

CHN Health Profile - North Mayo (IHA: HSE Mayo ; Health Region: HSE West and North West)

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1 Key Points

- The **Age Dependency Ratio** of this CHN is **66.3**. This compares to 53.2 nationally. The Age Dependency Ratio is the amount of people outside of working age (0-14 and 65+) per 100 people of working age (15-64).
- North Mayo has a total of 47,999 **persons** and 12,488 **families** living in private households.
- There are a total of 9,044 **persons aged 0-14** in this CHN and 10,096 **persons aged over 65**.
- There are a total of 11,235 persons **living with a disability** in this CHN, representing **23.4 percent** of the population. This compares with 21.5 percent nationally
- 1,022 people in this CHN have **bad or very bad general health**. This represents **2.1 percent** of the population. 1.7 percent of the population have bad or very bad general health nationally.
- There are a total of 3,423 **carers** in this CHN, representing **7.1 percent** of the population. This compares with 5.8 percent of the population that are carers nationally.
- **13.2 percent** of this CHN **smoke tobacco products**. 13.1 percent of people nationally smoke tobacco products
- There are 667 **short term unemployed** and 1,290 **long term unemployed** people in this CHN. These represent 1.7 and 3.3 percent of the population respectively.
- **4.2 percent** of the population of North Mayo are **unskilled**. 3.1 percent of people in the state are unskilled.
- **31.8 percent** of those aged 15+ in this CHN have a **highest level of education of lower secondary or lower**. This compares with 23 percent nationally.
- **25.3 percent** of families with children in this CHN have **lone parents**. This stands at 24.8 nationally.
- **15.7 percent** of this CHN were **born outside Ireland** (20 percent nationally).
- **Households rented from a Local Authority** comprise **5.8 percent** of households in this CHN. This stands at 8.3 percent nationally

2 Population

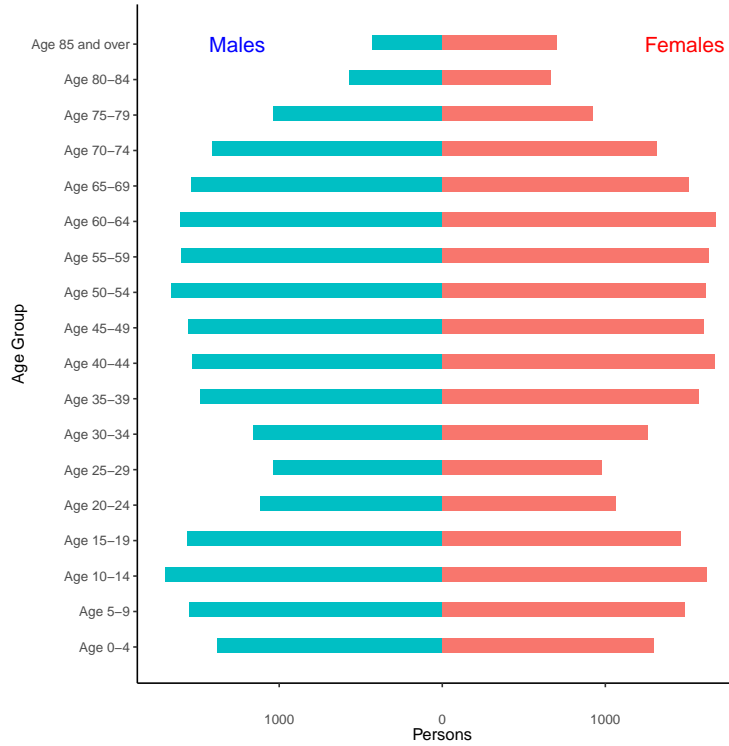


Figure 1: Persons by Age Group and Gender for North Mayo (CHN); Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 45 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 0 - 14, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 45 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 65+, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA

Age	Females		Males		Both Sexes			
	<i>Persons</i>	%	<i>Persons</i>	%	<i>Persons</i>	% (<i>CHN</i>)	% (<i>IHA</i>)	% (<i>State</i>)
0-14	4,409	18.3	4,635	19.4	9,044	18.8	19.1	19.7
15-64	14,529	60.4	14,330	59.8	28,859	60.1	61.1	65.3
65+	5,112	21.3	4,984	20.8	10,096	21.0	19.8	15.1
Age 0-4	1,299	5.4	1,381	5.8	2,680	5.6	5.6	5.7
Age 5-9	1,486	6.2	1,554	6.5	3,040	6.3	6.5	6.7
Age 10-14	1,624	6.8	1,700	7.1	3,324	6.9	7.0	7.3
Age 15-19	1,461	6.1	1,565	6.5	3,026	6.3	6.3	6.6
Age 20-24	1,061	4.4	1,115	4.7	2,176	4.5	4.5	6.0
Age 25-29	979	4.1	1,038	4.3	2,017	4.2	4.2	5.7
Age 30-34	1,258	5.2	1,162	4.9	2,420	5.0	5.4	6.5
Age 35-39	1,574	6.5	1,485	6.2	3,059	6.4	6.7	7.4
Age 40-44	1,673	7.0	1,532	6.4	3,205	6.7	7.2	8.0
Age 45-49	1,602	6.7	1,561	6.5	3,163	6.6	6.8	7.3
Age 50-54	1,614	6.7	1,664	6.9	3,278	6.8	6.8	6.6
Age 55-59	1,632	6.8	1,601	6.7	3,233	6.7	6.7	6.0
Age 60-64	1,675	7.0	1,607	6.7	3,282	6.8	6.5	5.3
Age 65-69	1,512	6.3	1,538	6.4	3,050	6.4	6.0	4.6
Age 70-74	1,315	5.5	1,410	5.9	2,725	5.7	5.3	3.9
Age 75-79	920	3.8	1,037	4.3	1,957	4.1	3.8	3.0
Age 80-84	663	2.8	572	2.4	1,235	2.6	2.4	1.9
Age 85 and over	702	2.9	427	1.8	1,129	2.4	2.2	1.6
All Ages	24,050	100.0	23,949	100.0	47,999	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 1: Population Breakdown by Age and Sex for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA) and HSE West and North West (Health Region); Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for IHA, Health Region (HR) and State are provided for comparison purposes.

