

Stats Canada September 2004 report

Canadians donated \$8 billion to non profits last year and added two billion hours in volunteer work, the equivalent of a million full-time jobs. (2003). There were 161,000 non profits operating last year with just over 2 million paid employees (1/3 in hospitals, universities and colleges). Ontario and Quebec accounted for more than half of all non profits.

Funds for non-profits come from, on average, 50% from Governments, balance is fundraising. Breakdown of non-profits by primary activity area:

