New Brunswick Women and Family Responsibilities

Employment and Parental Leave		
% of all mothers with a child under age six who are employed (full or part-time), 2009	73%	
% of lone mothers with a child under age six who are employed (full or part-time), 2009	56%	
% of all employed mothers of children under age 16 who work full-time, 2009	82%	
% of employed lone mothers of children under age 16 who work full-time, 2009	80%	
Number of women who drew EI maternity leave benefits, 2010	1,362	
Number of women who drew EI parental leave benefits, 2010	2,860	
Number of men who drew EI parental leave benefits, 2010	248	
Number of women who drew El adoption leave benefits, 2010	29	
Number of men who drew El adoption leave benefits, 2010	8	
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Unpaid Household Work	
Average number of hours spent per day by women on various household-related tasks, 2005	4.2
Average number of hours spent per day by men on various household-related tasks, 2005	2.5
Percentage of women who did 15 or more hours of housework per week, 2006	48%
Percentage of men who did 15 or more hours of housework per week, 2006	28%
Percentage of women who did 15 or more hours of child care per week, 2006	23%
Percentage of men who did 15 or more hours of child care per week, 2006	14%
Percentage of women who did 10 or more hours of senior care/assistance per week, 2006	4%
Percentage of men who did 10 or more hours of senior care/assistance per week, 2006	2%

Access to Child Care	
Percentage of N.B. children aged 12 and under who could be accommodated in regulated child care spaces, 2011	21%
Average monthly parent fee for full-time regulated child care for infants, 2010/11	\$610
Average monthly parent fee for full-time regulated child care for preschoolers, 2010/11	\$517
Average monthly parent fee for full-time regulated child care for school-age children, 2010/11	\$300

Payment of Child Support		
Number of Family Support Orders Service cases involving payments for children, 2008/09	13,365 (95% of total cases)	
Percentage of child support payments due that were not collected in 2008/09	13%	
Amount of support due but not paid in 2008/09 in cases involving children (including spousal, child and family support and special expenses payments where the beneficiary cares for the children)	\$11.4 million	



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