.0 d	11.5				
Former City of Toronto	9.1 a	11.0 a	16.5 a	12.4 a	51.1				
Durham	4.3 b	4.2 b	31.7 a	12.7 a	47.1				
Halton	0.1 a	2.3 a	9.0 a	15.5 a	73.2				
Peel	15.4 a	4.4 a	11.6 a	25.8 a	42.8				
York	0.5 a	2.9 a	14.7 a	14.9 a	66.9				
Central Ontario	18.9 a	20.9 a	19.9 a	15.4 a	24.9				
Brant	22.1 a	9.9 a	46.5 a	14.0 a	7.5				
Haldimand-Norfolk	60.1 a	16.9 d	**	4.9 d	**				
Hamilton	16.9 a	30.0 a	14.2 a	15.3 a	23.6				
Former City of Hamilton	23.6 a	44.0 a	12.3 c	7.7 b	12.4				
Rest of Hamilton	8.2 a	12.2 a	16.7 a	25.0 a	37.9				
Kawartha Lakes	29.0 a	22.6 d	21.6 d	12.3 c	14.5				
Muskoka	14.2 a	27.1 a	14.0 a	14.0 a	30.7				
Niagara	23.7 a	23.9 a	16.7 a	9.3 a	26.4				
Niagara Falls	26.6 a	32.7 a	13.4 c	19.1 a	8.1				
St. Catharines	**	**	**	**	**				
Rest of Niagara	22.9 a	24.9 a	27.9 a	9.4 b	15.0				
Northumberland	32.6 a	16.6 a	27.1 a	7.7 a	16.0				
Peterborough	3.0 d	21.7 d	28.3 d	14.9 c	**				
Simcoe	16.7 a	20.2 a	19.2 a	13.5 a	30.5				
Barrie	12.7 a	13.5 a	21.8 a	17.1 a	34.9				
Rest of Simcoe	19.1 a	24.1 a	17.6 a	11.3 a	28.0				
Waterloo	13.5 a	20.9 a	21.4 a	21.0 a	23.2				
Cambridge	9.1 a	24.3 a	18.3 a	20.4 a	27.8				
Kitchener	20.4 a	20.5 a	31.2 a	8.6 b	19.2				
Rest of Waterloo	7.9 b	19.6 a	12.2 c	35.0 a	25.3				
Wellington/Dufferin	15.1 a			27.1 a					
Guelph	8.0 b	9.0 b	16.2 d	29.4 a	37.4				
Rest of Wellington/Dufferin	23.1 a		9.3 b	24.5 a	28.0				
Ottawa	11.8 a	13.1 a	22.2 a	15.2 a	38.6				
Ottawa - Central	11.6 a	12.1 a	4.0 a	17.2 a	62.6				
Ottawa - Central Ottawa - East	8.9 a		29.7 a	17.2 a					
Ottawa - East Ottawa - West	13.6 a	14.1 a 12.1 a	19.2 a	13.6 a	33.7 39.0				

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2.3 Universe of Standard Spaces by Rent Range(\$) Ontario									
Contra	\$2,500 or Less	\$2,500 - \$2,999	\$3,000 - \$3,499	\$3,500 - \$3,999	\$4,000 or More				
Centre	% of Total	% of Total	% of Total	% of Total					
Eastern Ontario	36.4 a	19.5 a	15.0 a	14.3 a	14.8 a				
Frontenac	4.7 a	2.8 a	22.1 a	27.1 a	43.3 a				
Hastings/Prince Edward	30.1 a	34.2 a	16.5 d	10.3 c	8.9				
Lanark	21.1 d	16.5 d	0.5 b	30.5 a	31.5 a				
Leeds & Grenville	26.7 a	6.4 a	20.5 a	19.0 a	27.5 a				
Lennox & Addington	18.7 d	**	**	12.2 d	7.9				
Prescott & Russell	82.4 a	7.7 b	8.0 b	0.3 b	1.7 b				
Renfrew	32.5 a	38.2 a	17.1 a	6.8 a	5.5				
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	42.1 a	24.3 a	13.5 a	18.3 a	1.8 a				
Southwest Ontario	17.5 a	29.1 a	20.2 a	13.4 a	19.9 a				
Bruce	17.5 d	48.5 a	11. 4 c	21.2 d	1.3 a				
Elgin	55.8 a	11.6 c	15.7 d	**	16.9				
Essex	16.0 a	17.8 a	22.4 a	17.8 a	26.0 a				
Windsor	17.9 a	15.1 a	24.9 a	21.1 a	21.0 a				
Leamington/Kingsville	20.3 a	41.2 a	24.9 a	12.3 c	1.3 a				
Rest of Essex	10.6 a	9.2 a	17.1 a	15.6 a	47.6 a				
Grey	11.6 a	51.7 a	11.3 a	17.6 a	7.9 a				
Huron	16.5 d	53.8 a	24.7 d	2.5 c	2.5				
Chatham-Kent	22.5 a	59.8 a	9.3 a	5.9 a	2.6 a				
Lambton	12.3 a	24.7 a	38.4 a	15.6 a	9.0 a				
Middlesex	11.7 a	14.9 a	25.2 a	17.2 a	31.0 a				
Oxford	20.3 a	20.9 a	19.2 a	5.3 a	34.2 a				
Perth	**	53.8 a	1.2 d	4.9 d	**				
Northern Ontario	47.9 a	12.6 a	19.6 a	9.4 a	10.5				
Algoma/Thunder Bay	50.9 a	7.2 a	8.8 a	13.5 a	19.7 a				
Greater Sudbury	**	**	**	**	**				
Rest of Northern Ontario	56.8 a	12.7 c	20.0 d	7.8 b	2.7				
Ontario	17.1 a	16.5 a	18.0 a	15.2 a	33.2				

