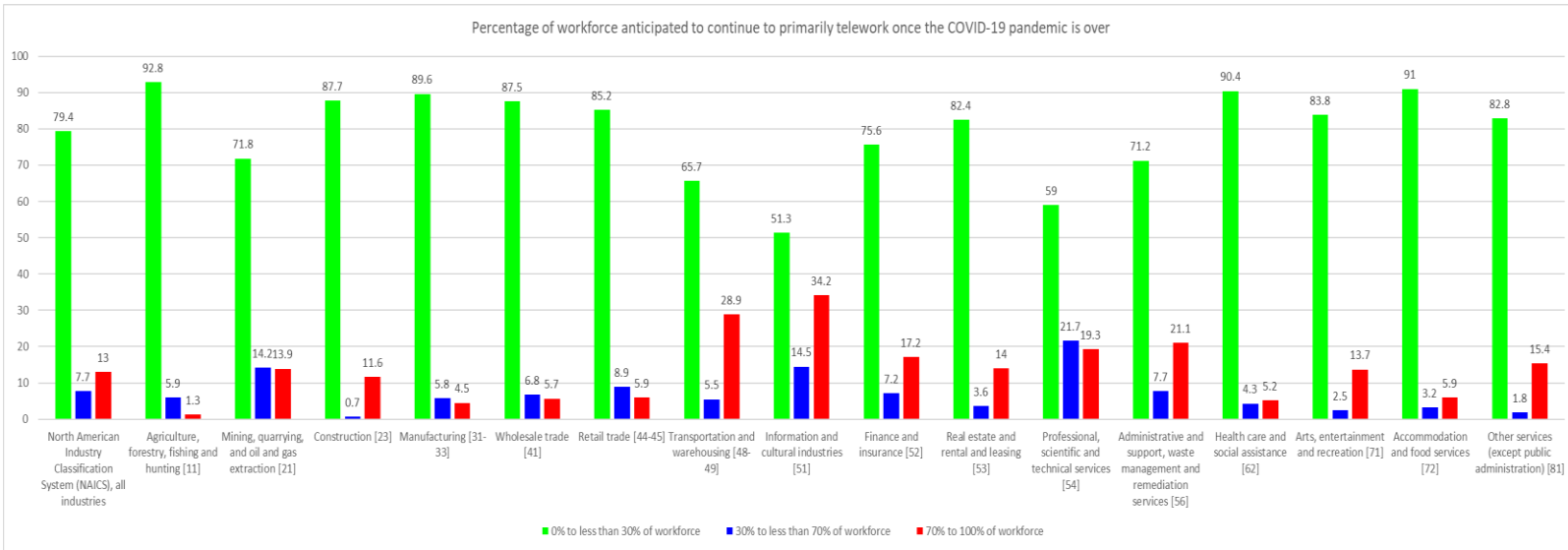


# Workforce Perceptions of Post-Pandemic Teleworking Across Different Industries



## BRIEF SUMMARY

This Research Insight is part of a multi-year research initiative examining the influence of the COVID-19 pandemic on migration between urban and rural communities in Ontario. This Research Insight provides an overview of recent data published by Statistics Canada following the 2021 census and data related to the impacts of COVID-19.

During the first year of the COVID-19 pandemic, businesses and organizations were asked whether they anticipated that their workforces would continue to primarily telework once the COVID-19 pandemic is over. The data in the table is broken down by the [North American Industry Classification System](#) categories. Key findings include:

- Overall, 79.4% of business reported less than 30% chance of teleworking post-COVID.
- In all industries, workforces did not anticipate continuing to primarily telework once the COVID-19 pandemic was over.

- The top 3 industries who anticipated continuing to primarily telework were: information and cultural industries (34.2%), transportation and warehousing (28.9%), and administrative and support, waste management and remediation services (21.1%).

## DATA SOURCE

Data retrieved from Statistics Canada Table: 33-10-0391-01 (2021).

## FURTHER INFORMATION

More information on the Urban Exodus research initiative can be found at [www.saraepp.com/urbanexodus](http://www.saraepp.com/urbanexodus).

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