

HEALTHLink Alberta Fact Sheet

Calgary Health Region

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Communities with the highest number of calls:

Calgary	112,987
Airdrie	2,480
Okotoks	1,268
Cochrane	993
Strathmore	874
High River	709
Chestermere	710
Canmore	394
Didsbury	348
Langdon	278

Link Tip

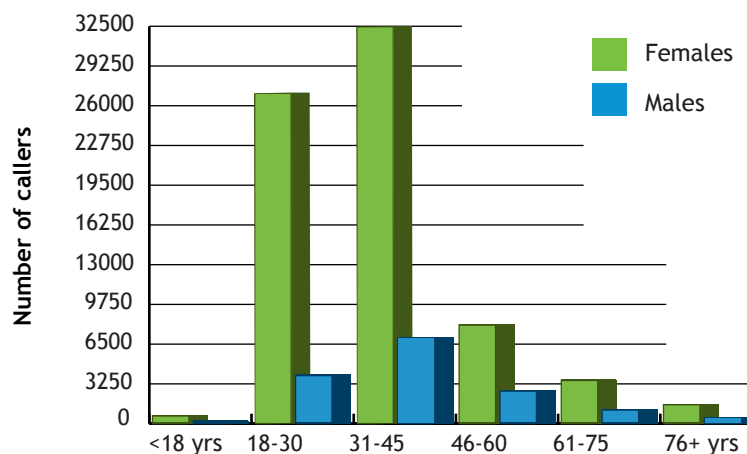
Are you breastfeeding and worried about getting vaccinated? Breastfeeding is considered safe after vaccination. Keeping you and your baby's vaccinations up to date will ensure that both of you are protected against many preventable diseases.

Experienced registered nurses give callers advice and information about health symptoms and concerns 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Health Link nurses can also locate services to help meet you or your family's health care needs.

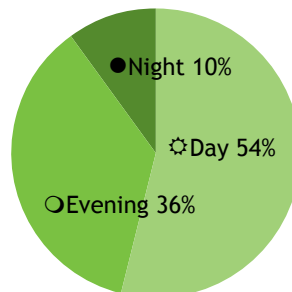


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Who is Calling?



When?



& Why?

- ✓ **Infant Concerns**
Newborn weight gain, sleeping, feeding
- ✓ **Bowel Problems**
Changes in bowel patterns, blood in stool, hemorrhoids
- ✓ **Pregnancy Problems (not labor)**
Nausea, swelling of hands/feet, bleeding
- ✓ **Respiratory Problems**
Issues with coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath



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1-866-408-LINK (5465)