 $^{^{\}rm I}$ % is based on those spaces where the rent is known.

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2.4 Proportion (%) of Structures where Select Services are Available by Structure Size **Ontario** Meals On-Site On-Site 24-Hour Call # of Meals Included in Rent Medical Nursing Centre **Pharmacy** Bell **Optional** Services Services² ı Toronto GTA 0.7 10.3 88.4 76.9 69.1 a 96.0 12.9 0.7 10 - 49 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 0.0 50 - 89 0.0 0.0 4.0 96.0 78. I 56.4 a 98.1 3.8 90 or more 82.2 1.2 1.1 79.9 80.2 a 100.0 20.1 59.1 a Central Ontario 0.5 0.5 1.1 97.9 67.9 93.1 8.3 10 - 49 0.0 96.3 82.0 12.5 50 - 89 0.0 1.2 0.0 98.8 64.6 67.2 a 97.5 ** 90 or more ** ** ** 0.0 0.0 98.2 80.7 98.3 ** 0.0 3.5 Ottawa 0.0 96.5 71.3 67.9 a 100.0 10 - 49 100.0 100.0 ** ** ** ** ** ** 50 - 89 94.6 100.0 90 or more 0.0 0.0 97.0 82.3 79.7 a 100.0 Eastern Ontario 0.0 1.2 1.2 97.7 66.7 55.1 a 87.2 8.9 10 - 49 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 72.4 50 - 89 0.0 2.7 0.0 97.3 94.6 5.8 90 or more 93.8 93.8 100.0 Southwest Ontario 0.9 1.9 1.8 95.4 75.I 65.6 a 97.3 10.1 10 - 49 95.4 0.0 0.0 97.8 71.5 73.4 a ** ** 50 - 89 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 78.3 100.0 ** ** ** ** 90 or more 88.2 97.1 76.8 11.0 ** ** Northern Ontario 0.0 2.7 90.3 83.0 ** 10 - 49 100.0

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Ontario

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90 or more

90 or more

^{0.8} Services are considered to be included in rent for a structure if the majority of all spaces have the service included in the rent.

² On-site nursing services include RN, RPN or LPN.

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2.5 Proportion (%) of Structures with Access to Selected Amenities¹ by Structure Size

