

Oakville's Vital Signs® Sources Document.

This document is a companion document to Oakville's Vital Signs® 2015, containing detailed information about the data sources that went into the Vital Signs® report. Where appropriate, links have been included in this document to correspond with the printed version of the Vital Signs® report.

About Vital Signs®

Vital Signs® is a national program led by community foundations and coordinated by Community Foundations of Canada that leverages local knowledge to measure the vitality of our communities and supports action towards improving our quality of life. Started by the Toronto Foundation in 2001, today more than 65 communities across Canada and around the world use Vital Signs® to mobilize the power of community knowledge for greater local impact.

¹ Source: Town of Oakville

² Source: [Social Profile of Halton 2014, Community Development Halton](#); Fig. 39. Couple Family Median Income

³ Source: [Statistics Canada. National Household Survey \(NHS\) Profiles 2011](#), Overall Poverty Rate (Low Income Measure) CFC File (Table I-2-a: Overall Poverty Rate, Census 2000, 2005, 2010 (LICO), NHS 2010 (LIM) (File: [Gap Table 1-2 - Overall Poverty Rate](#))

⁴ Source: Statistics Canada. National Household Survey (NHS) Profiles 2011, Child (Persons 18 years and under) Poverty Rate (Low Income Measure) CFC file GAP Table I-3-a: Child (Persons 18 years and under) Poverty Rate, Census 2000 and 2005 (LICO), NHS 2011 (LIM) (File: [Table I-3-a - Child Poverty Rate](#))

⁵ Source: [Statistics Canada, Focus on Geography Series, 2011 Census](#)

⁶ [Town of Oakville, 2015 population estimate provided March 2015](#)

⁷ Source: Town of Oakville, Environics Analytics report, 2015

⁸ ibid

⁹ Source: [Halton Region 2014 State of Housing Report](#)

¹⁰ Source: [The Oakville, Milton and District Real Estate Board, January 2015 Real Estate Market](#)

¹¹ Source: [Halton Region 2014 State of Housing Report](#)

¹² Source: [Social Profile of Halton 2014, Community Development Halton](#) Fig. 24. Proportion of Out-Commuter Trips, 1986-2011
Transportation Tomorrow Survey

¹³ Source: [Statistics Canada, Police-reported crime statistics in Canada, 2014](#)

¹⁴ Source: Kathryn Baker-Reed, former Executive Director, SAVIS of Halton

¹⁵ Source: Diane Beaulieu, Executive Director, Halton Women's Place

¹⁶ Source: As provided by CFC GAP Table I-6: Proportion of Economic Families in Income Brackets in Vital Signs Communities, 2000 (2005 Constant Dollars), 2005 (Constant Dollars), and 2010 (Current Dollars) National Household Survey 2011, Economic Family Income in 2010 (33), Economic Family Structure (11) and Selected Economic Family Characteristics (16) for the Economic Families in Private Households of Canada, Provinces, Territories, Census Metropolitan Areas and Census Agglomerations. (File: [GAP Table I-6: Proportion of Economic Families in Income Brackets in Vital Signs Communities](#))

¹⁷ Source: [It's More than Poverty: Employment Precarity and Household Well-being, A report by PEPSO, United Way Toronto and McMaster University, February 2013](#)

¹⁸ Source: [Calculating a Living Wage for Halton Discussion Paper, March 2013, Community Development Halton, Poverty Free Halton](#)

¹⁹ Source: [Social Profile of Halton 2014, Community Development Halton](#) Fig. 20: Youth Unemployment Rate

²⁰ Source: Brenda Hajdu, Executive Director, Food For Life Canada – (file: [FFL - General Presentation 2015 \(Halton+Ham\)](#))

²¹ Source: Gary O'Neill, Executive Director, Kerr Street Mission; Lena Bassford, Executive Director, Food4Kids

²² Source: [Social Profile of Halton 2014, Community Development Halton](#) Figure 14. Proportion of Household Spending 30%+ Of Income on Shelter by Tenure

²³ Source: [Halton Region 2014 State of Housing Report](#)

²⁴ Source: ibid

²⁵ Source: Andrew Balahura, Director, Housing Services Division, Halton Region; Average Market Rent established by the Canadian Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)

²⁶ Source: [Halton Region 2014 State of Housing Report](#)

²⁷ Source: ibid

²⁸ Source: Kelly Giuliani, Manager of Community and Youth Development, Reach Out Centre For Kids (ROCK) (File: [Halton Youth Survey](#)).

²⁹ Source: Halton Regional Police Service

³⁰ Source: Pat Spadafora, Director, Sheridan Centre for Elder Research

³¹ Source: Mental Health Commission, <http://www.mentalhealthcommission.ca/English/issues/seniors>

³² Source: [Public Health Agency of Canada. \(2010\). The Chief Public Health Officer's Report on the State of Public Health in Canada 2010: Growing Older – Adding Life to Years](#)

³³ Source: National Seniors Council Report on the Social Isolation of Seniors 2013-2014, pg. 8, October 2014 (File: [PIMA-Report-NSCReportSocIsolFinal-20141121-E](#))

³⁴ Source: Town of Oakville, Environics Analytics report 2015

³⁵ Source: [Social Profile of Halton 2014, Community Development Halton](#), Fig. 36 Proportion of Population by Religious Affiliation, 2011 National Household Survey

³⁶ Source: Abdul Qayyum Mufti, founding Co-Chair, Interfaith Council of Halton

³⁷ Source: [Public Health Agency of Canada, Age Friendly Communities](#)

³⁸ Source: [Town of Oakville, Council Meeting Addendum, Age-Friendly Community Planning Grant Application Requirements, March 26, 2015](#)

³⁹ Source: Irene Cvetkovsky-Dukic, Director of Services and Business Development, Community Living Oakville

⁴⁰ Source: Marcus Logan, Supervisor, LGBTQ+ Education and Support Services, Positive Space Network

⁴¹ Source: [Elder Abuse Prevention Committee of Halton](#)

⁴² Source: *Aging in a Foreign Land: Exploring current and emerging support needs of South Asian Immigrants 65+ living in Halton and Peel*, Sheridan Elder Research Centre report for India Rainbow Community Services of Peel, June 2015 (File: [Aging in a Foreign Land - Sheridan Report - June 3-15](#))

⁴³ Source: ibid