

Ontario Community Health Profiles Partnership

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Development of Communities within the Frontenac Lennox and Addington Ontario Health Team January 30, 2025

Technical Notes

Background

Commencing in May 2024, the Ontario Community Health Profiles Partnership (OCHPP) team in collaboration with the Health Services and Policy Research Institute (HSPRI) at Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario, began working together to develop small areas, known as "communities" for the Frontenac Lennox and Addington Ontario Health Team which includes Kingston, Ontario and surrounding areas.

Methods

The communities were created using existing Census 2021 Aggregate Dissemination Areas (ADAs) created by Statistics Canada. An aggregate dissemination area (ADA) is a dissemination geography created for the Census. ADAs cover the entire country and, where possible, have a population between 5,000 and 15,000 based on the previous census population counts. We compiled an original set of 26 ADAs but two were aggregated together to increase the combined populations to reportable levels.

Results

24 Communities* in Frontenac, Lennox and Addington Ontario Health Team (OHT) were developed as part of the collaboration and have an average population of 8,990. Communities was the term chosen for these new small areas by the HSPRI team as it most closely reflects the language used in the area and was more appropriate than other names such as "neighbourhoods."

The final geographies consist of a set of boundaries defining communities, their names and IDs that cover the rural Frontenac, Lennox and Addington sub-region, and respect Census 2021 aggregate dissemination area (ADA) boundaries. See the table below.

The OCHPP team will commence to generate health and socio-demographic data on an on-going basis for these communities. Data and maps will be posted on the publicly-accessible OCHPP website: www.ontariohealthprofiles.ca

**Note: Data will only be reported on 23 communities as one community, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory will be omitted from data gathering and reporting in order to conform to the Principles of ownership, control, access, and possession (OCAP) (<https://fnigc.ca/>) which OCHPP honours.*

Communities in Frontenac Lennox and Addington Ontario Health Team

OCHPP UID	Community ID	Community Name	ADA ID
10006	1	North/Central Frontenac	35100001
10007	2	North/South-central South Frontenac	35100002
10008	3	Southeast South Frontenac	35100003
10023	4	East Kingston	35100004
10005	5	Southwest South Frontenac	35100005
10019	6	Kingscourt/Williamsville/401 N	35100006
10020	7	Frontanc Islands - Central Kingston	35100007 & 35100011
10022	8	Marker's Acres/Rideau heights	35100008
10015	9	Cataraqui North/Westbrook	35100009
10016	10	Grenville Park/Hillendale/Strathcona Park	35100010
10021	11	Inner Harbour	35100012
10014	12	Gardiner's/Meadowbrook	35100013
10013	13	Sutton Mills/Westwoods	35100014
10012	14	Bayridge/Mile Square/Woodbine	35100015
10018	15	Alwington/Sunnyside	35100016
10017	16	Calvin Park/Portsmouth	35100017
10011	17	Auden Park/Henderson/Reddendale	35100018
10004	18	Addington Highlands/Stone Mills	35110001
10009	19	Loyalist (excluding Amherstview)	35110002
10003	20	North/West Greater Napanee	35110003
10010	21	Amherstview	35110004
10002	22	South/East Napanee	35110005
10001	23	Deseronto - Tyendinaga	35122000 & 35120005

For more information about the development and decision-making around these new communities, please email us at healthprofiles@unityhealth.to