Ontario

Contro		
10 - 49	Exercise Facilities	Internet
50 - 89	65.7 a	89.4 a
90 or more 82.9 a ** 62.1 a 78.3 a Central Ontario 55.7 a ** 23.1 d ** 10 - 49	*o*	82.2 a
Central Ontario	**	85.7 a
10 - 49	82.3 a	92.7 a
50 - 89	45.9 a	79.8 a
90 or more	**	67.7 a
Ottawa 84.2 a *** ** 63.9 a 10 - 49 ** ** ** ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** 87.8 a 90 or more 93.7 a ** ** 87.8 a Eastern Ontario 51.6 a ** 13.7 d 26.4 d 10 - 49 ** 0.0 b ** 3.1 d 50 - 89 ** 2.5 a 10.6 d ** 90 or more 86.7 a ** ** 75.3 a Southwest Ontario 59.5 a 12.1 d 28.5 d 29.2 d 10 - 49 ** 2.1 c ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** ** Northern Ontario ** ** ** ** 10 - 49 ** ** ** ** Northern Ontario ** ** ** ** 10 - 49 ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **<	**	81.4 a
10 - 49	82.5 a	89.6 a
50 - 89	73.2 a	80.4 a
90 or more 93.7 a ** ** ** 87.8 a Eastern Ontario 51.6 a ** 13.7 d 26.4 d 10 - 49	**	**
Eastern Ontario 51.6 a ** 13.7 d 26.4 d 10 - 49	**	**
10 - 49 ** 0.0 b ** 3.1 d 50 - 89 ** 2.5 a 10.6 d ** 90 or more 86.7 a ** ** 75.3 a Southwest Ontario 59.5 a 12.1 d 28.5 d 29.2 d 10 - 49 ** 2.1 c ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** ** 90 or more 84.4 a ** ** 63.1 a Northern Ontario ** ** ** ** 10 - 49 ** ** ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** **	93.7 a	84.6 a
50 - 89	**	84.1 a
90 or more	**	83.3 a
Southwest Ontario	**	83.3 a
10 - 49 ** 2.1 c ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** ** 90 or more 84.4 a ** ** 63.1 a Northern Ontario ** ** 11.8 d ** 10 - 49 ** ** ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** **	**	87.7 a
50 - 89	**	88.3 a
90 or more	**	83.0 a
Northern Ontario	**	89.0 a
10 - 49 ** ** ** ** 50 - 89 ** ** ** **	70.7 a	94.6 a
50 - 89	**	83.4 a
30-07	**	100.0 a
90 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	**	**
70 or more 10.4 C 66.7 a	89.6 a	89.6 a
Ontario 62.6 a 12.5 c 29.3 a 39.8 a	49.5 a	84.4 a
10 - 49 34.0 a 3.1 c 5.3 c 5.9 c	18.6 d	78.1 a
50 - 89 60.6 a 4.0 c 21.4 d 28.7 d	37.5 a	82.4 a
90 or more 83.7 a 26.9 d 53.2 a 73.4 a	82.0 a	90.6 a

