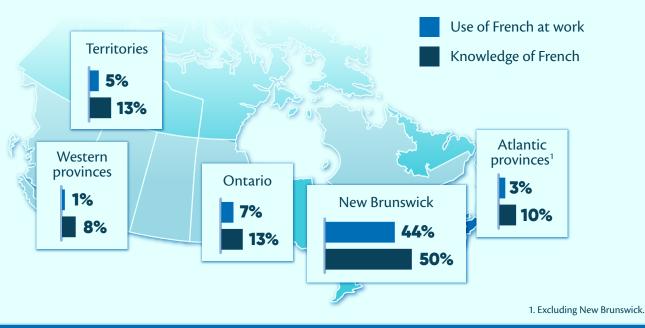
French among healthcare workers in Canada outside Quebec, 2001 to 2016

The number of healthcare workers who could speak French has increased, but their proportion has decreased, totalling **11.5%** of healthcare workers in 2016.

In 2016, **5.2%** of healthcare workers used French at work, a proportion that has been stable since 2001.



Use and knowledge of French by healthcare workers in 2016



In 2016, the proportion of healthcare workers who used French at work was higher among those aged 15 to 29 than among those aged 55 and older.



In 2016, the proportion of healthcare workers with knowledge of French varied by occupation.



Sources: Statistics Canada, Census of Population, 2001, 2006 and 2016; National Household Survey, 2011. For more information, please refer to the booklet entitled "Knowledge and Use of the Official Minority Language at Work by Healthcare Workers, 2001 to 2016."

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