

# StatsUpdate

**Topic:**

**Deaths**

2018

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**Background:**

In 2018, there were **196** deaths in Nunavut – an **increase** of **28** deaths or **16.7%** from 2017.

In Canada, the number of deaths **increased** by **2.5%** during the same period.

**Details:**

Deaths by Province & Territory			
	2018	2017	2018 compared to 2017
	Number		% Change
<b>Nunavut</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>16.7</b>
<b>Canada</b>	<b>283,706</b>	<b>276,689</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	5,217	5,136	1.6
Prince Edward Island	1,365	1,315	3.8
Nova Scotia	9,709	9,547	1.7
New Brunswick	7,644	7,489	2.1
Quebec	67,216	64,993	3.4
Ontario	106,991	103,282	3.6
Manitoba	10,992	11,055	-0.6
Saskatchewan	9,684	9,450	2.5
Alberta	25,990	25,532	1.8
British Columbia	38,463	38,481	0.0
Yukon	...	...	...
Northwest Territories	239	241	-0.8

**Note:**

... Data not available

**Note to Readers:**

To improve the timeliness of the data, the collection period was shortened in 2017 compared with previous years. As a result, 2018 data are considered preliminary. The data will be revised in future releases.

Data on the causes and number of deaths for deaths that occurred in Yukon or to residents of Yukon in other provinces or territories are not available. Likewise, data on the causes of death occurring in Ontario or to residents of Ontario in other provinces or territories are also not available. However, the total number of deaths in Ontario was available and has been included in this release.

For more statistical information, visit our website at <http://www.stats.gov.nu.ca/en/home.aspx>.