

**Table A.3.27: Neural Tube Defects Rates**

Region	Neural Tube Defects Rates			
	Number Observed per Year	CRUDE rate per 1,000	Number Observed per Year	CRUDE rate per 1,000
	1996/97-2000/01		2001/02-2005/06	
<b>South Eastman</b>				
<b>Central</b>	2.2	1.6	1.6	1.1
<b>Assiniboine</b>				
<b>Brandon</b>				
<b>Winnipeg</b>	8.4	1.1	6.8	0.9
<b>Interlake</b>	1.6	1.9		
<b>North Eastman</b>				
<b>Parkland</b>				
<b>Churchill</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Nor-Man</b>				
<b>Burntwood</b>				
<b>South</b>	3.8	1.3	2.8	1.0
<b>Mid</b>	2.8	1.5	1.2	0.7
<b>North</b>	1.8	1.2		
<b>Manitoba</b>	17.4	1.2	12.4	0.9
<b>Public Trustee</b>			0.0	0.0

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Source: Manitoba Centre for Health Policy, 2008

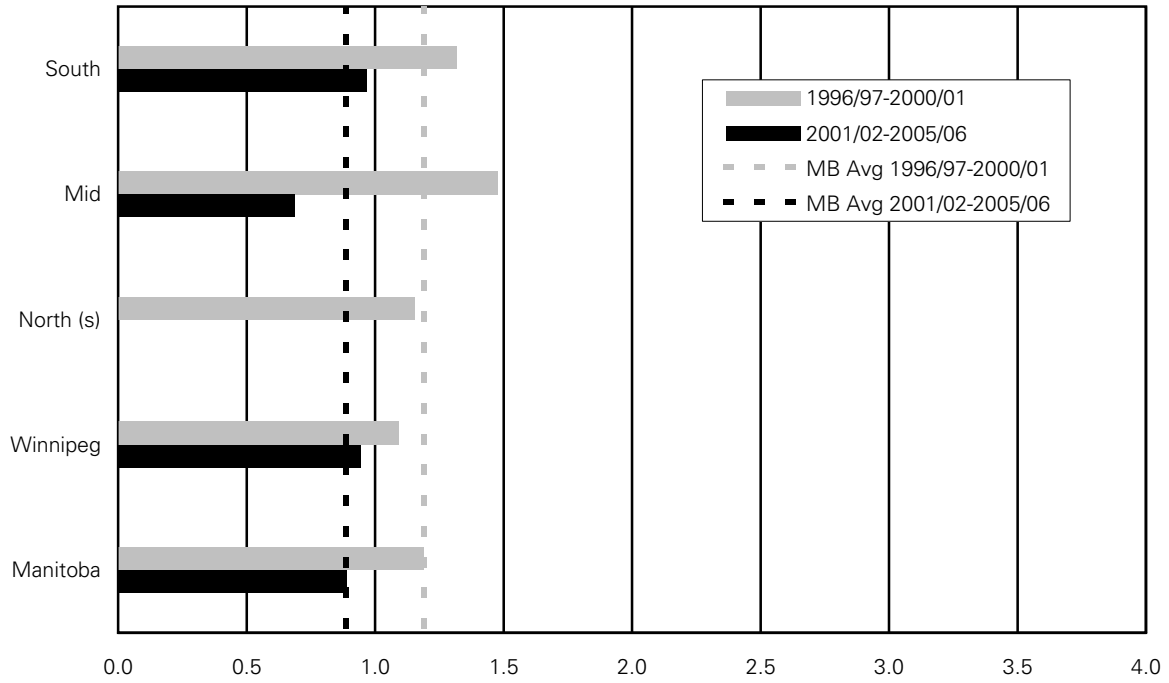
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<b>Fort Garry</b>				
<b>Assiniboine South</b>				
<b>St. Boniface</b>				
<b>St. Vital</b>	1.6	2.2	0.0	0.0
<b>Transcona</b>				
<b>River Heights</b>				
<b>River East</b>				
<b>Seven Oaks</b>				
<b>St. James - Assiniboia</b>	1.2	1.9	0.0	0.0
<b>Inkster</b>				
<b>Downtown</b>	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.6
<b>Point Douglas</b>				
<b>Winnipeg</b>	8.4	1.1	6.8	0.9

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**Figure 3.100: Neural Tube Defects Rates  
by Aggregate RHA Area**

Sex-adjusted rates per 1,000 infants aged <1 year



'1' indicates area's rate was statistically different from Manitoba average in first time period

'2' indicates area's rate was statistically different from Manitoba average in second time period

't' indicates change over time was statistically significant for that area

's' indicates data suppressed due to small numbers

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