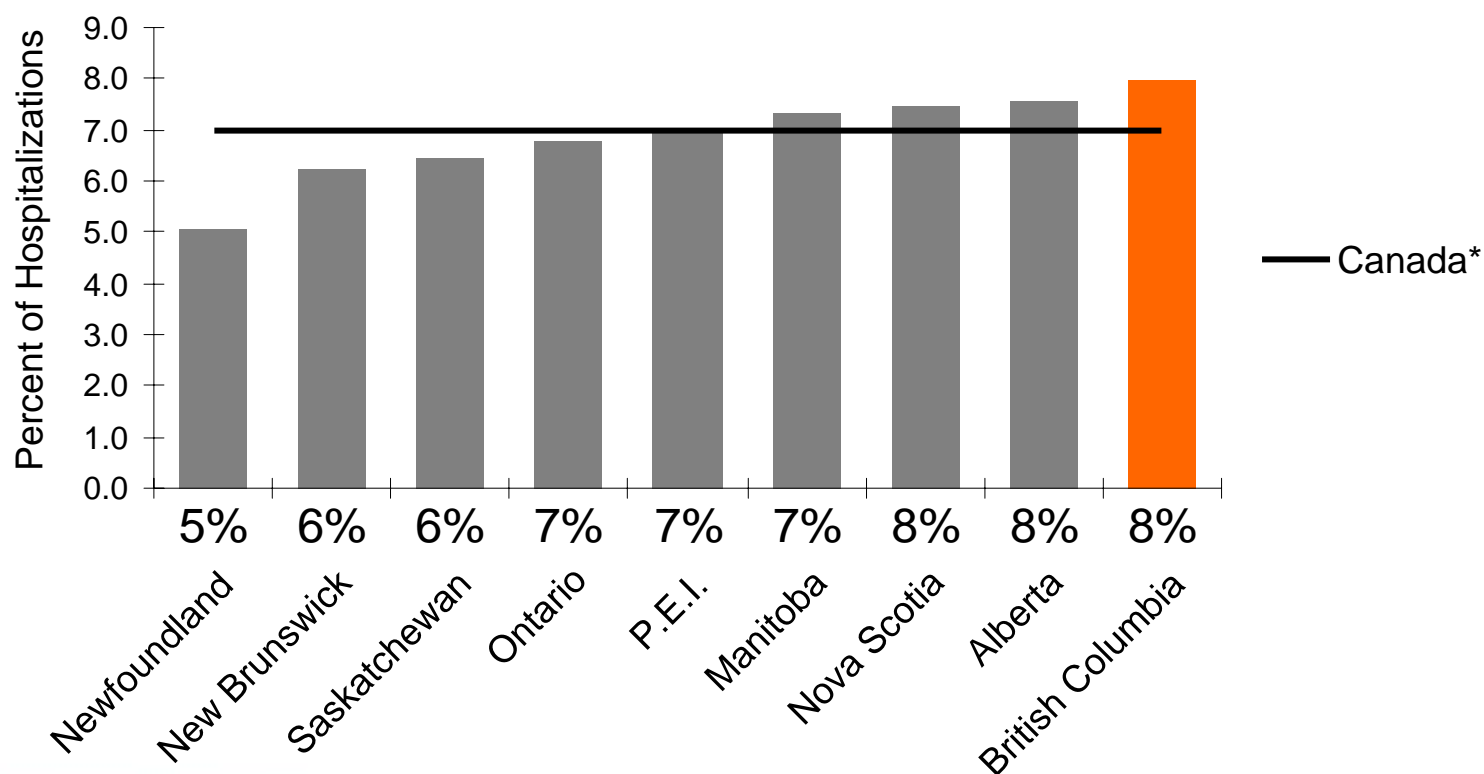


Fall-Related Hospitalizations in Seniors

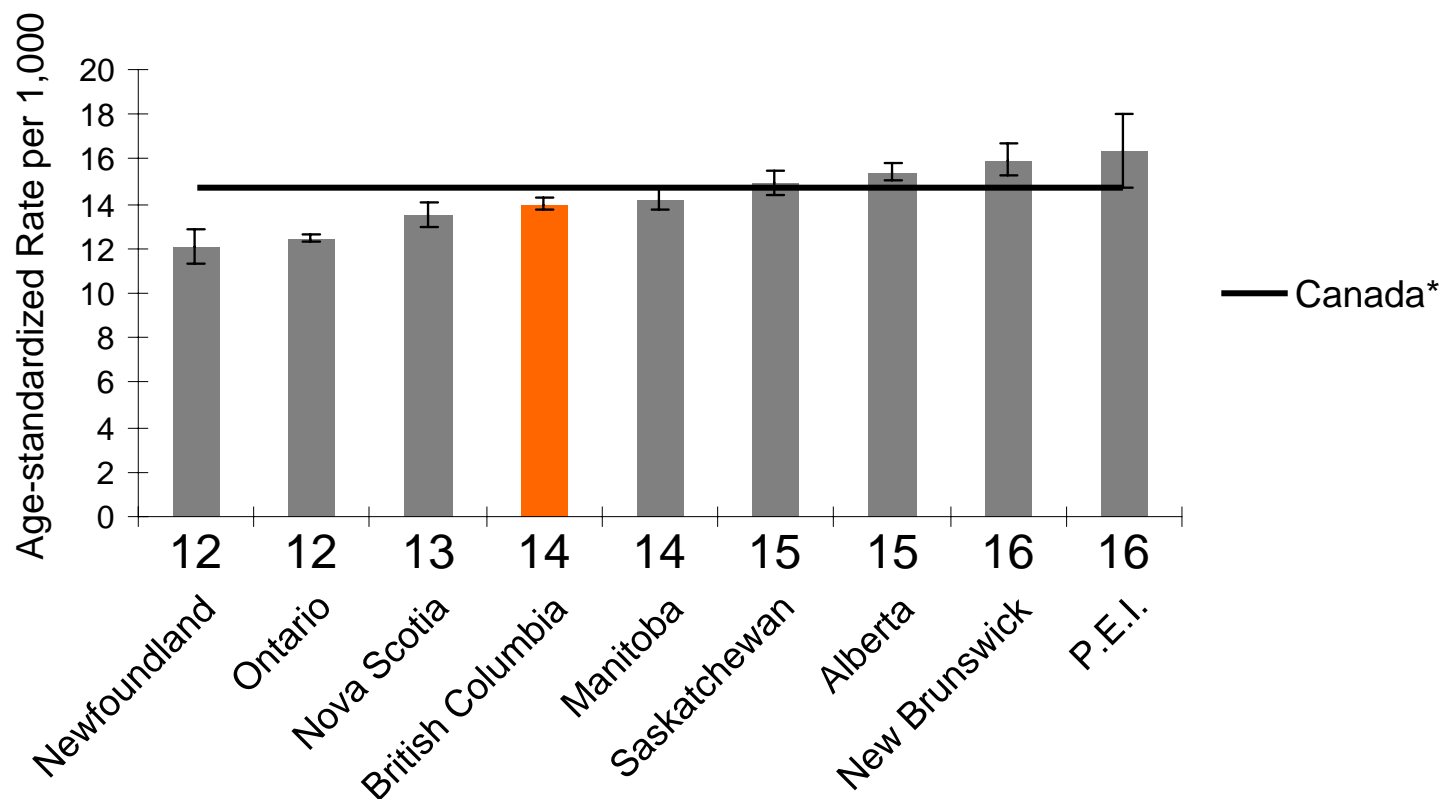
Percent of All Hospitalizations for Seniors that were Related to an Unintentional Fall, 2007/08