3 Disability

- This CHN ranks number 13 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of males with a disability, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA
- This CHN ranks number 15 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of females with a disability, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

Age Group	North Mayo			IHA	HR	State
	Population	With any Disability				
		<i>Persons</i>	%			
Males	23,949	5,502	23.0	21.2	21.3	20.9
Females	24,050	5,733	23.8	22.4	22.3	22.2
Both Sexes	47,999	11,235	23.4	22.4	22.3	21.5

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Table 2: Population with any Disability by Age Group for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for IHA, Health Region and State are provided for comparison purposes.

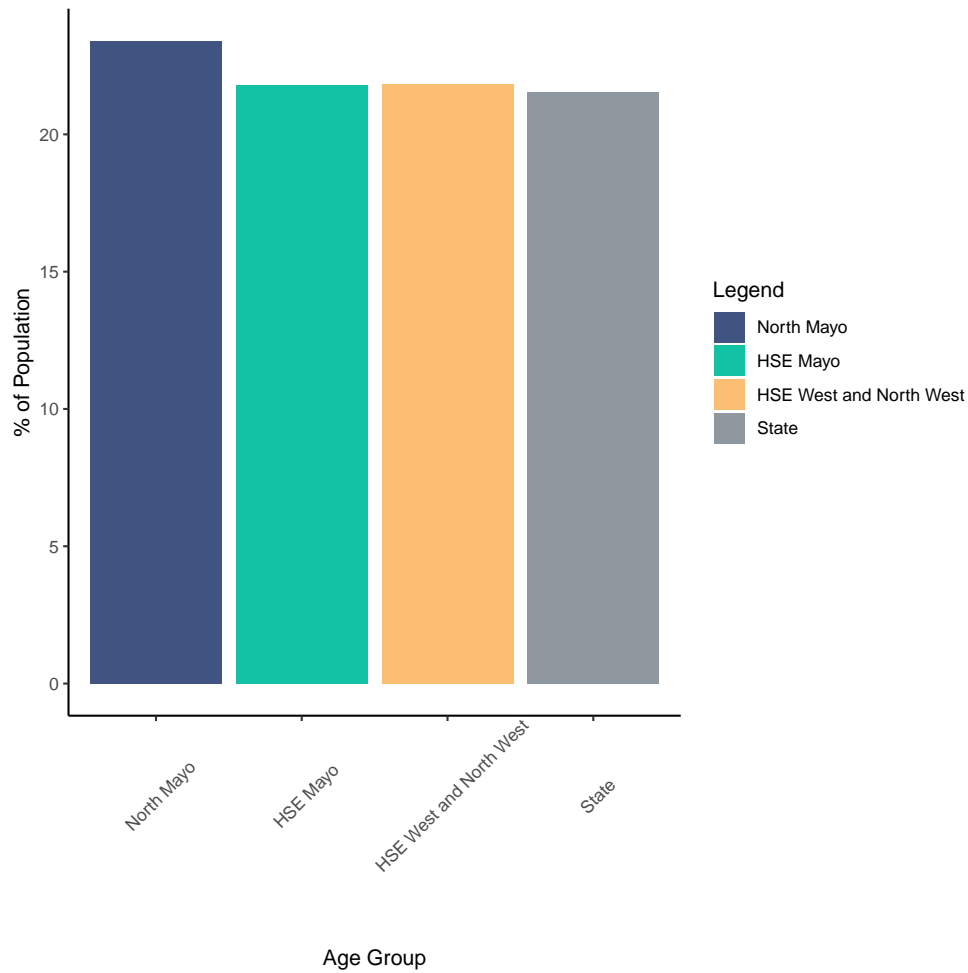


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4 General Health

- This CHN ranks number 9 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population with bad or very bad General Health, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

General Health	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Very Good	24,384	50.8	51.4	52.3	53.2
Good	15,605	32.5	32.1	30.8	29.7
Fair	5,544	11.6	10.2	9.6	8.6
Bad	837	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4
Very Bad	185	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Not Stated	1,444	3.0	4.5	5.5	6.7
Total	47,999	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 3: Population by General Health for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

