Table 4-1
Residents on books[1] in operating residential care facilities by age group, sex, facility characteristics[2] and geography — Canada [3]

	Total, residential care facilities	Homes for the aged					Facilities for persons with mental disorders			Other residential care facilities[5]
		Total	1 to 19 beds	20 to 49 beds[4]	50 to 99 beds[4]	100 beds or more[4]	Total	1 to 19 beds[4]	20 beds or more[4]	
Operating residential care facilities										
Number	4,633	2,136	260	453	627	796	2,202	1,656	546	295
Approved beds	265,220	215,313	2,862	14,909	44,770	152,772	40,258	13,127	27,131	9,649
Reporting residential care facilities										
Number	3,378	1,587	139	307	471	670	1,581	1,179	402	210
Approved beds	210,240	173,646	1,581	10,259	33,824	127,982	29,911	9,136	20,775	6,683
Total residents, all ages [6]	**247,270**	**204,008**	**2,530**	**13,605**	**42,353**	**145,520**	**35,078**	**11,410**	**23,668**	**8,184**
Males, all ages	75,839	49,440	621	3,938	11,374	33,507	20,803	6,603	14,200	5,596
Less than 10 years	398	4	0	2	0	2	251	77	174	143
10 to 17 years	3,402	1	0	0	0	1	3,154	1,558	1,596	247
18 to 44 years	11,215	559	17	27	84	431	8,060	2,354	5,706	2,596
45 to 64 years	14,078	4,303	82	361	918	2,942	7,676	2,235	5,441	2,099
65 to 69 years	3,965	2,887	45	231	664	1,947	873	226	647	205
70 to 74 years	4,910	4,414	49	375	1,006	2,984	399	91	308	97
75 to 79 years	7,425	7,158	74	590	1,586	4,908	207	30	177	60
80 to 84 years	10,874	10,702	128	828	2,534	7,212	120	23	97	52
85 years and over	19,572	19,412	226	1,524	4,582	13,080	63	9	54	97
Females, all ages	131,894	116,087	1,836	8,602	27,247	78,402	13,461	4,743	8,718	2,346
Less than 10 years	263	1	0	0	0	1	153	36	117	109
10 to 17 years	2,501	5	0	2	0	3	2,132	1,119	1,013	364
18 to 44 years	6,420	512	14	36	71	391	4,907	1,665	3,242	1,001
45 to 64 years	9,705	4,432	97	350	937	3,048	4,813	1,541	3,272	460
65 to 69 years	4,013	3,280	56	253	732	2,239	674	202	472	59
70 to 74 years	6,319	5,957	80	466	1,293	4,118	320	84	236	42
75 to 79 years	12,538	12,292	189	910	2,885	8,308	195	46	149	51
80 to 84 years	23,422	23,238	366	1,693	5,509	15,670	121	34	87	63
85 years and over	66,713	66,370	1,034	4,892	15,820	44,624	146	16	130	197

1. Residents on books at the end of the reporting year.
2. Principal characteristic of predominant group of residents and size of facility.
3. Due to administrative changes in Quebec in 2004/2005 (creation of "Centres de santé et de services sociaux"), data for this year are not comparable to data for previous years. Furthermore, because of improvements in the estimation methods for Quebec for 2005/2006, data for this year should not be compared with data from previous years.
4. To comply with the confidentiality requirements of the Statistics Act, some data for the Territories were combined. Data from homes for the aged with 50 beds or more were combined with those having 20 to 49 beds. Data from facilities with 20 beds or more, for persons with mental disorders, were included with facilities that had 1 to 19 beds. Data for the category "Other" were also included with facilities for persons with mental disorders, 1 to 19 beds.
5. Data for "Other" residential care facilities in Quebec likely include some non-residential care activity. Caution should be exercised in using this data.
6. Total may differ from sum of age and sex components because Quebec data are included in the total, but are not available by age and sex.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Residential Care Facilities Survey (CANSIM table 107-5504).