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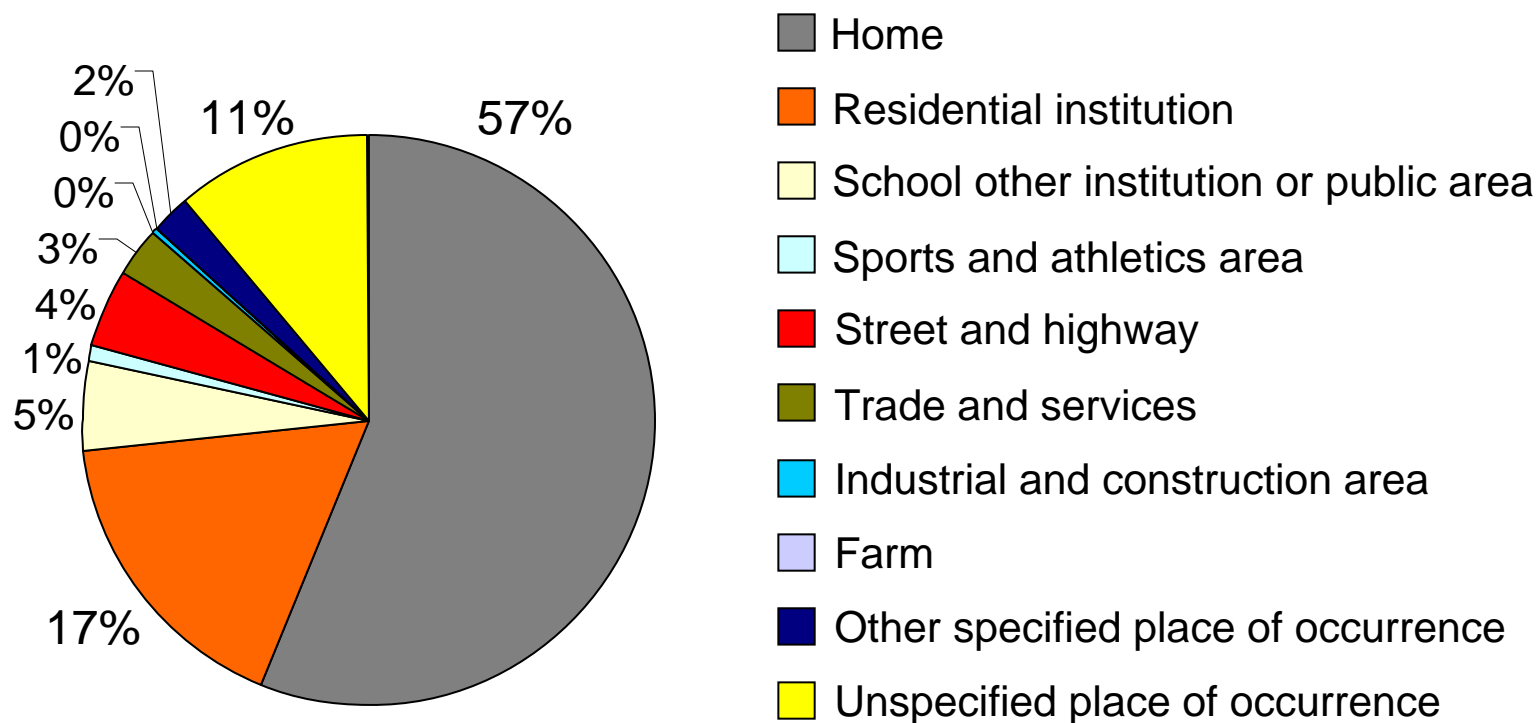
Age-standardized Fall Related Hospitalization Rate for Seniors in 2007/08



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Fall Related Hospitalizations in Seniors by Injury Place, B.C., 2007/08

