

4.6 Diabetes Incidence

Definition: the average number of new cases of residents aged 19 and older with diabetes (Type I and II) per 100 person-years as defined by either:

- at least one hospitalization with a diagnosis with an ICD-9-CM code of 250 or an ICD-10-CA code of E10-E14 or
- at least two physician visits with an ICD-9-CM code listed above or
- at least one prescription for diabetes medication (ATC code A10; see Glossary)

Incidence was calculated for 2004/05–2006/07 and 2009/10–2011/12 and was age- and sex-adjusted to the Manitoba population aged 19 and older in the first time period. See Glossary for further details.

Key Findings

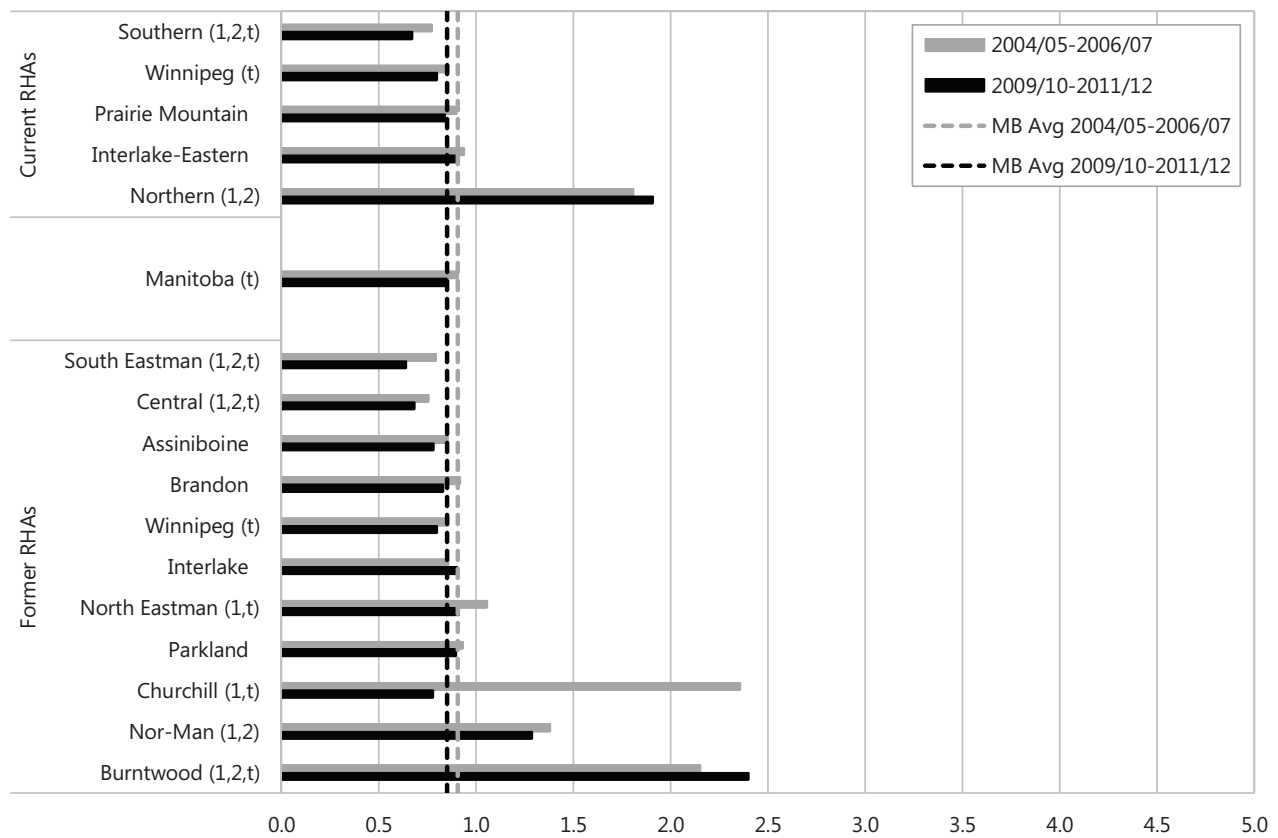
- Diabetes incidence decreased in Manitoba from 0.908 to 0.851 cases per 100 person-years. (As explained above, these values can be interpreted as percent, presuming all residents lived for at least one year). Incidence decreased in all regions except Northern, though only the decreases in Southern and Winnipeg reached statistical significance.
- Diabetes incidence rates were related to PMR at the regional level, with the lowest rates in Southern and the highest in Northern. However, this relationship was not linear: the incidence rate in Northern was double that in all other regions. Incidence was particularly high in the former Burntwood RHA (and increased over time), though the rates for the former NOR-MAN RHA were also above the provincial average.
- Incidence rates varied dramatically across districts in rural regions, ranging from under 0.5 to over 5.0 per 100 person-years. Several districts in Northern and the Northern Remote district of Interlake-Eastern had the highest rates.
- There was less variation across NCs within Winnipeg, though some had higher and some had lower than average rates.
- There were statistically significant relationships between income and diabetes incidence rates in urban and rural areas in both time periods: incidence rates were higher among residents of lower income areas. Among rural residents, the gap across income groups widened over time because the incidence rate among the lowest income group increased slightly, while that in all other income groups decreased (Appendix 2).

