

NETWORK HIGHLIGHTS

North West 6

North West 6 is a small Network geographically. It includes the city of North Battleford and immediate surrounding areas.



21,841
residents¹

- Older demographic - 5.6% are 80+ years, highest in the Area
- 29.5% identify as First Nations or Métis[^]

Percentage of Children Achieving Developmental Tasks at Kindergarten²



43.9%

in North West 6 Network



49.9%

in North West Area



Network 6 has generally favourable socio-economic indicators compared to Area averages.¹

% of population with greater than high school education



Network 56.1%
Area 52.9%

% of population employed



Network 60.5%
Area 59.0%

% of population with housing in need of major repair



Network 8.2%
Area 11.2%



Network 6 has rates **higher than Area averages** on all hospital discharge indicators.³

³rate per 100,000



Network 124.9
Area 120.7 Total Discharges



Network 7.9
Area 6.1 Mental Health Discharges



Network 9.1
Area 7.9 Unintentional Injury Discharges

Network 6 has the highest COPD and diabetes prevalence rates in the Area.⁴

% of population with COPD



Network 14.0%
Area 12.7%

% of population with diabetes



Network 9.9%
Area 8.4%

% of population with asthma



Network 9.6%
Area 7.9%

¹ Statistics Canada Census, 2016

² Saskatchewan Ministry of Education, Early Years Branch, 2018 - 19. Does not include on-reserve schools.

³ Saskatchewan Ministry of Health, Hospital Discharge Abstract Database, 2018 - 19

⁴ Health Quality Council, 2017 - 18

[^] Note: First Nations and Métis also includes Inuit population from "Aboriginal Identity" terminology used in Statistics Canada Census.



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