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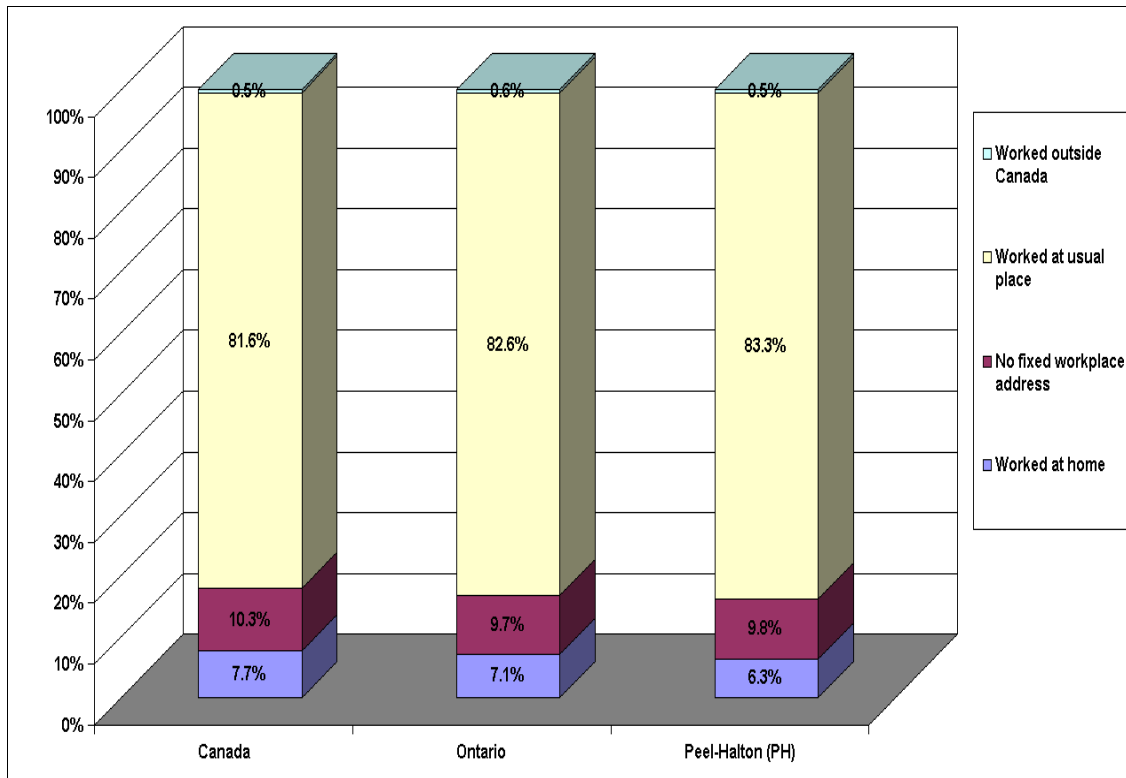
Place of Work Status

This newsletter provides the place of work status for the Peel Halton (PH) residents by using official data from the 2006 Census of Canada. According to Statistics Canada, the place of work status refers to the classification of people aged 15 or over who worked at some point between January 1, 2005 and May 16, 2006 (Census Day). The place of work status includes people aged 15 or over worked at home, worked outside Canada, had no fixed workplace address, or worked at a specific address. For more detailed information about the place of work status, please visit the following website link:
<http://www12.statcan.gc.ca/english/census06/reference/dictionary/pop110.cfm>

Highlights for the Peel-Halton Area

- ◆ In PH, 6.3% of employed labour force aged 15 years and over reported worked at home.
- ◆ In PH, 0.5% of the employed labour force, aged 15 years and over reported that they worked outside Canada in 2006.

Figure 1. Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Over by Place of Work Status: Canada, Ontario and PH, 2006



Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006.

Did you know?

How many people in PH worked at home in 2006?

In 2006, about 53,245 people reported working at home in PH. They made up 6.3% of all workers aged 15 years and over. The comparative figures for Ontario and Canada were 7.1% and 7.7% , respectively.

How many people in PH worked outside Canada in 2006?

In PH, 4,495 people, or 0.5% of the employed labour force, reported that they worked outside Canada in 2006. In Ontario and Canada, the proportions were 0.6% and 0.5%, respectively.

Table 1. Employed Persons 15 Years and Over by Place of Work Status: PH, 2006

Place of Work Status	#	%
Worked at usual place	706,165	83.3%
No fixed workplace address	83,395	9.8%
Worked at home	53,245	6.3%
Worked outside Canada	4,495	0.5%
Total Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Over by Place of Work	847,310	100.0%

Table 2. Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Over (Who Worked at Home) by Industry*: PH, 2006

Industry Major Groups	#	%
Professional, scientific and technical services	14,390	27.0%
Social assistance	3,060	5.7%
Administrative and support services	2,775	5.2%
Real estate	2,720	5.1%
Specialty trade contractors	1,615	3.0%
Educational services	1,550	2.9%
Machinery, equipment and supplies wholesaler-distributors	1,435	2.7%
Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investment and related activities	1,325	2.5%
Truck transportation	1,300	2.4%
Performing arts, spectator sports and related industries	1,070	2.0%
Other Industries	22,005	41.3%
Total Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Over (Who Worked at Home) by Industry	53,245	100.0%

*Note: Industry major groups based on the 2002 North American Industry Classification System (i.e., NAICS).

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006.