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	3.1 Averag	ge Rent	· · /		paces b	y Unit 1	уре				
			On	tario							
Centre		Semi Private & Ward		Private/Studio		One Bedroom		Two Bedroom +		Total	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	
Toronto GTA	2,492 a	2,605 a	3,475 a	3,535 a	4,561 a	4,664 a	5,772 a	6,179 a	4,159 a	4,283	
Toronto	1,919 a	2,487 a	3,325 a	3,367 a	4,746 a	5,031 a	6,331 a	7,290 a	4,120 a	4,282	
East York / York City	**	**	3,632 a	3,519 a	**	4,174 a	**	**	3,733 a	3,576	
Etobicoke	**	**	3,361 a	3,892 a	4,868 a	5,206 a	**	7,345 a	4,599 a	5,005	
North York	**	**	3,697 a	3,616 a	4,649 a	5,030 a	6,749 a	7,137 a	4,451 a	4,518	
Scarborough	**	**	2,978 a	3,227 a	3,687 a	**	**	**	3,222 a	3,205	
Former City of Toronto	**	**	3,003 a	2,948 a	5,122 a	5,197 a	6,848 a	7,959 a	4,237 a	4,406	
Durham	**	**	3,263 a	3,325 a	4,259 a	4,500 a	5,161 a	5,276 a	3,835 a	3,901	
Halton	**	**	3,797 a	3,917 a	4,626 a	4,927 a	5,881 a	6,379 a	4,399 a	4,798	
Peel	**	2,655 a	3,521 a	3,619 a	4,335 a	3,912 a	5,016 a	5,199 a	4,022 a	3,909	
York	**	**	3,718 a	3,786 a	4,563 a	4,693 a	5,956 a	5,788 a	4,373 a	4,464	
Central Ontario	1,801 a	1,859 a	2,904 a	2,924 a	3,920 a	4,180 a	4,565 a	5,253 a	3,216 a	3,368	
Brant	1,685 a	1,774 a	2,855 a	2,935 a	3,267 a	3,494 a	**	**	2,944 a	3,027	
Haldimand-Norfolk	**	**	2,443 a	2,537 a	**	**	**	**	2,452 a	2,533	
Hamilton	1,759 a	1,729 a	2,938 a	2,874 a	4,220 a	4,444 a	4,987 a	5,418 a	3,191 a	3,287	
Former City of Hamilton	1,751 a	**	2,804 a	2,708 a	4,065 a	4,305 a	4,710 a	**	2,921 a	2,901	
Rest of Hamilton	**	**	3,154 a	3,162 a	4,316 a	4,512 a	**	**	3,562 a	3,782	
Kawartha Lakes	**	**	2,673 a	2,885 a	**	4,230 a	**	**	3,187 a	3,109	
Muskoka	**	**	2,920 a	3,155 a	4 ,125 a	4,225 a	**	**	3,276 a	3,443	
Niagara	1,468 a	**	2,725 a	2,606 a	3,497 a	4,336 a	4,215 a	6,138 a	3,048 a	3,408	
Niagara Falls	**	**	2,513 a	2,557 a	3,595 a	3,627 a	**	**	2,823 a	2,897	
St. Catharines	**	**	3,000 a	**	**	**	**	**	3,438 a	**	
Rest of Niagara	**	**	2,646 a	2,706 a	3,248 a	3,658 a	3,360 a	**	2,923 a	3,075	
Northumberland	**	**	2,567 a	2,619 a	3,598 a	3,386 a	4,629 a	4,516 a	3,111 a	3,005	
Peterborough	**	**	3,071 a	2,996 a	4,227 a	4,175 a	**	**	3,341 a	3,570	
Simcoe	1,840 a	2,040 a	2,999 a	3,057 a	4,111 a	4,403 a	5,001 a	5,738 a	3,209 a	3,467	
Barrie	**	**	3,234 a	3,267 a	**	4,762 a	**	**	3,103 a	3,720	
Rest of Simcoe	**	2,040 a	2,859 a	2,953 a	3,992 a	4,195 a	5,001 a	**	3,265 a	3,319	
Waterloo	1,801 a	1,950 a	3,097 a	3,168 a	4,211 a	4,125 a	5,003 a	4,621 a	3,490 a	3,474	
Cambridge	**	**	3,072 a	3,155 a	**	**	**	**	3,509 a	3,556	
Kitchener	1,874 a	2,028 a	2,996 a	3,092 a	4,216 a	4,492 a	**	**	3,104 a	3,222	
Rest of Waterloo	**	**	3,287 a	3,306 a	4,144 a	3,890 a	5,010 a	4,544 a	3,883 a	3,710	
Wellington/Dufferin	1,948 a	1,846 a	2,914 a	3,113 a	4,026 a	4,253 a	3,944 b	5,003 a	3,343 a	3,568	
Guelph	**	**	3,108 a	3,312 a	4,077 a	4,274 a	**	**	3,514 a	3,703	
Rest of Wellington/Dufferin	1,825 a	**	2,666 a	2,863 a	3,965 a	4,231 a	2,792 c	**	3,142 a	3,415	
Ottawa	1,838 a	1,765 a	3,469 a	3,306 a	4,664 a	4,792 a	5,608 a	5,741 a	3,948 a	3,920	
Ottawa - Central	**	**	**	4,251 a	**	**	**	**	**	4,724	
Ottawa - East	**	**	3,339 a	3,199 a	4,605 a	4,596 a	6,233 a	6,280 a	3,862 a	3,846	
Ottawa - West	**	1,749 a	3,527 a	3,289 a	4,574 a	4,769 a	5,318 a	5,445 a	3,961 a	3,865	