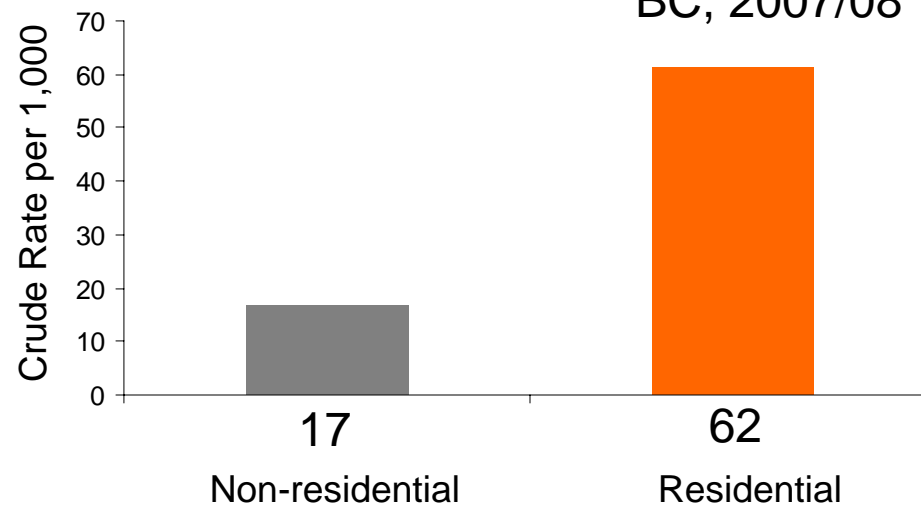


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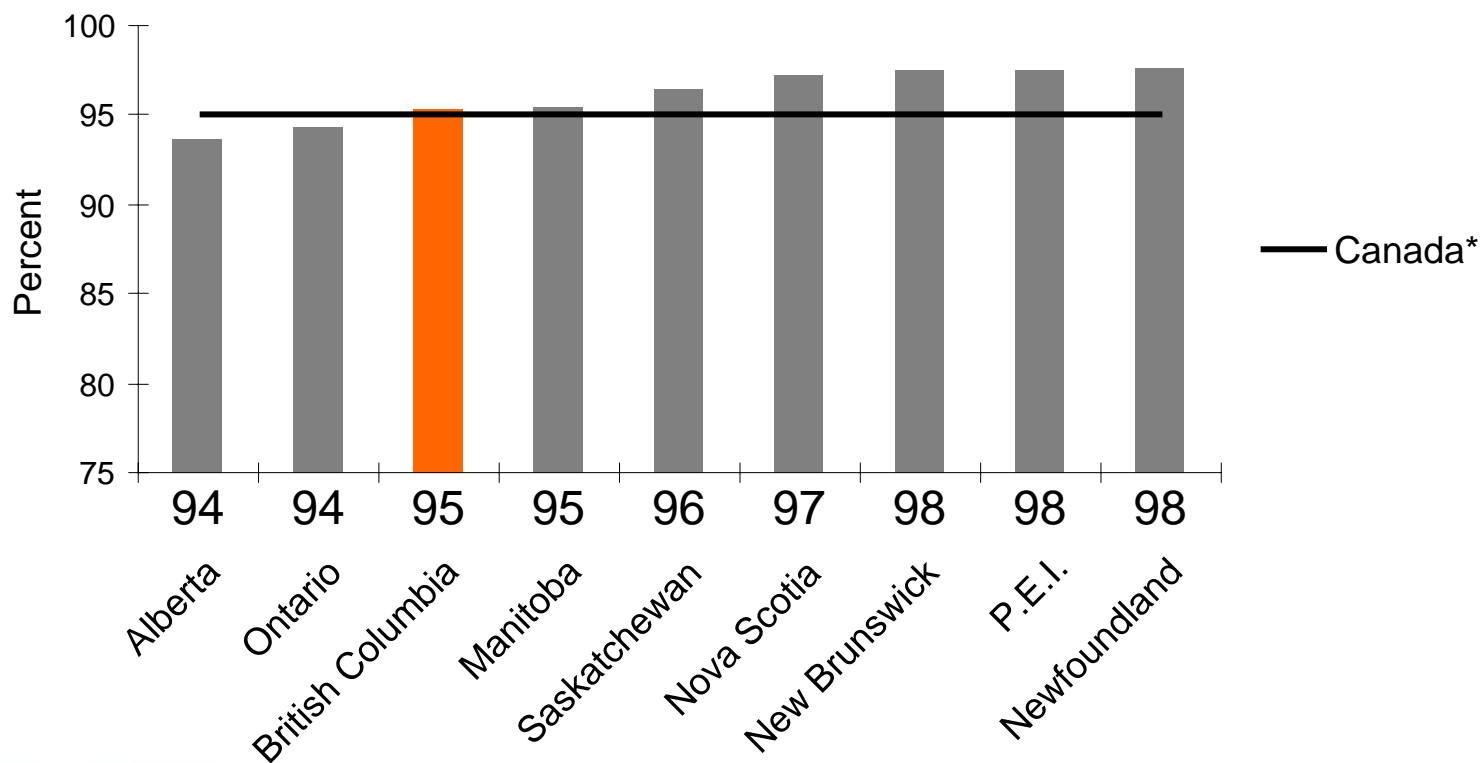


The fall related hospitalization rate for Residential Care was **3.6** times higher than the hospitalization rate for falls occurring outside residential care

