



26,027

People live in the Westminster-Brans neighbourhood.



15.5% is the unemployment rate for the neighbourhood, compared to 13.8% for the city as a whole.



13.7% of families are living on low incomes.

The Neighbourhood of Westminster-Branson

Officially called Westminster-Branson, most local residents know their neighbourhood as Bathurst-Finch. It's a neighbourhood with one of the biggest populations of Filipino people in Toronto and is also home to a large number of Russian seniors. Given that 60,1 per cent of the community are renters this is typically in dwellings apartments of five

storeys or more, many residents live in high rises. People often work two or three jobs to make ends meet. Support for women has been identified as a local priority as many face multiple barriers such as high levels of poverty, social isolation and domestic violence, as well as the challenges of being newcomers and adjusting to a new way of life.



64.1% of the neighbourhood population has postsecondary education.



20.8% of the neighbourhood population is seniors.



Bathurst-Finch Community Hub

Size: 18,800 Square Feet Opened: January 2013

Agencies in Hub: Unison Health and Community Services (lead agency)

- Canadian Ukrainian Immigrant Services (CUIAS)
- Family Service Toronto
- Kababayan Multicultural Centre
- North York Community House

- Downsview Community Legal Services
- JVS Employment Services
- KCWA Family and Social Services

Services: Health care services (including access to doctors, nurses, dentists, dieticians and diabetes education, and mental health supports); wellness programs for seniors; legal services, including advice on immigration and citizenship; employment supports and programs; services for newcomers, immigrants, refugees and participants in the Live-in Caregiver Program; community engagement, including walking groups, networking and social events, resident and youth leadership, and a variety of support groups.

Since it opened its doors, the Hub has had a significant impact in the community (updated as of Mar. 2025):



The total number of visits that have been made to the Hub, giving a sense of how many community members are making use of vital programs and services at the Hub.



The number of visits to the Hub by seniors who accessed programs and services.



The number of times community space was used for a wide variety of activities, reinforcing the vital role of the Hub in providing accessible space to residents.



The number of times residents have participated in activities in the community space at the Hub, demonstrating how the Hub provides opportunities for residents to connect and participate in local events.