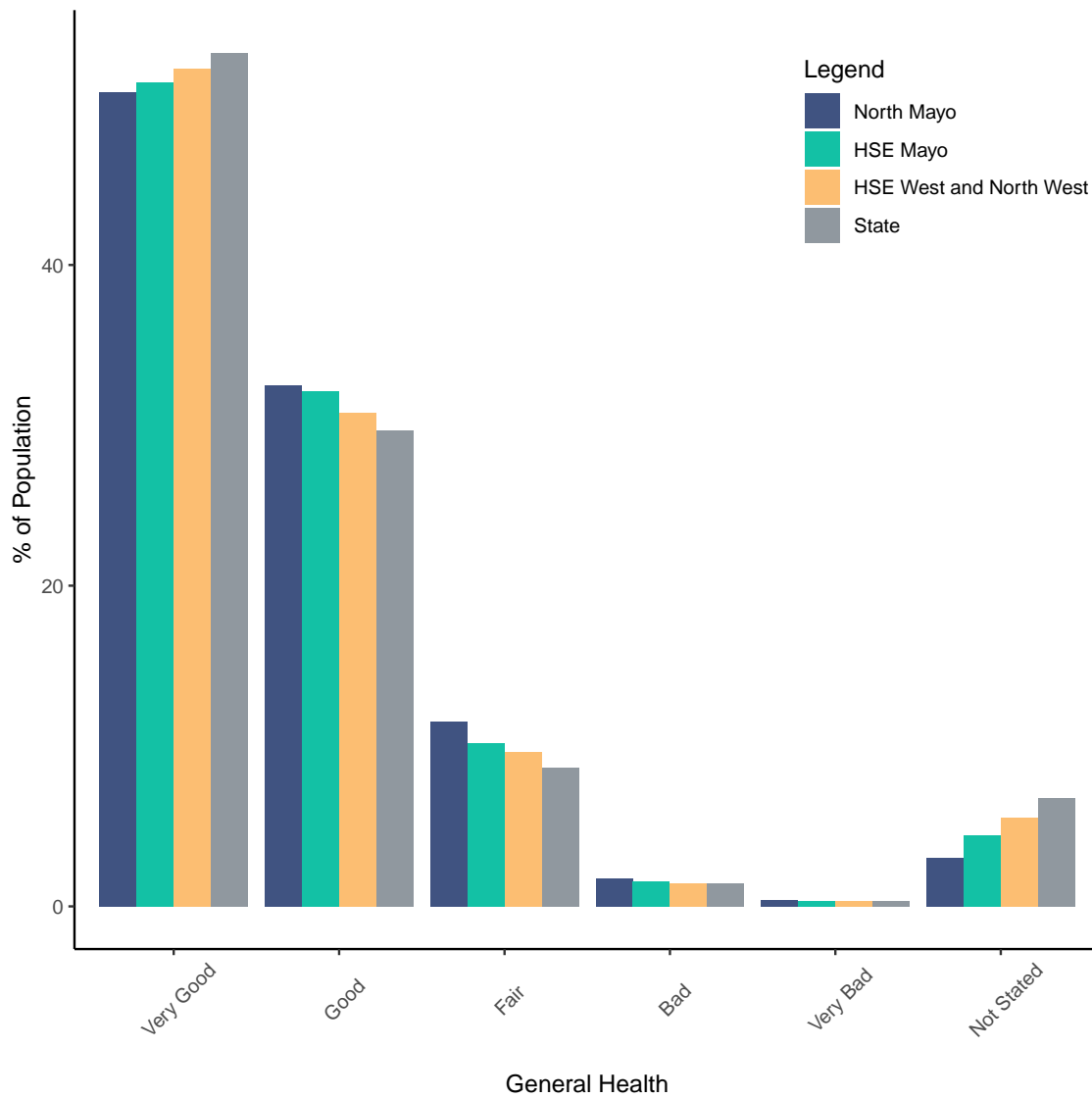


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5 Carers

- This CHN ranks number 2 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of males that are carers, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 4 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of females that are carers, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