Residential vs. Non-Residential Fall Related Hospitalization Rate, BC, 2007/08



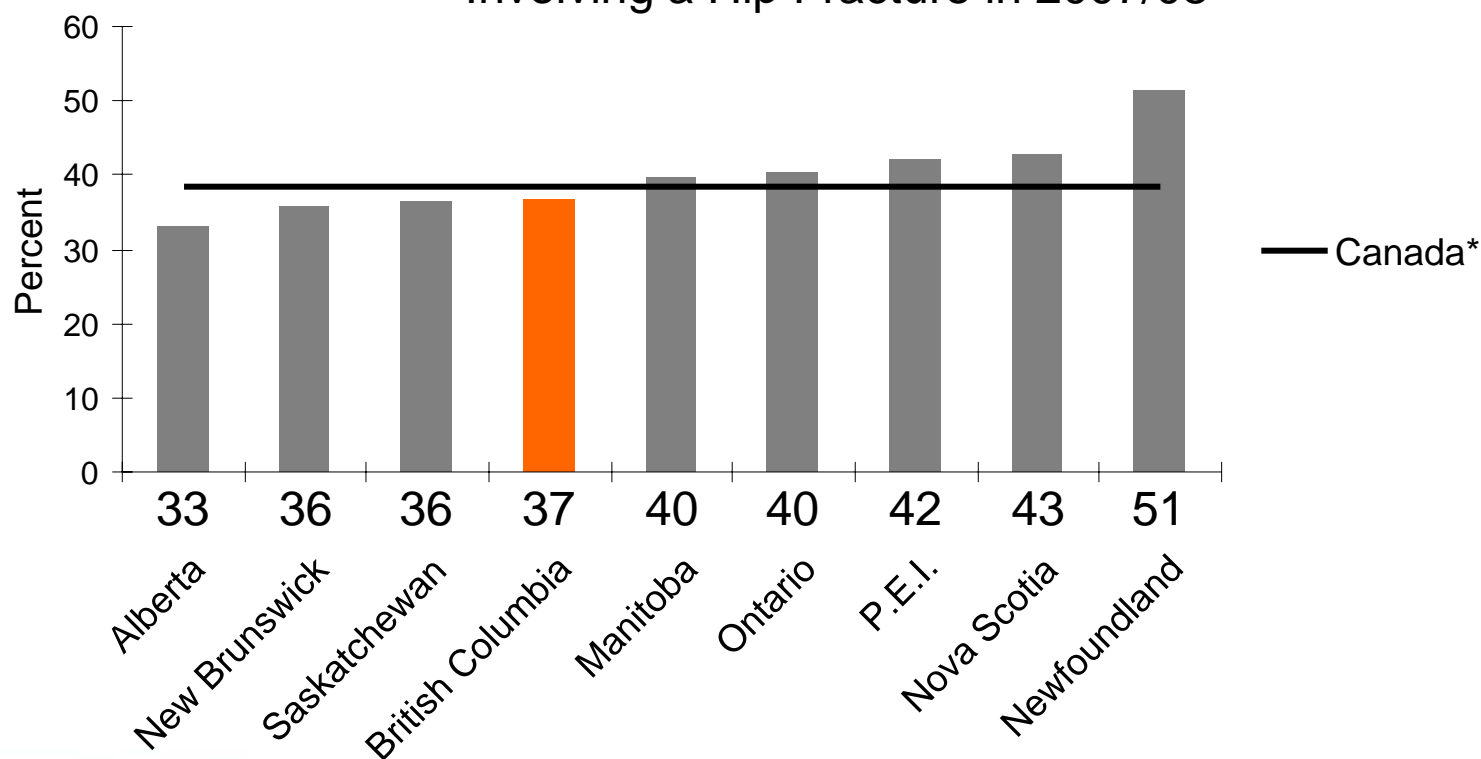
Percent of All Hip Fractures in Seniors Involving a Fall Related Hospitalization in 2007/08



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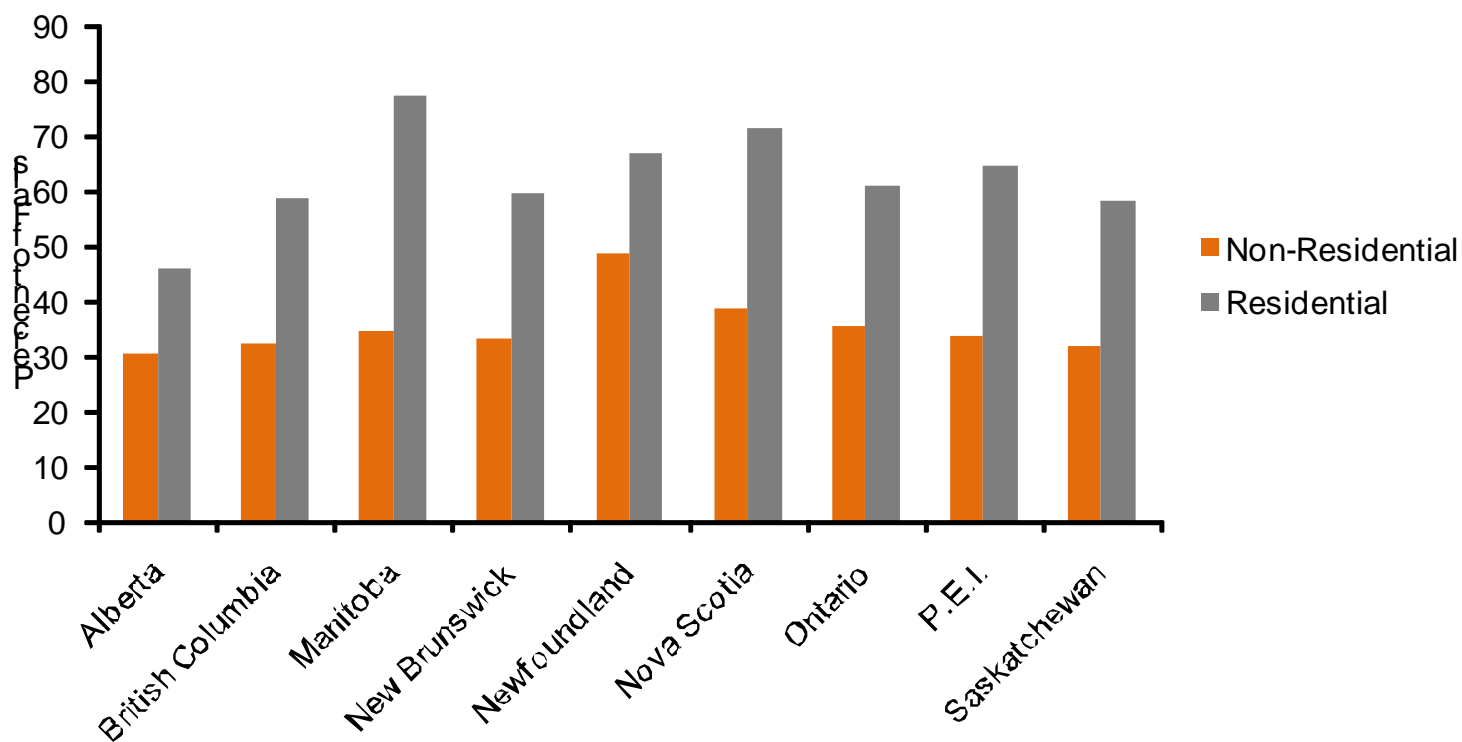
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Percent of Fall Related Hospitalizations involving a Hip Fracture for Residential and Non-residential Care

