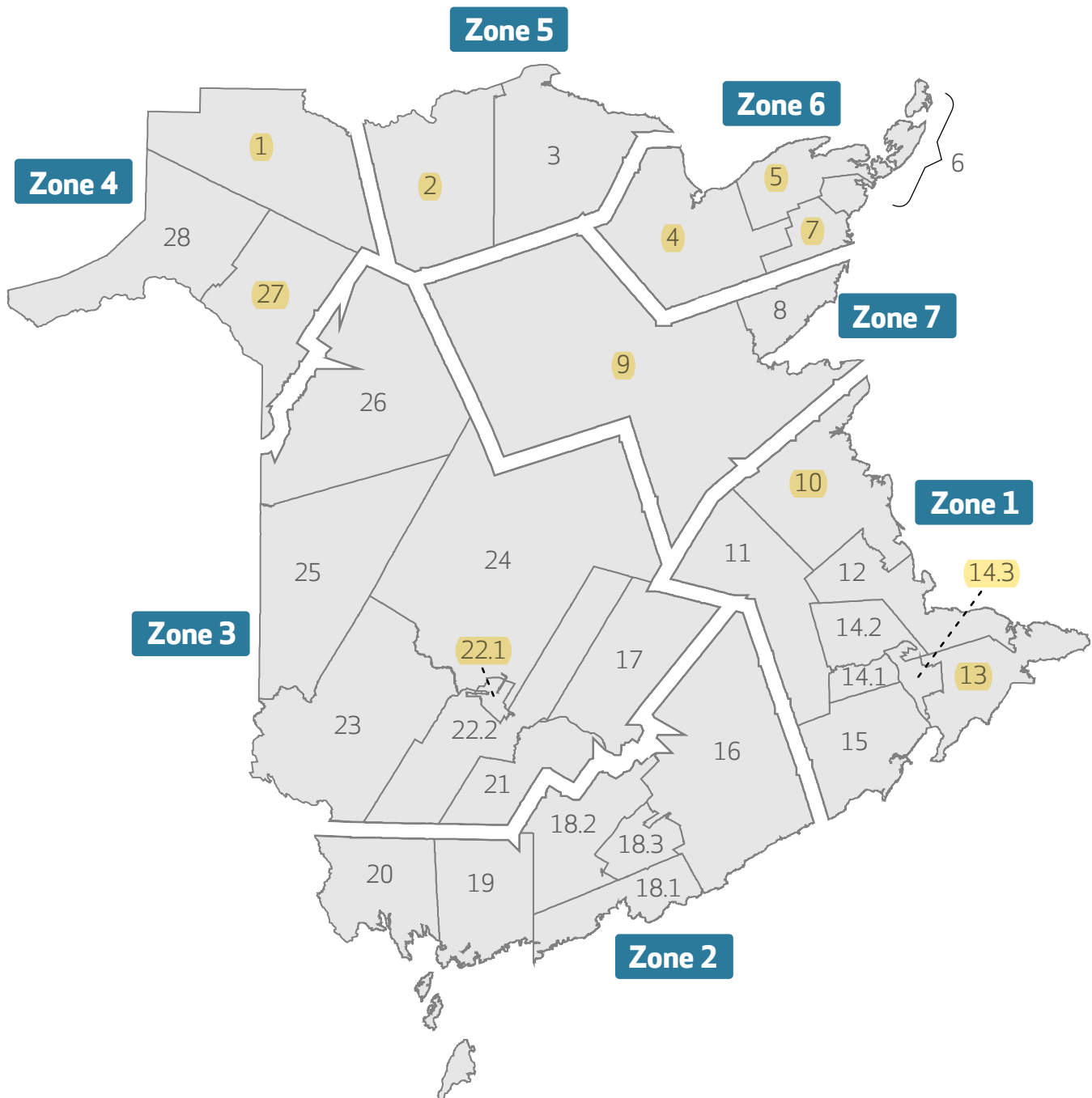


Health zones and communities

To provide a better understanding of local differences, the NBHC presents information at either the health zone level or the community level. The boundaries of the seven health zones were established by provincial legislation, while the 33 communities were created by the NBHC (by further dividing up the seven established health zones). The community boundaries were determined using the catchment areas of health care centres, community health centres and hospitals. No community has fewer than 5,000 people to ensure data availability, stability and anonymity.



Health Zone 1: Moncton/South-East Area

10	Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Louis de Kent Area
11	Salisbury, Petitcodiac, Harcourt Area
12	Shediac, Saint-Antoine, Beaubassin East Area
13	Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area
14.1	Riverview and Coverdale
14.2	Moncton
14.3	Dieppe and Memramcook
15	Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area

Health Zone 2: Fundy Shore and Saint John Area

16	Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area
18.1	Saint John, Simonds and Musquash
18.2	Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area
18.3	Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area
19	St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area
20	St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area

Health Zone 3: Fredericton and River Valley Area

17	Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area
21	Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area
22.1	Fredericton
22.2	New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area
23	Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area
24	Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area
25	Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area
26	Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area

Health Zone 4: Madawaska and North-West Area

1	Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer
27	Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area
28	Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area

Health Zone 5: Restigouche Area

2	Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area
3	Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area

Health Zone 6: Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area

4	Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area
5	Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area
6	Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area
7	Tracadie-Sheila, Saumarez and Saint-Isidore

Health Zone 7: Miramichi Area

8	Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area
9	Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area