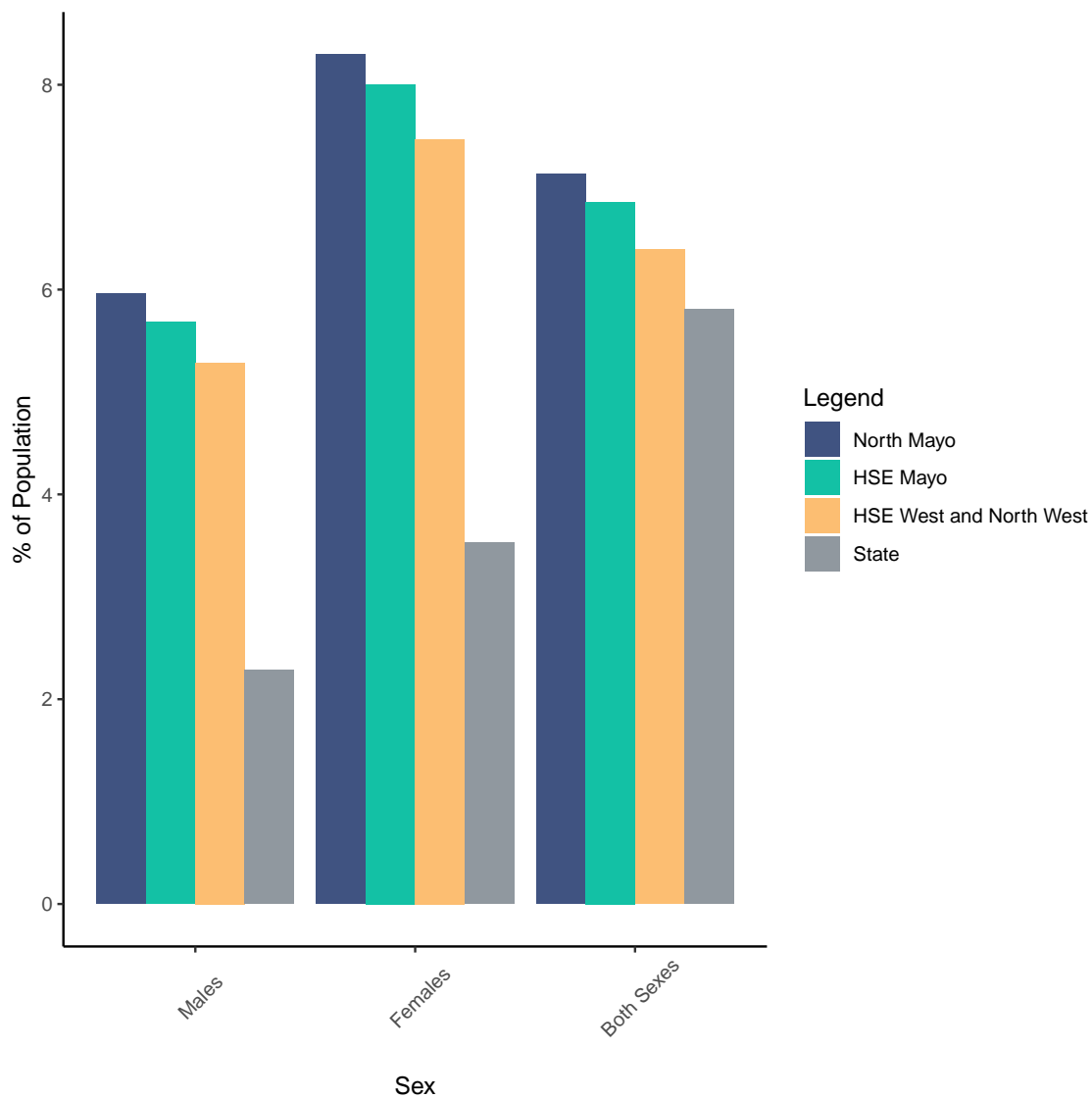


Figure 4: Carers as a Percentage of the Population of Males/Females/Both Sexes for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Age Group	North Mayo			IHA	HR	State
	Population		Carers			
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Males	23,949	1,428	6.0	5.7	5.3	2.3
Females	24,050	1,995	8.3	8.0	7.5	3.5
Both Sexes	47,999	3,423	7.1	6.9	6.4	5.8

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Table 4: Carers by Sex for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

6 Volunteers

- This CHN ranks number 14 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that volunteer, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

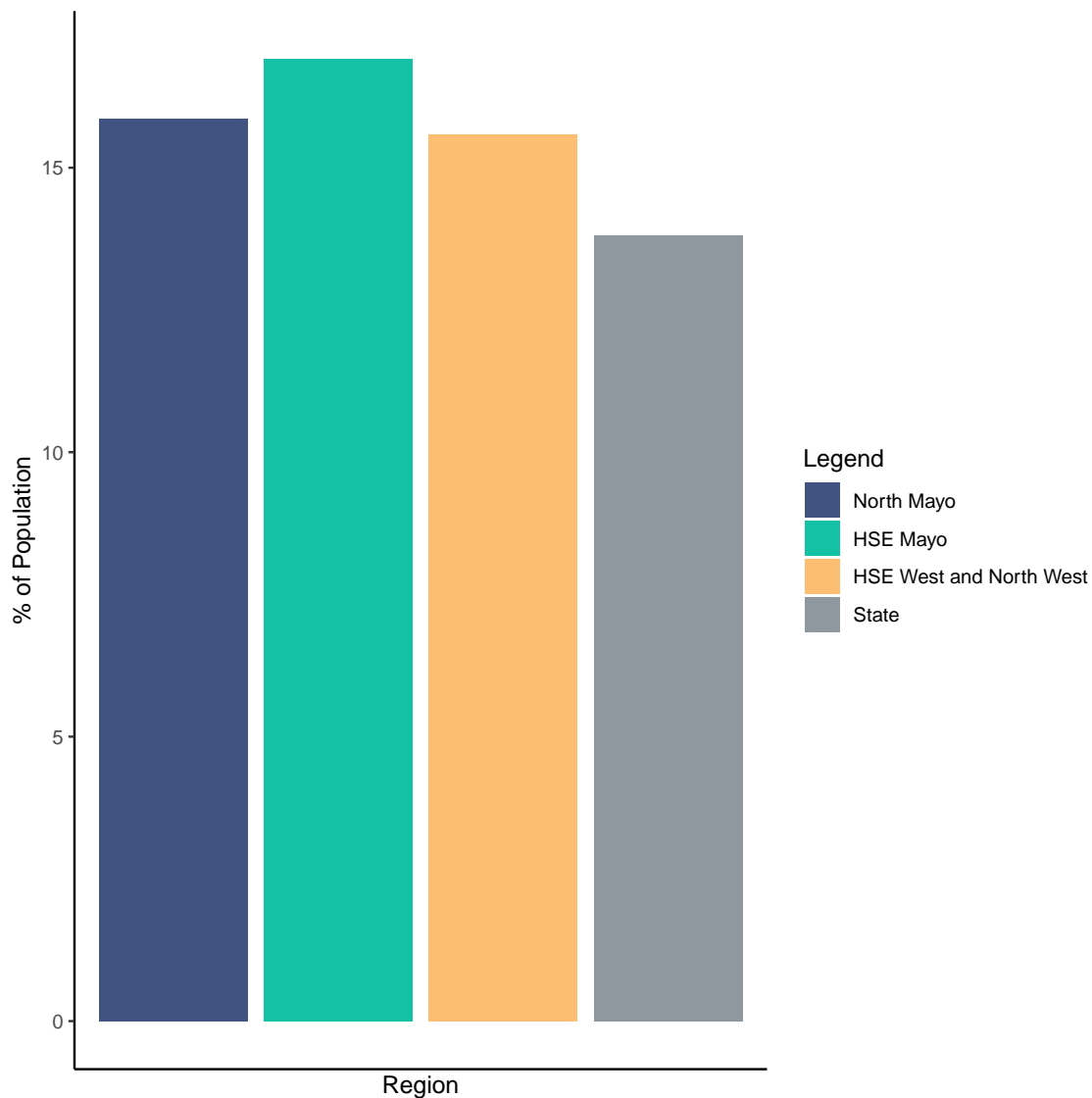


Figure 5: Volunteers as a Percentage of the Population for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

North Mayo			IHA	HR	State
Population		Volunteers			
<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
47999	7615	15.9	16.9	15.6	13.8

Table 5: Volunteers for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

7 Smoking

- This CHN ranks number 25 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population who smoke (daily and occasionally), while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