Comparison to Other Findings

- This indicator has not been included in MCHP reports before. However, we applied the same definition to earlier time periods. The results revealed that over the last 10 years, diabetes incidence increased from 0.761 to 0.908 and then decreased to 0.851 new cases per 100 person-years.

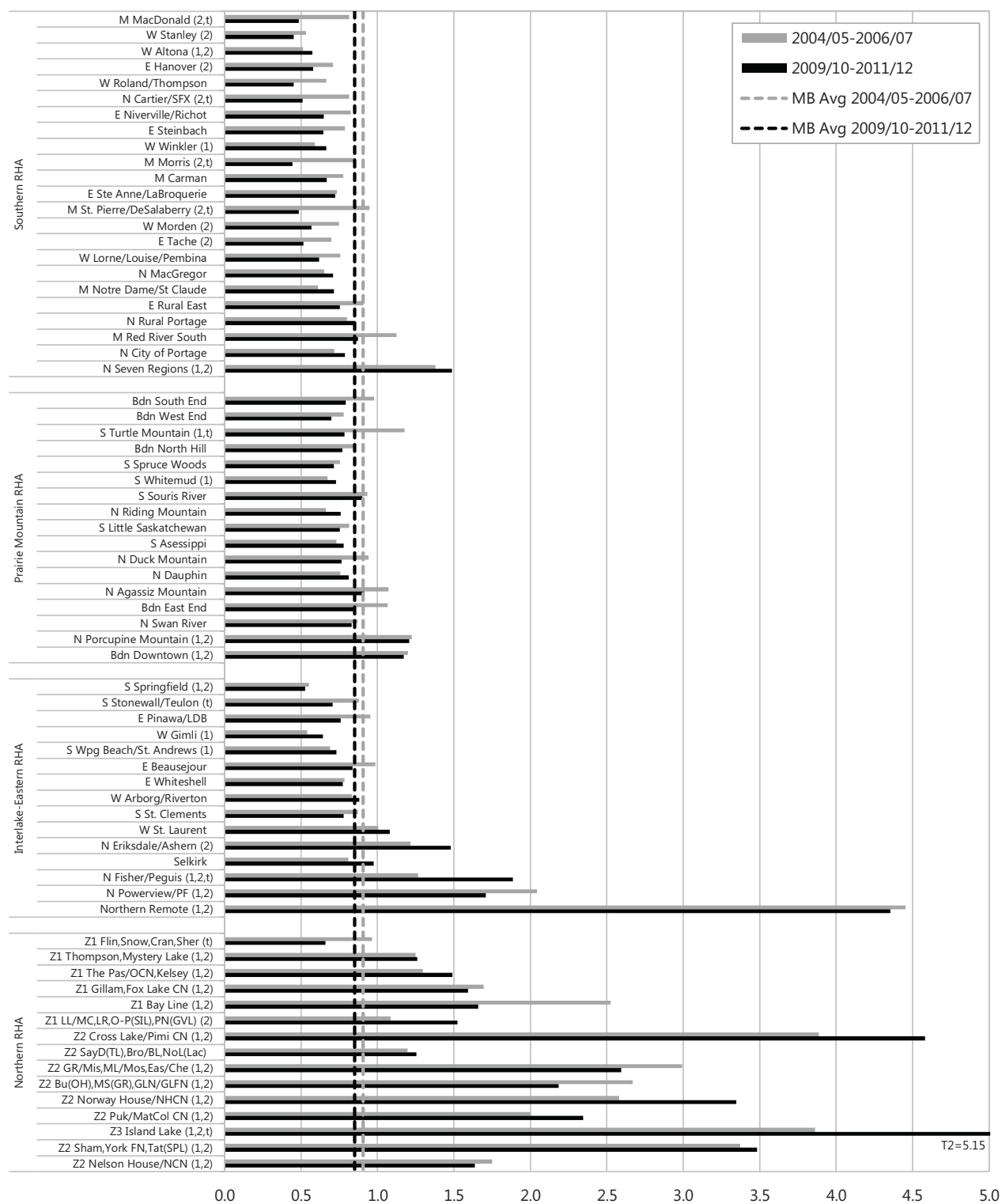
Figure 4.6.1: Incidence of Diabetes by RHA, 2004/05-2006/07 and 2009/10-2011/12

