



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Circumcision is an operation that removes a male's foreskin from the penis. It is one of the oldest and most common surgical procedures, chosen for religious, social, medical, and cultural reasons.

+50%

Of Canadians considered circumcising their son in 2013.

Canada's circumcision
rate in 2013.

32%

When is a circumcision recommended?

- **Phimosis:** congenital narrowing of the opening of the foreskin so that it cannot be retracted.
- **Balanitis and inflammation:** extreme redness and/or soreness of the tip of the foreskin.
- **Infection and cellulitis:** spreading bacterial infection underneath the skin surface characterized by redness, warmth, swelling, and pain.

Circumcision is a safe procedure.
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