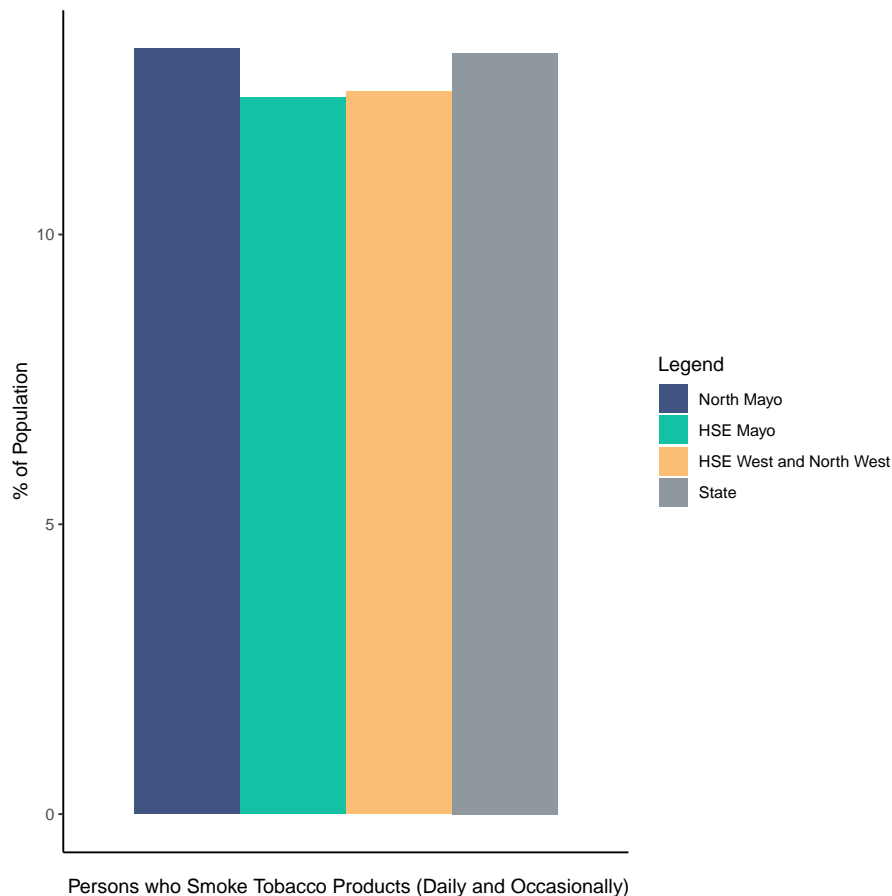


Figure 6: Percentage of the Population who Smoke tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally) for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Smoking Status	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Smoke tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally)	6,340	13.2	12.4	12.5	13.1
Don't Smoke tobacco Products (Never and have given up)	39,781	82.9	82.4	81.2	79.4
Smoking Status Not Stated	1,878	3.9	5.3	6.3	7.5
All Persons	47999	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 6: Smoking Status of North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