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	3.1 Average Rent (\$) of Standard Spaces by Unit Type										
			On	tario							
Centre		Semi Private & Ward		Private/Studio		One Bedroom		Two Bedroom +		Total	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	
Eastern Ontario	1,733 a	1,679 a	2,600 a	2,641 a	3,897 a	3,977 a	4,140 a	5,259 a	2,943 a	2,944 a	
Frontenac	**	**	3,400 a	3,353 a	3,918 a	3,998 a	6,005 a	5,834 a	3,825 a	3,963 a	
Hastings/Prince Edward	**	**	2,723 a	2,588 a	3,989 a	3,749 a	**	**	3,136 a	2,781 a	
Lanark	**	**	3,076 a	3,248 a	4,225 a	5,254 a	**	**	3,517 a	3,574 a	
Leeds & Grenville	2,022 a	2,136 a	3,108 a	3,146 a	4,848 a	4,732 a	**	**	3,241 a	3,325 a	
Lennox & Addington	**	**	2,855 a	3,177 a	**	**	**	**	2,833 a	3,086 a	
Prescott & Russell	**	**	2,003 a	2,052 a	3,427 b	3,956 b	**	**	2,108 a	2,110 a	
Renfrew	**	**	2,456 a	2,537 a	3,630 a	3,716 a	**	**	2,642 a	2,657 a	
Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry	**	**	2,421 a	2,590 a	3,483 a	3,473 a	**	**	2,529 a	2,771 a	
Southwest Ontario	1,979 a	2,006 a	2,768 a	2,848 a	3,635 a	3,796 a	4,473 a	4,530 a	3,132 a	3,254	
Bruce	**	**	2,485 a	2,609 a	3,136 a	3,428 a	**	**	2,742 a	2,926 a	
Elgin	**	**	2,907 a	2,630 a	**	**	**	**	3,022 a	2,796 a	
Essex	1,857 a	**	2,651 a	2,756 a	3,764 a	3,909 a	4,955 a	5,135 a	3,169 a	3,418 a	
Windsor	**	**	2,525 a	2,734 a	3,682 a	3,890 a	**	**	2,983 a	3,366 a	
Leamington/Kingsville	**	**	2,651 a	2,522 a	**	**	**	**	2,860 a	2,876 a	
Rest of Essex	2,054 a	**	3,039 a	**	**	4,107 a	**	**	3,649 a	3,799 a	
Grey	**	**	2,661 a	2,729 a	3,586 a	3,534 a	**	**	2,987 a	3,005 a	
Huron	**	**	2,819 a	2,777 a	**	**	**	**	2,916 a	2,868 a	
Chatham-Kent	**	**	2,564 a	2,669 a	3,169 a	3,139 a	**	**	2,622 a	2,703 a	
Lambton	**	**	2,757 a	2,892 a	**	3,503 a	**	**	2,985 a	3,139 a	
Middlesex	**	**	3,242 a	3,353 a	3,705 a	3,849 a	4,349 a	4,152 a	3,556 a	3,675	
Oxford	**	**	2,620 a	2,837 a	3,813 a	4,066 a	4,689 a	**	3,194 a	3,304 a	
Perth	2,233 a	**	2,626 a	2,680 a	**	**	**	**	2,753 a	2,815	
Northern Ontario	1,689 a	1,696 a	2,453 a	2,539 a	3,128 a	2,983 a	3,989 a	4,138 a	2,759 a	2,731	
Algoma/Thunder Bay	1,551 a	1,556 a	2,363 a	2,319 a	3,575 a	3,417 a	**	**	3,012 a	2,912 a	
Greater Sudbury	**	**	**	**	2,367 a	**	**	**	2,523 a	**	
Rest of Northern Ontario	**	**	2,432 a	2,418 a	3,036 a	3,142 a	3,582 a	**	2,673 a	2,562	
Ontario	1.950 a	2.045 a	3.030 a	3.037 a	4,166 a	4.310 a	5.169 a	5.632 a	3,526 a	3.618	

The following units are excluded from the table above: non-market/subsidy units; respite units; and, units where an extra charge is paid for Heavy-care (1½ hours or more of care).

