New Canadian ‘tweens’ at greater risk of drowning

11 to 14-year olds new to Canada are five times more likely to be unable to swim than their Canadian-born classmates.

73% who can swim, learned in Canada.

1 in 5 report they are unable to swim (17%) vs 3% of those born in Canada.

1/4 who say they can swim also say they would not be able to meet the Swim to Survive® standard.*

*ROLL into deepwater, TREAD water for one minute and SWIM 50 metres.