8 Principal Economic Status

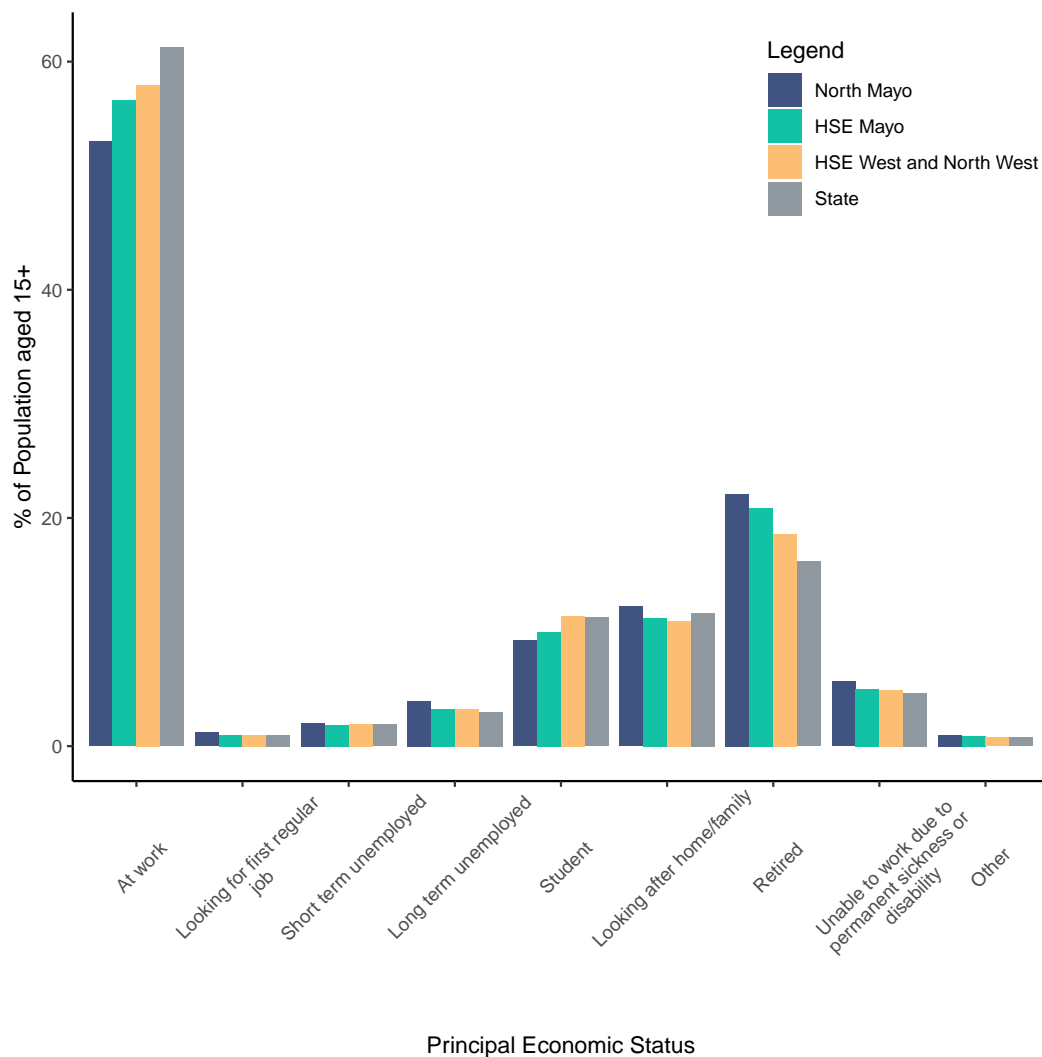


Figure 7: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Principal Economic Status	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
At Work	19,220	49.3	52.3	53.6	56.1
Looking for first regular job	393	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8
Short term unemployed	667	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
Long term unemployed	1,290	3.3	2.7	2.7	2.6
Student	3,579	9.2	9.7	11.1	11.1
Looking after home/family	2,825	7.3	6.7	6.4	6.6
Retired	8,468	21.7	20.7	18.4	15.9
Unable to work due to permanent sickness or disability	2,169	5.6	4.8	4.8	4.6
Other	344	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7
Total	38,955	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 7: Population aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 13 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that are unemployed, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

9 Social Class

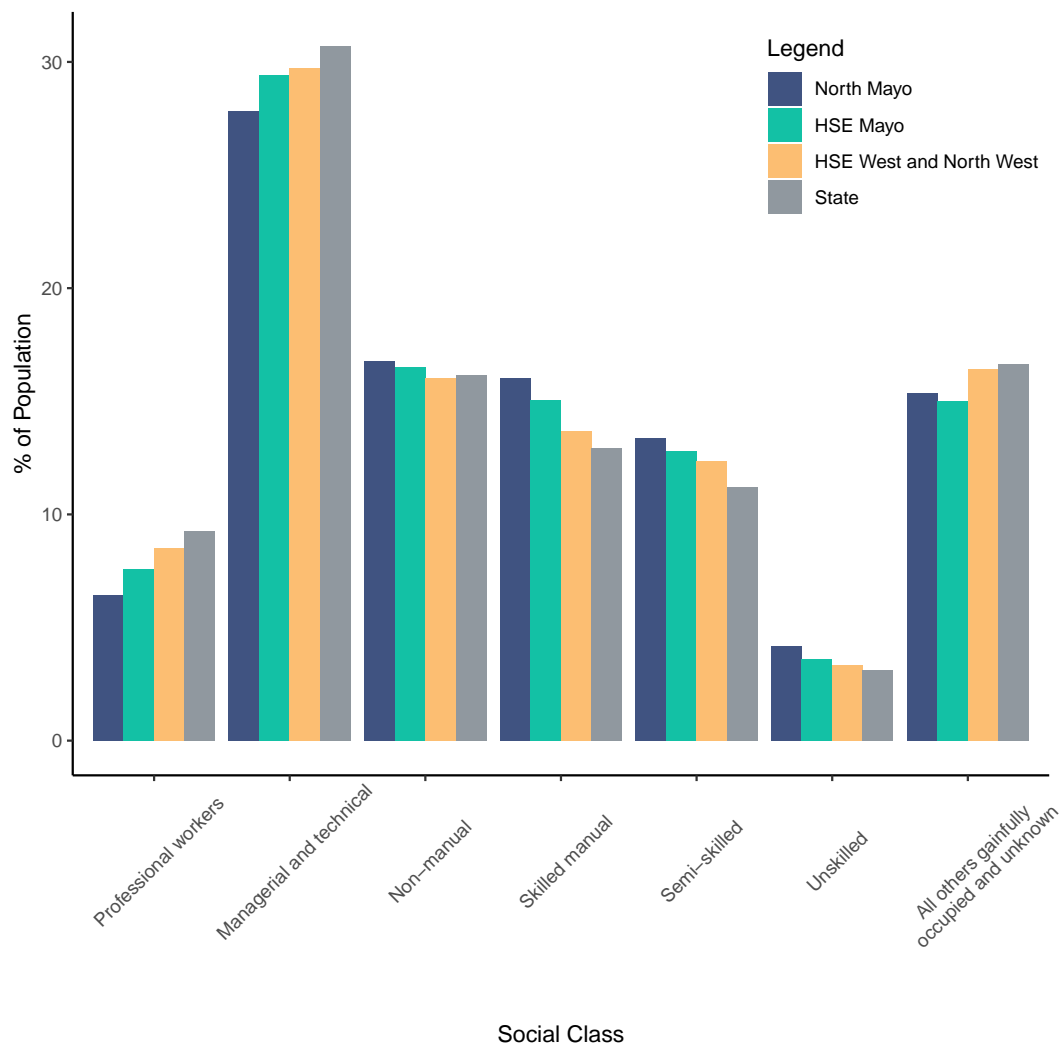


Figure 8: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Social Class for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Social Class	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Professional workers	3,091	6.4	7.6	8.5	9.3
Managerial and technical	13,351	27.8	29.4	29.7	30.7
Non-manual	8,060	16.8	16.5	16.0	16.2
Skilled manual	7,700	16.0	15.0	13.7	12.9
Semi-skilled	6,413	13.4	12.8	12.3	11.2
Unskilled	2,009	4.2	3.6	3.3	3.1
All others gainfully occupied and unknown	7,375	15.4	15.0	16.4	16.6
Total	47,999	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 8: Population aged 15+ by Social Class for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 7 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ that are classified as unskilled, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 53 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ that are classified as professional workers, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