Age- and sex-adjusted incidence rate per 100 person-years for residents aged 19+



1 indicates area's rate was statistically different from Manitoba average in first time period
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Figure 4.6.2: Incidence of Diabetes by District, 2004/05-2006/07 and 2009/10-2011/12
Age- and sex-adjusted incidence rate per 100 person-years for residents aged 19+



Appendix Table 2.15: Diabetes Incidence Among Residents Aged 19+

Regional Health Authority	Average number of new cases		CRUDE rate per 100 person-years		Winnipeg Neighbourhood Cluster	Average number of new cases		CRUDE rate per 100 person-years		Income Quintile	ADJUSTED rate per 100 person-years	
	2004/05-2006/07	2009/10-2011/12	2004/05-2006/07	2009/10-2011/12		2004/05-2006/07	2009/10-2011/12	2004/05-2006/07	2009/10-2011/12			
Current RHAs												
Southern	665	618	0.764	0.672	Fort Garry S	141	127	0.727	0.656	Income Unknown	1.01	1.02
Winnipeg	3,258	3,208	0.868	0.841	Fort Garry N	121	130	0.789	0.744	Lowest Rural R1	1.42	1.47
Prairie Mountain	877	805	0.964	0.896	Assiniboine South	134	152	0.613	0.678	R2	0.924	0.881
Interlake-Eastern	650	684	0.959	0.977	St. Vital S	146	160	0.728	0.721	R3	0.919	0.868
Northern	465	496	1.48	1.59	St. Vital N	150	139	0.921	0.890	R4	0.797	0.730
Manitoba					St. Boniface E	175	165	0.878	0.743	Highest Rural R5	0.789	0.683
Former RHAs					St. Boniface W	85	79	0.908	0.846	Lowest Urban U1	1.12	1.11
South Eastman	241	217	0.765	0.629	Transcona	167	155	0.820	0.759	U2	0.959	0.887
Central	424	401	0.763	0.698	River Heights W	152	144	0.725	0.686	U3	0.839	0.807
Assiniboine	388	345	0.950	0.873	River Heights E	98	87	0.791	0.716	U4	0.736	0.706
Brandon	245	228	0.930	0.841	River East N	32.0	38	0.547	0.558	Highest Urban U5	0.623	0.569
Winnipeg	3,248	3,205	0.867	0.841	River East E	131	124	0.807	0.751	linear trend rural T1	<.0001	
Interlake	402	454	0.896	0.980	River East W	209	201	0.874	0.848	linear trend rural T2	<.0001	
North Eastman	248	230	1.08	0.972	River East S	84	85	0.866	0.886	compare rural trends over time	0.0089	
Parkland	244	232	1.03	1.00	St. James-Assiniboia W	165	159	0.850	0.822	linear trend urban T1	<.0001	
Churchill	9.7	3.00	2.07	0.728	St. James-Assiniboia E	133	116	0.831	0.727	linear trend urban T2	<.0001	
Nor-Man	154	142	1.28	1.24	Seven Oaks N	22.0	26.0	0.819	0.849	compare urban trends over time	0.3792	
Burntwood	311	355	1.60	1.80	Seven Oaks W	132	131	1.09	1.05	bold trend = significant		
					Seven Oaks E	191	205	0.968	1.01			
					Inkster W	87	101	0.906	1.08			
					Inkster E	98	83	1.353	1.19			
					Downtown W	181	178	0.907	0.907			
					Downtown E	173	172	1.13	1.18			
					Point Douglas N	157	156	1.08	1.10			
					Point Douglas S	84	92	1.28	1.39			
					Churchill	9.7	3.00	2.07	0.728			

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