Provincial Waitlist

Each month NSHA publishes an updated provincial report of the number of persons waitlisted for a family practice. The report is accessible via NSHA's website under 'Need a Family Practice' Reporting: http://www.nshealth.ca/reports-statistics-and-accountability (The numbers are graphed and provided by zone).

Rather than by county, NSHA captures the data at community health network level, which is the metric used for health planning in Nova Scotia. Community health networks are composed of 1 to 3 counties, depending upon geography and population size. With the exception of Central Zone, most of the community health network names are indicative of their county regions.

This data is provided as of 1 November 2017:

Need a Family Practice Registry - Volumes Not Yet Placed by Zone & Network as of November 1, 2017

| Zone/ Network | Total # Not yet placed |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Central | 20,278 |
| Bedford / Sackville | 3,335 |
| Dartmouth / Southeastern | 6,117 |
| Eastern Shore Musquodoboit | 439 |
| Halifax Peninsula / Chebucto | 9,989 |
| Unknown | 36 |
| West Hants | 362 |
| Eastern | 4,419 |
| Antigonish and Guysborough | 379 |
| Cape Breton County | 3,145 |
| Inverness / Victoria / Richmond | 888 |
| Unknown | 7 |
| Northern | 4,652 |
| Colchester East Hants | 1,684 |
| Cumberland | 798 |
| Pictou County | 1,821 |
| Unknown | 349 |
| Western | 10,526 |
| Annapolis and Kings | 5,106 |
| Queens and Lunenburg | 2,582 |
| Unknown | 1 |
| Yarmouth / Shelburne /Digby | 2,837 |
| Unknown | 90 |
| Total # Not yet placed | 39,965 |