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Adult Refugees Assessments of Income Adequacy and Perception of Financial Optimism by Current City
of Residence

% of Respondents Medicine ΑII Red Fort **McMurray** Cities@ Edmonton Calgary Lethbridge Deer Hat **Enough Income?** Often Problems 19% 18% 13% 20% 17% 17% Sometimes Problems 34% 32% 40% 18% 33% 31% 25% Covers living costs 47% 50% 47% 56% 65% 67% 52% 100% 100% 100% 101% 100% 100% 100% Total Financial situation improved compared to a year ago# 65% 65% Better Off 63% 64% 58% 68% 75% Same 24% 20% 35% 24% 23% 25% 24% Worse Off 13% 16% 7% 11% 9% 12% Total 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 101% Financial situation expected to improve a year from now# Better Off 68% 70% 57% 80% 70% 83% 72% 17% 20% Same 19% 14% 27% 9% 17% Worse Off 1% 5% 3% 7% 4% 3% Don't Know 12% 13% 9% 5% 11% 4% Total 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100%

^{@ &}quot;All cities" includes Grande Prairie, along with Vancouver, Toronto and other non-Alberta cities. City differences for all three questions were <u>not</u> statistically significant.

[#] Less than 1% of the total sample failed to answer the question comparing their financial situation to a year earlier. These cases are omitted. However, 10% answered 'don't know' to the second question, hence these cases are included in the analysis.