



Ministry of Health Consolidated Analytics Services

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Question Asked:

The most recent, updated internal briefing document that tracks births in BC by non BC residents.

Data Extract:

- Of the almost 43,000 women giving birth in BC hospitals in 2017/18, approximately 2% were non-BC residents.
- While total births decreased slightly (1.2%) from 2016/17 to 2017/18, births by non-BC residents increased 24%, from 676 to 837.

	BC	Non-BC	Total	Percent non-BC residents
2016/17	42,670	676	43,346	1.6%
2017/18	41,986	837	42,823	2.0%

Source: Discharge Abstract Database

Please note that DAD data is not available yet for the 2018/19 fiscal year, which began April 01, 2018.