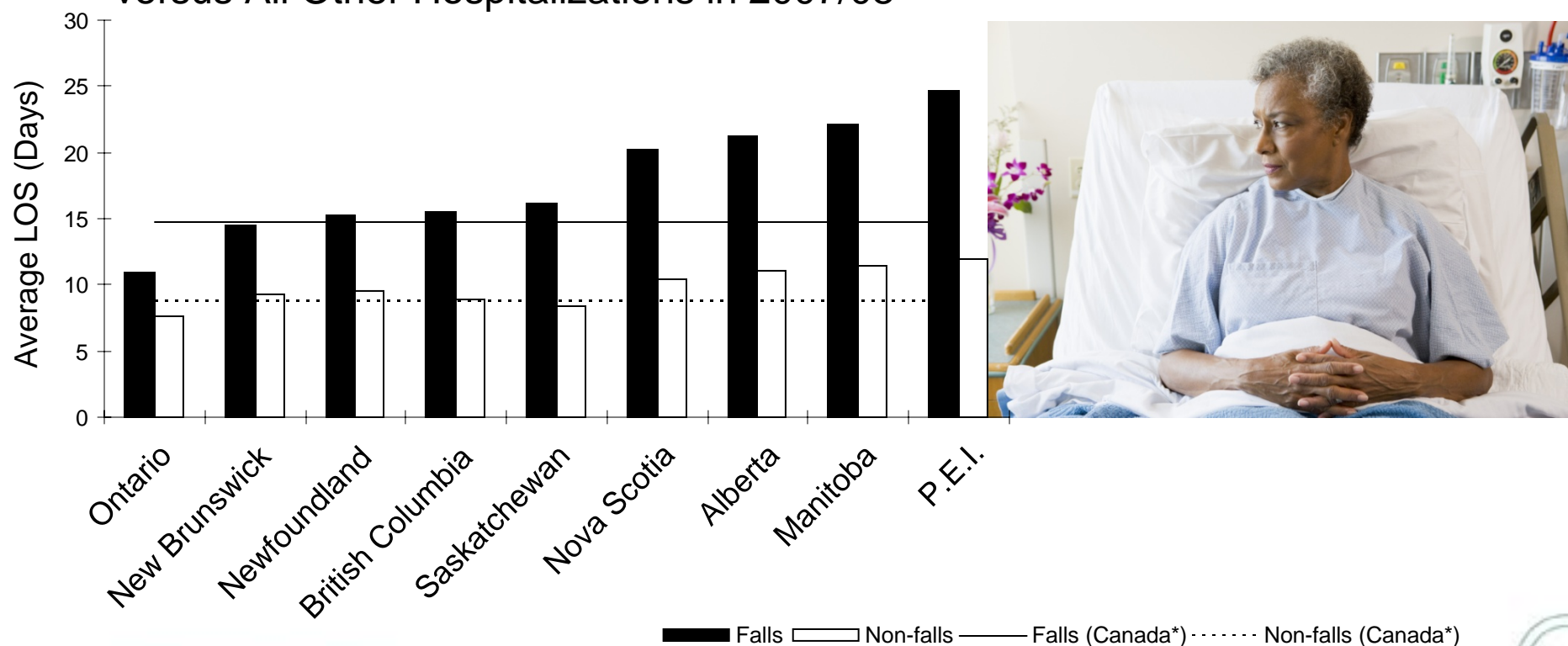


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Acute Length Of Stay

Average Seniors Length of Stay for Fall Related Hospitalizations versus All Other Hospitalizations in 2007/08

