

Nunivaat Update, first quarter of 2017.

RESEARCH AND RELATED ACTIVITIES

- **NUNAVIK COST OF LIVING SURVEY** – After the official presentation at KRG Regional Council last November, “The Cost of Living Survey. Research Report” was presented to several occasions. The report is available in the Nunivaat database’s Publications section both in **English** and in **French**
- **NUNIVAAT BULLETIN** – A 9th issue of Nunivaat Bulletin has been produced. It has been distributed at the last KRG Regional Council in February and afterwards widely in Nunavik. That issue, available in **English** and in **French**, gave in a nutshell the main findings of the Cost of Living Survey in Nunavik.
- **SPECIAL 10TH ANNIVERSARY ISSUE** - 2017 marks the 10th anniversary of Nunivaat.org. To commemorate this, a special issue is being planned to be released by the end of the year. It would illustrate main changes over a 10 years period of Nunavik statistical coverage.
- **COST OF LIVING PHASE II** – Nunivaat team is ready to start working on the migration of the COL data into a searchable database. That tool will be used in the coming months to support the negotiation process for a permanent cost of living reduction program
- **AD HOC ACTIVITY** –At the request of the Nunavik Regional Working Group on Food Security, the Nunivaat team collaborated with the group for a better understanding of the main findings of the Cost of Living Survey. The Nunivaat team was also solicited by KRG to provide with data about the rate of people depending on elders’ income.

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- **NEW DATA** – This data has been recently added to Nunivaat:
 - **Population and Dwellings Counts** - 2016 Census Data, Statistics Canada This data is available for each village.
 - **Population Decree 2017**, Northern Villages - Ministère des affaires municipales et de l’occupation du territoire (MAMOT)
 - **Potential avoidable mortality, birth-related indicators, dependency ratio** - Statistics Canada
- **NEW PUBLICATIONS** – These publications have been recently added to Nunivaat both in English and French:
 - (2017) **Food Insecurity Among Inuit Living in Inuit Nunangat** Insights on Canadian Society, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, Catalogue no. 75-006-X, 12 p. **(in French)**
 - (2016) **First Nations, Metis and Inuit Women** Women in Canada: A Gender-Based Statistical Report, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, Catalogue no. 89-503-X, 33 p. **(in French)**
 - (2016) **Smoking prevalence among Inuit in Canada** Health Reports, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, Catalogue no. 82-003-X, 7 p.

(in French)

- (2017) ***Cost of Living Higher in Nunavik*** Nunivaat, Nunavik Statistical Bulletin, Canada Research Chair on Comparative Aboriginal People, Université Laval, Québec, Canada, No 9E-February 2017

(in French)

- (2017) ***Housing Construction in Nunavik. Guide to Good Practices*** Société d'habitation du Québec (SHQ), Gouvernement du Québec, Québec, 85 p

(in French)

- **MODIFICATION TO THE WEBSITE** – One of the search engine boxes at the left side of the website is giving the possibility to search for a specific year data. As this box is stretching over the time, the years 2010 to 2014 were grouped together as it is the case for the years prior to 2010. This grouping does not prevent to look for a specific year.