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OI Per cent Vacant (%) for Total Spaces by Unit Type **Ontario** Semi Private & Private/Studio One Bedroom Two Bedroom + Total Ward Centre % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant 2017 2018 2017 2018 2017 2018 2017 2018 2017 2018 9.9 Toronto GTA 22.6 23.6 10.5 10.6 9.2 6.8 9.1 21.4 27.2 11.0 13.8 7.9 5.6 8.6 9.7 11.0 Toronto 3.6 21.0 28.4 20.5 22.6 27.5 East York / York City ** ** ** ** Etobicoke 3.3 7.4 8.5 4.7 5.7 ** ** North York 8.0 10.2 5.8 6.2 5.8 3.6 6.9 8.0 ** ** 14.0 7.7 6.9 17.9 Scarborough 6.3 ** ** 1.7 Former City of Toronto 12.2 10.6 8.0 4.8 5.4 9.9 7.3 ** ** Durham 7.1 6.2 9.1 3.3 5.7 7.0 8.2 5.4 ** 9.1 10.1 10.5 Halton 10.1 9.4 7.7 7.4 9.0 ** Peel 25.7 15.4 11.5 10.7 11.3 6.9 8.7 12.6 11.7 ** ** York 8.0 7.7 9.4 4.2 8.5 6.8 9.1 6.0 Central Ontario 13.9 9.7 10.9 8.4 17.0 8.9 10.0 6.2 9.4 10.3 0.0 9.4 5.7 7.5 7.3 8.3 5.9 ** ** ** ** Haldimand-Norfolk 8.2 8.5 6.8 ** 12.9 11.4 8.7 7.3 11.8 11.4 Hamilton 7.3 10.6 ** ** Former City of Hamilton 7.8 11.8 9.9 8.5 ** 11.0 10.5 ** ** 7.5 ** ** Rest of Hamilton 14.6 14.0 8.8 12.1 10.7 ** ** ** ** 7.1 Kawartha Lakes 12.2 15.2 15.4 ** ** ** ** Muskoka/Haliburton 15.7 9.9 11.2 5.6 14.5 8.8 Muskoka ** ** 15.7 9.9 11.2 5.6 ** ** 14.5 8.8 ** Haliburton ** ** ** ** Niagara 8.3 6.3 7.2 7.2 8.4 6.9 ** ** ** ** ** Niagara Falls 6.1 3.0 5.8 8.0 2.2 ** ** 9.9 ** ** ** ** 7.7 St. Catharines ** ** ** ** Rest of Niagara 8.0 5.9 9.9 8.6 9.0 7.0 ** ** 12.3 ** Northumberland 4.2 3.4 4.7 3.6 3.7 7.8 ** Peterborough 6.8 5.8 10.6 6.8 8.7 ** ** 19.9 9.5 Simcoe 18.1 9.4 8.4 2.7 10.5 7.7 ** ** ** ** ** 10.7 6.3 1.4 12.1 4.8 ** ** 9.4 10.2 ** ** 9.7 9.4 Rest of Simcoe 8.7 3.6 9.5 Waterloo 17.3 17.8 9.4 18.0 7.4 15.1 11.8 13.0 9.6 ** ** 8.0 ** ** ** Cambridge 9.2 9.8 8.3 7.0 ** ** 8.8 Kitchener 11.5 8.8 9.1 13.7 5.7 ** ** Rest of Waterloo 13.5 11.6 25.0 9.6 17.8 13.3 19.0 10.9 Wellington/Dufferin 9.9 ** ** 18.1 9.5 12.1 8.6 5.3 11.6 7.3 ** ** 7.4 Guelph 12.2 13.4 4.0 12.3 6. l ** ** Wellington/Dufferin 29.4 12.1 10.0 5.6 6.8 5.3 10.7 8.7 Ottawa 12.7 17.5 13.0 16.3 10.8 12.6 10.8 9.5 12.2 14.8 Ottawa - Central 26.2 26.7 ** ** ** Ottawa - East 10.5 14.2 11.1 6.6 6.8 10.5 11.0 Ottawa - West ** 18.9 16.5 12.5

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OI Per cent Vacant (%) for Total Spaces by Unit Type **Ontario** Semi Private & One Bedroom Private/Studio Two Bedroom + Total Ward Centre % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant % Vacant 2017 2017 2018 2017 2018 2017 2018 2017 2018 2018 Eastern Ontario 16.5 10.3 15.4 9.1 9.6 10.1 7.2 9.2 9.6 10.2 Frontenac 6.9 14.5 9.3 11.8 16.4 8.1 13.3 ** ** ** Hastings/Prince Edward 4.4 10.1 8.9 3.7 5.9 8.9 ** ** ** ** Lanark 6.6 4.7 10.2 9.5 7.2 Leeds & Grenville 5.6 8.5 8.6 3.1 9.5 7.8 ** ** ** ** Lennox & Addington ** 2.7 4.9 ** 3.1 5.0 Prescott & Russell ** ** 10.4 9.7 ** ** ** ** 10.1 9.6 ** ** Renfrew 11.8 7.6 12.2 10.4 11.8 8.5 Stormont, Dundas & ** ** ** ** 17.2 14.0 14.4 Glengarry 14.5 13.8 16.7 12.7 19.7 11.2 7.5 4.9 10.3 Southwest Ontario 10.7 9.6 8.4 10.3 ** ** 8.3 3.0 13.1 10.0 ** ** 9.7 5.1 Bruce ** ** 10.9 5.2 ** ** ** ** 16.7 6.7 Elgin 12.9 12.0 10.5 9.7 9.7 9.2 10.2 Essex 4. I 6.3 10.0 Windsor ** ** 14.3 14.5 8.0 жk жk 13.2 10.8 13.6 ** ** ** ** жk жk Leamington/Kingsville 7.7 6.6 7.0 9.4 ** ** ** 5.8 4.7 10.0 7.3 9.1 Rest of Essex 10.2 ** ** ** 8.1 10.0 5.9 Grey 6.7 2.3 8.9 ** ** жk ж 25.3 Huron 24.6 ** ** жk ** Chatham-Kent 8.3 13.5 14.0 7.4 9.6 13.9 ** ** ** ** Lambton 6.8 4.7 4.0 5. I 4.1 ** ** Middlesex 11.6 12.5 8.0 7. I 8.2 3.3 9.6 8.9 ** ** ** ** Oxford 12.5 17.3 10.9 8.4 11.7 14.7 18.5 ** ** ** 8.5 Perth 8.7 8.8 ** ** 8.0 9.7 Northern Ontario 15.6 8.9 9.8 28.0 10.2 8.4 Algoma/Thunder Bay ** 11.1 9.2 10.6 10.3 14.8 ** ** 9.4 12.1 ** ** Greater Sudbury 1.2 2.1 ** ** ** ** Rest of Northern Ontario 14.3 10.7 18.2 50.0 18.4 10.1 Ontario 16.5 18.0 10.4 10.7 9.7 7.9 9.5 7.1 10.3 9.9

