

## **Disability statistics for youth in Alberta**

The most recent research on disabilities in Canada was done in 2006 by Statistics Canada.

All of the statistics that follow are about 15 to 24-year old Canadians only.

**Total youth population in Canada:** 4.15 million

Total youth population with a disability in Canada: 195,500

Percentage of young Canadians with a disability: 4.7 %

**Alberta youth population:** 479,170

Total young Albertans with a disability: 23,090

Total young Albertans with a disability: 4.8 %

<b>Disability type</b>	<b>Number of youth with this disability in Alberta</b>
Hearing	3,170
Seeing	2,800
Speech	4,990
Mobility	9,330
Agility	7,750
Pain	12,510
Learning	10,700
Memory	4,370
Developmental	4,750
Psychological	4,770
Unknown	1,360