

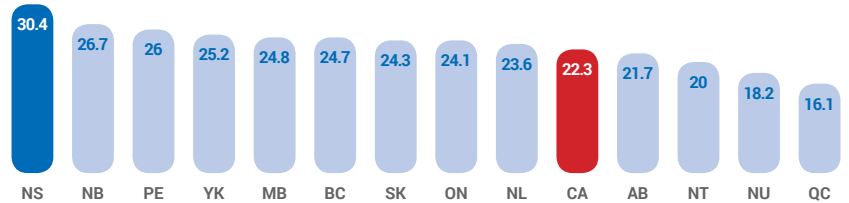


Disability in Nova Scotia

(Source: Canadian Survey on Disability, 2017, Statistics Canada)

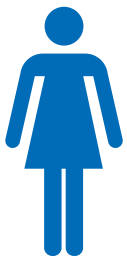
of Nova Scotians 15 years and older have at least one disability

– the Canadian average is 22.3%.



This represents 229,430 people in Nova Scotia.

Nova Scotians with at least one disability



FEMALE

32.4%



MALE

28.1%

By Disability Type:

Top four most common



19.8%

PAIN RELATED



14.2%

FLEXIBILITY



13.3%

MOBILITY



11.8%

MENTAL HEALTH RELATED

Others disability types:

6.7% Dexterity

6.6% Hearing

6.5% Seeing

5.3% Memory

5.2% Learning

1.3% Developmental

Labour Force & Disability Status

Aged 24-64

- Persons with disabilities
- Persons without disabilities

62.2%

84.5%

55.4%

78.8%

In the labour force

Employed

Those looking for work or employed