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O2 Universe, Vacancy Rates (%) and Average Standard Space Rents (\$) for Centres with less than 50,000 population **Selected Ontario Regions**

	Central Ontario	Eastern Ontario	Southwestern Ontario	Northern Ontario
Universe				
Standard	2,676	2,647	2,854	493
Heavy Care	245	72	210	-
Other	45	119	106	5
Unknown	560	582	742	153
Total	3,526	3,420	3,912	651
Universe				
Semi & Ward	217	148	208	16
Bachelor	2,139	2,557	2,512	441
One-Bedroom	1,079	639	1,092	139
Two-Bedroom	91	76	100	55
Total	3,526	3,420	3,912	651
Total Vacancy				
Semi & Ward	17.8 d	17.0 d	18.7 d	**
Bachelor	9.4 a	8.8 a	10.6 a	11.6 c
One-Bedroom	4.8 b	14.3 c	10.3 a	**
Two-Bedroom	10.7 d	**	7.8	**
Total	8.5 a	9.9 a	10.9 a	11.5 c
Standard Vacancy				
Semi & Ward	17.1 d	17.0 d	20.1 d	**
Bachelor	9.6 a	9.5 a	11.6 a	11.7 c
One-Bedroom	4.7 b	14.3 c	10.6 a	**
Two-Bedroom	10.7 d	**	7.8	**
Total	8.4 a	10.6 a	11.8 a	11.6 c
Standard Rent				
Semi & Ward	1,875 a	1,709 a	1,954 a	**
Bachelor	2,837 a	2,568 a	2,710 a	2,198 a
One-Bedroom	3,861 a	4,085 a	3,738 a	2,910 a
Two-Bedroom	5,015 a	**	4,383 a	**
Total	3,173 a	2,753 a	3,005 a	2,299 a

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O3 Universe and Per cent Vacant (%) for Total Spaces by Date Residence Opened Ontario										
Prior to 1990 1990-1999 2000-2009 2010 or Later										
Centre	Total Spaces	% Vacant	Total Spaces	% Vacant	Total Spaces	% Vacant	Total Spaces	% Vacant		
Toronto GTA	5,728	13.4 a	2,137	11.4 a	6,676	5.9 a	4,346	5.8 a		
Central Ontario	4,982	9.7 a	3,452	7.7 a	5,087	6.7 a	2,967	10.1 c		
Ottawa	1,340	14.0 a	1,799	18.0 a	2,978	16.1 a	1,501	8.3 a		
Eastern Ontario	1,697	12.7 a	1,868	10.4 a	1,713	10.2 a	856	4.9 b		
Southwest Ontario	3,396	16.1 a	1,852	7.7 a	2,382	7.5 a	1,596	6.5 a		
Northern Ontario	697	10.3 с	541	10.1 d	1,073	5.4 a	499	12.5 a		
Ontario	17,840	12.7 a	11,649	10.6 a	19,909	8.1 a	11,765	7.6 a		

