Smoking and Main Source of Household Income, British Columbia 2007-2008

NUMBER OF PEOPLE, AGES 12+

	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
daily	371,721	28,633	54,090	22,584	477,028
occasional	129,228	4,635	9,959	7,701	151,523
current	500,949	33,268	64,049	30,285	628,551
former	950,241	22,349	285,868	64,557	1,323,015
never	1,221,679	20,515	161,157	54,710	1,458,061
Total	2,672,869	76,132	511,074	149,552	3,409,627

PREVALENCE AND QUIT RATIO, AGES 12+

	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
Daily	14%	38%	11%	15%	14%
Current	19%	44%	13%	20%	18%
Never	46%	27%	32%	37%	43%
Quit ratio	1.90	0.67	4.46	2.13	2.10

NUMBER OF MEN, AGES 12+

	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
daily	219,584	12,568	25,502	10,230	267,884
occasional	75,878	3,000	3,697	2,850	85,425
current	295,462	15,568	29,199	13,080	353,309
former	517,758	10,734	149,998	28,259	706,749
never	547,524	7,387	47,551	20,033	622,495
Total	1,360,744	33,689	226,748	61,372	1,682,553

PREVALENCE AND QUIT RATIO, MEN 12+

	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
Daily	16%	37%	11%	17%	16%
Current	22%	46%	13%	21%	21%
Never	40%	22%	21%	33%	37%
Quit ratio	1.75	0.69	5.14	2.16	2.00

Number of women, ages 12+

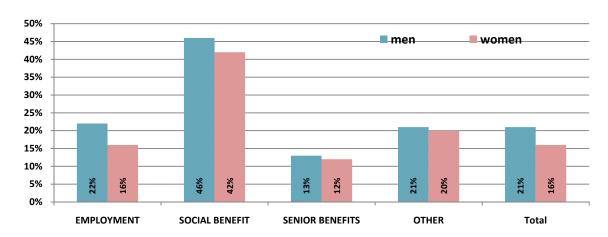
	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
daily	152,137	16,065	28,588	12,354	209,144
occasional	53,350	1,635	6,262	4,851	66,098
current	205,487	17,700	34,850	17,205	275,242
former	432,483	11,615	135,870	36,298	616,266
never	674,155	13,128	113,606	34,677	835,566
Total	1,312,125	42,443	284,326	88,180	1,727,074

PREVALENCE AND QUIT RATIO, WOMEN 12+

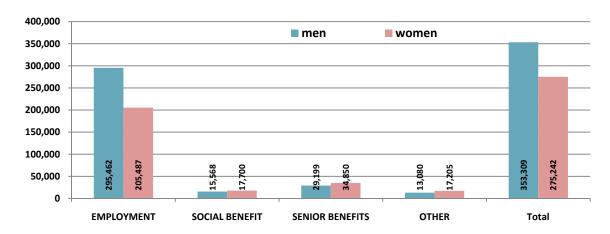
	EMPLOYMENT	SOCIAL BENEFIT	SENIOR BENEFITS	OTHER	Total
Daily	12%	38%	10%	14%	12%
Current	16%	42%	12%	20%	16%
Never	51%	31%	40%	39%	48%
Quit ratio	2.10	0.66	3.90	2.11	2.24

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Prevalence of current smoking, men and women, by household income level, British Columbia 2007-2008



Number of smokers, men and women, by household income level, British Columbia 2007-2008



Source: Canadian Community Health Survey, Statistics Canada. 2007-2008 Public Use Micro File

Main source of household income:

Employment includes wages/salaries or self-employment

Social benefits includes: Employment insurance or worker's compensation or social assistance/welfare Seniors benefits includes: Canada or Quebec pension or retirement pensions or old age security/GIS Other includes: Dividends/interest or child tax benefit or child support or alimony or other or no income