

Focus on Improving Social and Physical Well-being

Importance re: personal goals and aspirations

	% of	Adult Cana	It Canadians	
% SAYING VERY IMPORTANT	Oct. 2001	Jan. 2002	% Point Change	
Your health, keeping in good physical condition	86	87	+1	
Cultivating friends	67	70	+3	
Getting married / having a happy marriage	64	61	-3	
Having children / raising a family	63	61	-2	
Being highly educated, personal growth	63	60	-3	
Helping others more than yourself	59	58	-1	
Being outstanding in your field of work	54	52	-2	
Having a full, satisfying, religious / spiritual life	38	38	0	
Maximizing your personal leisure time / working as little as possible	28	28	0	
Travel	18	19	+1	
Being well-to-do, accumulating wealth	17	19	+2	