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O4 Average Rent (\$) for Standard Spaces by Unit Type and Date Residence Opened **Ontario** Prior to 1990 1990-1999 2000 - 2009 2010 or Later Centre 3,662 3,884 4,663 4,924 Toronto GTA Ward/Semi-Private 2,531 1,777 3,807 Bachelor/Studio 3,432 3,356 3,739 One Bedroom 4,149 4,899 4,796 4,823 Two Bedroom + 5,529 5,982 5,967 6,745 3,626 Central Ontario 3,113 2,717 4,292 Ward/Semi-Private 1,854 2,070 1,558 ** 2,947 Bachelor/Studio 2,747 3,043 3,257 One Bedroom 3,502 4,072 4,125 4,511 Two Bedroom + 4,363 4,917 5,905 Ottawa 3,269 3,633 4,478 3,973 Ward/Semi-Private 1.754 Bachelor/Studio 2,970 3,230 3,622 3,143 One Bedroom 4,130 4,393 5,427 4,514 ** Two Bedroom + 6,592 6,573 Eastern Ontario 2,783 2,747 3,374 3,215 Ward/Semi-Private 1,708 1,590 Bachelor/Studio 2.699 2.573 2.642 2,680 One Bedroom 3,825 3,808 4,143 4,069 Two Bedroom + Southwest Ontario 2,804 3,138 3,689 3,468 Ward/Semi-Private 1,931 2,028 Bachelor/Studio 2,777 2,831 3,052 2,827 4.018 One Bedroom 3,419 3.657 3,692 4,745 Two Bedroom + 4,781 4,331 Northern Ontario 2,446 2,206 3,191 2,440 Ward/Semi-Private 2,428 2,073 2,795 ** Bachelor/Studio One Bedroom 2,865 3,562 2,205 2,671 Two Bedroom + 4,546 3,254 4,140 Ontario 3,085 4,053 Ward/Semi-Private 1,832 2,026 2,467 Bachelor/Studio 2,927 2,937 3,269 3,135 One Bedroom 3,907 4,347 4,214 4,475 Two Bedroom + 4,840 5,178 5,645 5,958

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Methodology

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation conducts the Seniors' Housing Survey in February and March. This annual survey became national in scope in 2009, covering all centres in each of the ten provinces. Both private and non-profit residences are included in the survey universe.

To be eligible for inclusion in the survey results, a residence must:

- √ have at least one unit that is not subsidized (in the Atlantic provinces, Quebec and Ontario);
- √ have been in operation for at least one year (for example, it must have started operation before January 2015 to be included in the 2016 survey);
- √ have at least 10 rental units (in Quebec, Ontario and the Prairies) or 5 rental units (in the Atlantic provinces and B.C.);
- √ offer an on-site meal plan;
- √ not mandate high levels of health care (defined as 1.5 hours or more of care per day) to all of its residents; nursing homes and long-term care homes are examples of residences that were not included in the survey;
- ✓ offer rental units; life lease units and owner-occupied units are excluded from this survey; and
- √ have at least 50 per cent of its residents who are 65 years of age or older.

The Seniors' Housing Survey is a census and not a sample survey; therefore, all seniors' residences in Canada meeting these criteria are to be part of this survey. The survey universe in Quebec may include private residences that do not meet the conditions for obtaining a certificate of compliance.

Survey data were obtained through a combination of telephone interviews and fax and e-mail responses. Information was obtained from the residence owner, manager or administrator. Survey results reflect market conditions at the time of the survey. Survey results have been weighted to adjust for non-responses, in order to ensure that they are reflective of the universe. The level of statistical reliability is noted in the data tables. For more information on the reliability of the data, please click here.

All statistics published, excluding information on new market supply, include only those residences that have been in operation for at least one year.

Definitions

Space: A space is a residential area that is rented out. Examples of spaces include one half of a semi-private unit, a private or bachelor unit, a one-bedroom unit and a two-bedroom unit. In most cases, a space is the same as a unit. The exception is the case where a unit has been divided to rent to multiple residents. Semi-private and ward units are an example of this. Unless otherwise indicated, data for spaces are for all unit types.

Standard space: A space where the resident does not receive high-level care (that is, the resident receives less than 1.5 hours of care per day) or is not required to pay an extra amount to receive high-level care. Regional terms for this type of space may vary across the country.

Heavy care space: A space where the resident is paying an extra amount to receive high-level care (1.5 hours or more of care per day). Examples of conditions that could require high-level care include Alzheimer's, dementia and reduced mobility.

Respite space: A space used to provide temporary accommodation for a senior who normally lives in another place and not at the residence.

Non-market or subsidy space: A space where the rent received for the unit is less than market rent or where the resident occupying the unit is subsidized.

Rent: The actual amount a resident pays per month for his or her accommodation space and all mandatory services. For vacant spaces, the rent is the amount the owner is asking for the space.

Vacancy: A space is considered vacant if, at the time of the survey, it is physically unoccupied and available for immediate rental.

Capture rate: The main age group living in seniors' residences are persons aged 75 years and older. Capture rate in a centre is the ratio of the total number of residents living in the survey universe divided by its estimated 75+ population, expressed as a percentage.

Acknowledgement

The Seniors' Housing Survey could not have been conducted without the co-operation of the residence owners and their staff. CMHC acknowledges their time and assistance in providing accurate information. As a result of their contribution, CMHC is able to provide data and analysis that benefits the entire industry.

Confidentiality

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