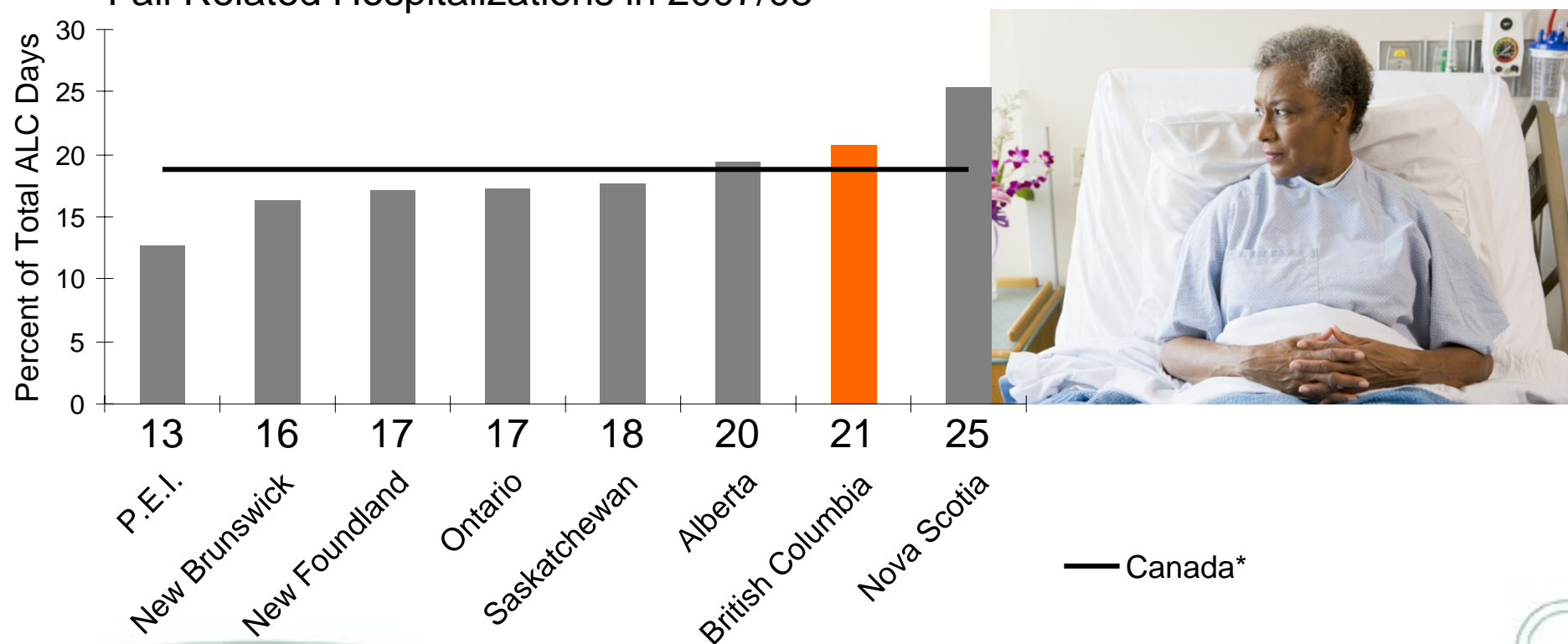


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Alternative Level of Care

Percent of Total ALC Days for Seniors Accounted for by Fall Related Hospitalizations in 2007/08

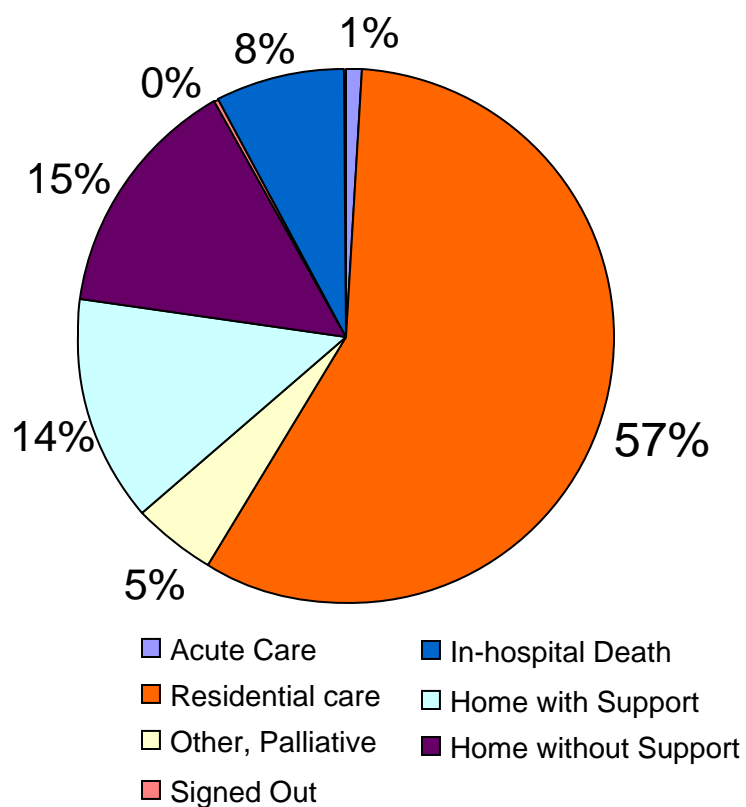


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Disposition by ALC days, BC, 2007/08

