Table 11-4

Expenditures per resident-day[1] in operating residential care facilities by facility characteristics[2] and geography — Nova Scotia

	Operating facilities		Reporting facilities		Expenditures per resident-day
	Number	Approved beds	Number	Approved beds	
					dollars
Total, residential care facilities	**217**	**8,947**	**146**	**6,315**	**183.7**
Total, homes for the aged	**107**	**6,823**	**75**	**4,943**	**178.1**
1 to 19 beds	23	279	14	179	177.5
20 to 49 beds	30	913	21	666	169.8
50 to 99 beds	32	2,245	23	1,608	184.8
100 beds or more	22	3,386	17	2,490	175.9
Total, facilities for persons with mental disorders	**110**	**2,124**	**71**	**1,372**	**202.5**
1 to 19 beds	80	700	54	450	221.6
20 beds or more	30	1,424	17	922	194.0
Total, other residential care facilities	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0.0**

1. Data on paid hours and financial data for residential care facilities may include amounts related to activities that are outside the scope of residential care, such as outpatient or hospital care. This phenomenon is not widespread outside of Quebec, but in this province, such situations are more likely. For this reason, financial data pertaining to non-residential care activities in Quebec were statistically removed. Nevertheless, caution should be exercised in comparison with data from other provinces.
2. Principal characteristic of predominant group of residents and size of facility.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Residential Care Facilities Survey (CANSIM table 107-5511).