

According to the Ontario Health Survey, 40% of all chronic disorders are caused by musculoskeletal conditions. Additionally, 54% of all cases of long-term disability are caused by to musculoskeletal diseases ¹⁾.

Based on surveys carried out in Canada, the United States, and Western Europe, physical disabilities caused by musculoskeletal conditions assume a 4%-5% prevalence in the adult population ²⁾.

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