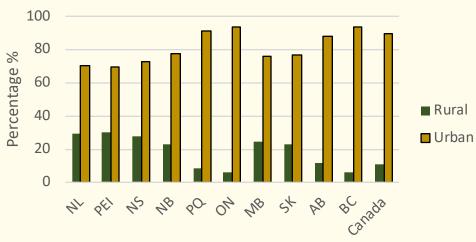
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Proportion of Rural/Urban Nursing Workforce, by Province, 2018*

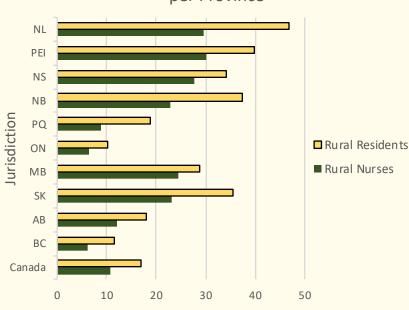


*Territories omitted, as rural/urban data not complete. Represents RN, LPN, NP, and RPN regulated nurses.

5.9 million residents (16.8%) lived in rural or remote areas of Canada in 2016.

43,527 or 10.8% of Canadian nurses reported working in rural or remote areas in 2018.

Rural Residents and Rural/Remote Nurses per Province



Percentage %



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