

Figure 2. Topic areas of cultural indicators among communities with good indicator sets (n=36)

Note: The figure indicates the number of communities mentioning indicators related to this general topic. If a community mentioned more than one indicator in a category, the topic was registered as *yes* (i.e., 1, not multiple scores).

Relate to participation:

- Attendance at cultural events, other participation, household expenditures (25)
- Civic participation (e.g., volunteering, organization membership, strong sense of belonging to the community, community pride) (10)
- Visitor participation, satisfaction (10)

Relate to built environment or cultural infrastructure:

- Heritage / history (22)
- Cultural facilities/services (including library services/programs) (19)
- Public art / commemorative naming / storyboards/interpretations (8)
- Unique neighbourhoods / good 'sense of place', cultural sites in land use plan (6)

Relate to size of culture sector / economic features:

- Number of events (20)
- Number of cultural groups / size of cultural sector/industry, collaborations/partnerships within the sector (9)
- Cultural employment (7)

- Sales/revenues (4)

Relate to social qualities/dimensions:

- Ethnic diversity, First Nations cultural aspects, tolerance, harmony (6)
- Elders and/or youth involvement (3)

Other:

- Municipal (and other) investments (11)
- Communications/knowledge: Development of knowledge base (inventories),
Language-related, Public/intergovernmental communications, Media attention
(8)