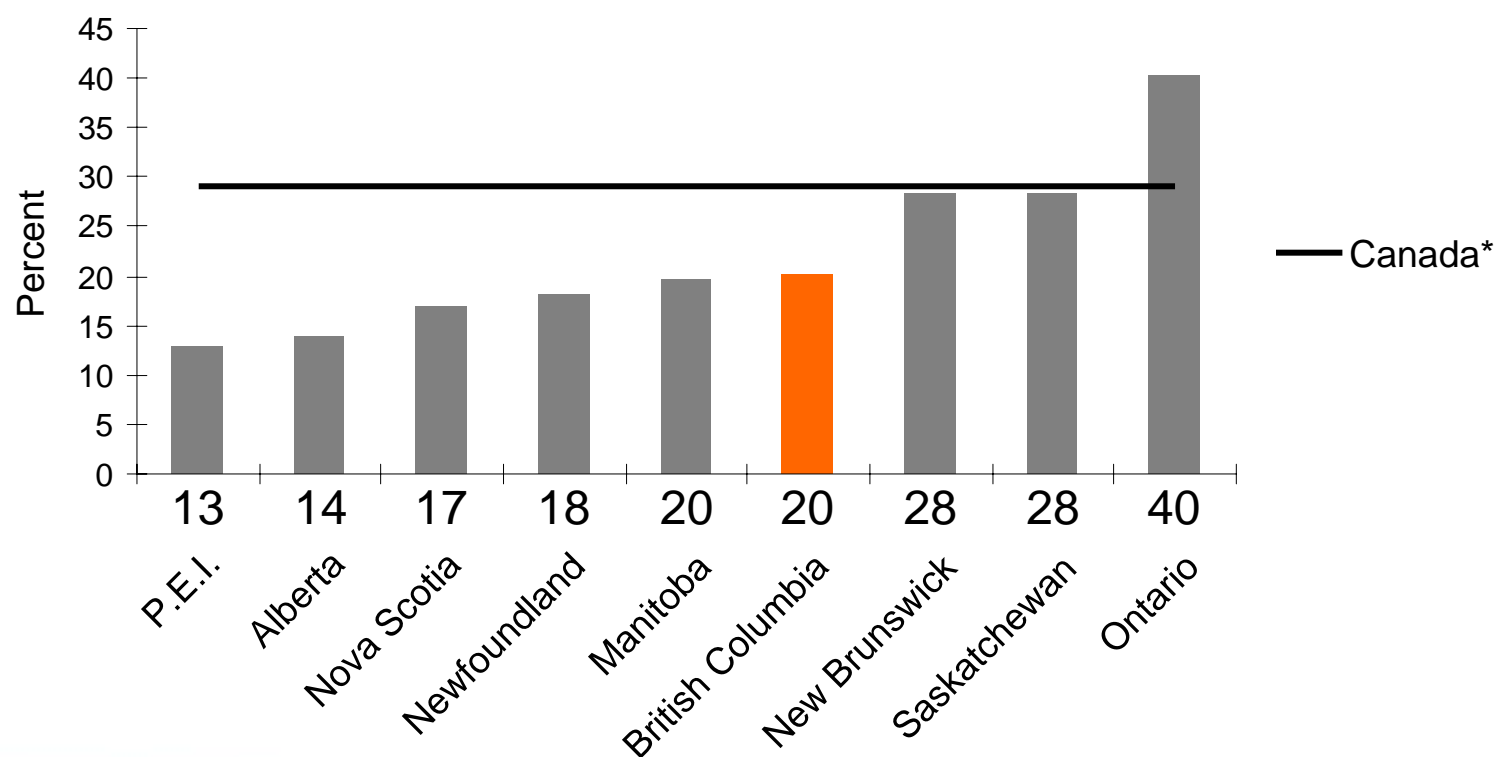


Almost **60%** of the ALC days related to hospitalizations for an unintentional fall were for seniors waiting to be transferred into residential care

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Percent of Non-residential Falls Transferred to Residential Care after a Fall Related Hospitalization in 2007/08



In BC in 2007/08...

1 in 5 non-residential care patients were transferred into a residential care facility after being hospitalized for a fall

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