10 Education

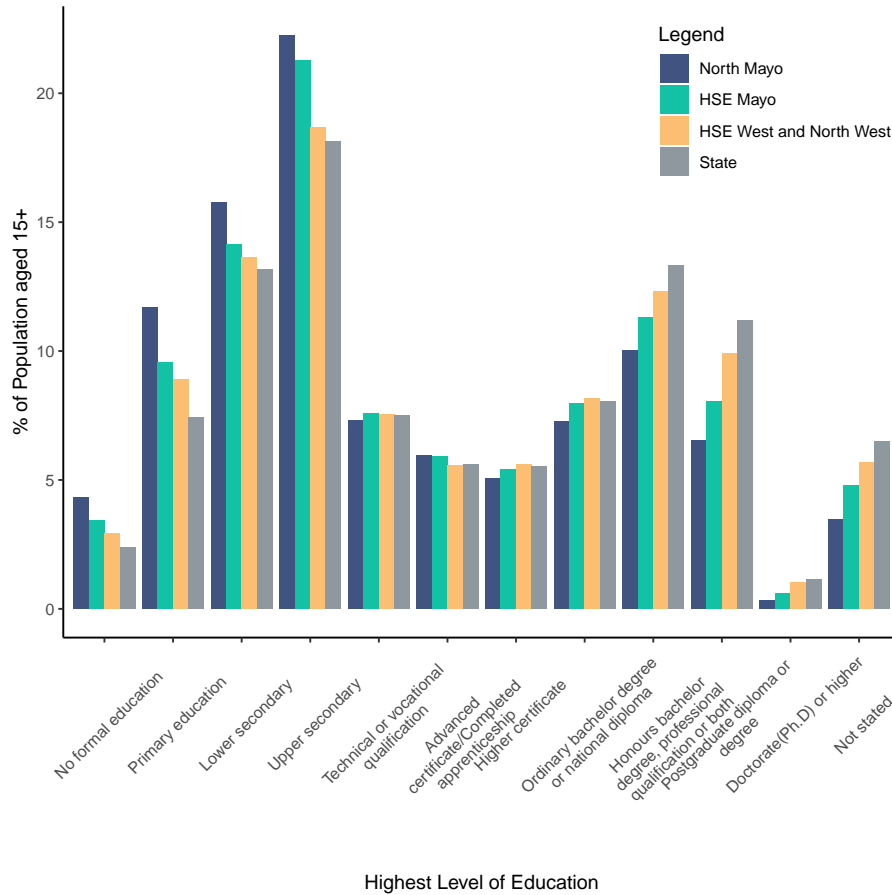


Figure 9: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Highest Level of Education Completed	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	
No formal education	1,443	4.3	3.4	2.9	2.4
Primary education	3,887	11.7	9.6	8.9	7.4
Lower secondary	5,254	15.8	14.1	13.6	13.2
Upper secondary	7,410	22.3	21.3	18.7	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	2,437	7.3	7.6	7.6	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	1,978	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.6
Higher certificate	1,687	5.1	5.4	5.6	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	2,416	7.3	8.0	8.2	8.1
Honours bachelor degree, professional qualification or both	3,339	10.0	11.3	12.3	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	2,171	6.5	8.1	9.9	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	114	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.1
Not stated	1,150	3.5	4.8	5.7	6.5
Total	33,286	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 9: Population aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 5 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ with a highest level of education of Primary or lower, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 78 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ with a highest level of education of Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma or higher, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

11 Families

- This CHN ranks number 36 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of **family units** with a lone parent (see Detailed Tables section), while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

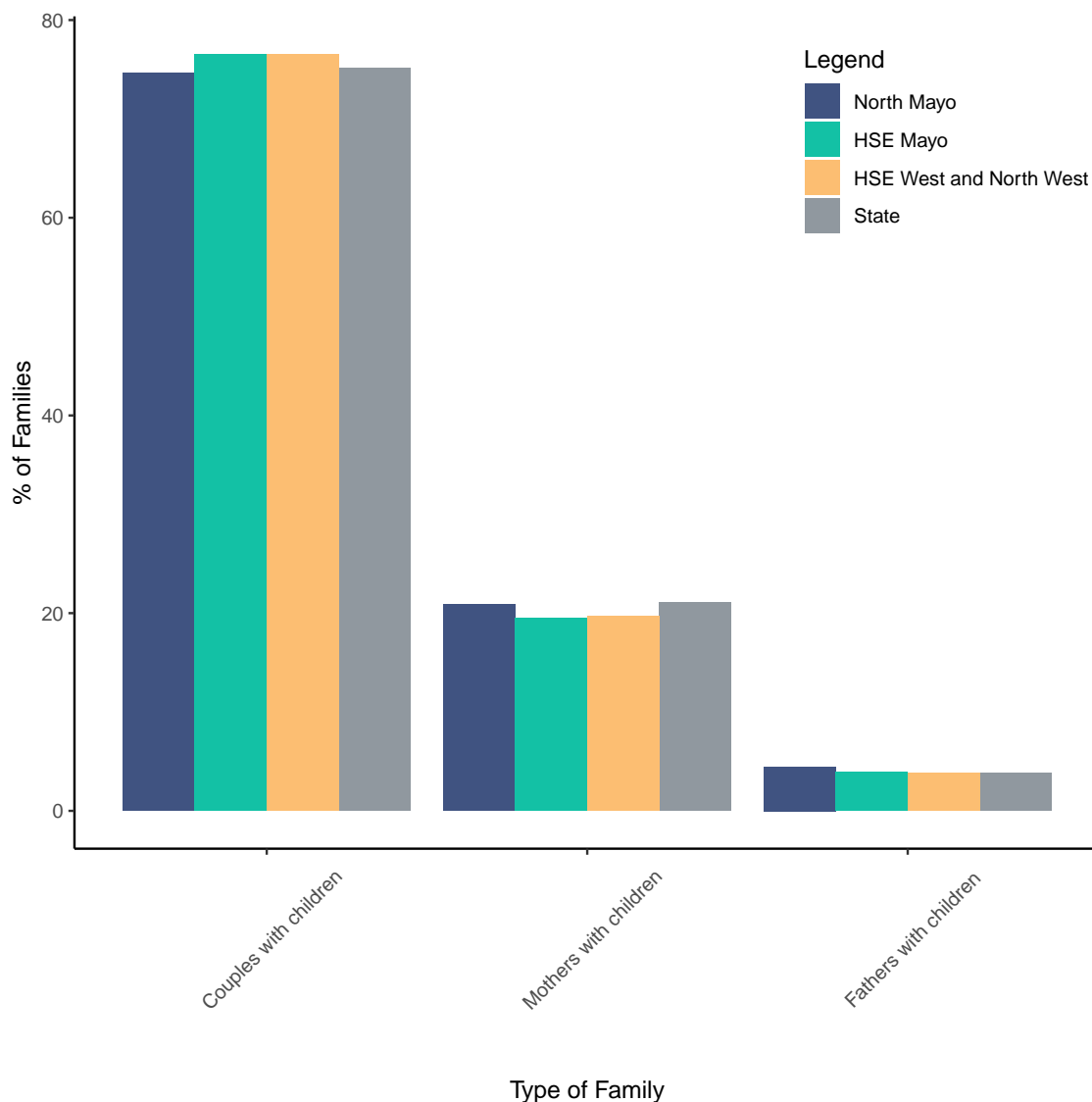


Figure 10: Percentage of Families with Children by Family Type for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Family	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Families</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Couples with Children	6,184	74.7	76.5	76.5	75.2
Mothers with Children	1,729	20.9	19.5	19.7	21.1
Fathers with Children	370	4.5	4.0	3.8	3.8
All Families	8,283	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 10: Families with Children by Family Type for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; 2022.

12 Birthplace

- This CHN ranks number 54 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that were born outside Ireland, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

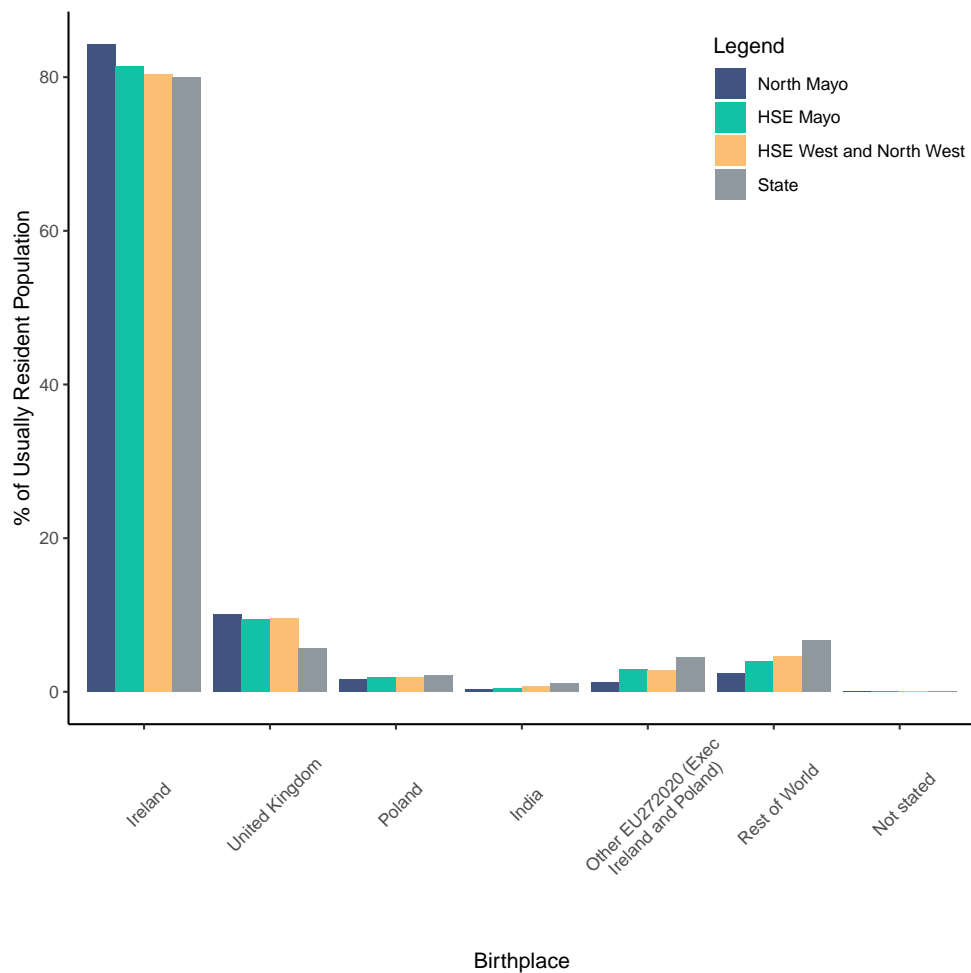


Figure 11: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Birthplace for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Birthplace	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Ireland	39,999	84.3	81.4	80.3	80.0
United Kingdom	4,814	10.1	9.4	9.6	5.7
Poland	747	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1
India	140	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.1
Other EU272020 (Exec Ireland and Poland)	598	1.3	2.9	2.8	4.4
Rest of World	1,139	2.4	4.0	4.6	6.7
Not stated	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	47,437	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 11: Usually Resident Population By Birthplace for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

13 Households - Type of Occupancy

- This CHN ranks number 46 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage households that are rented from a Local Authority, while it ranks number 1 highest out of the CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 3 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of households that are owned outright, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

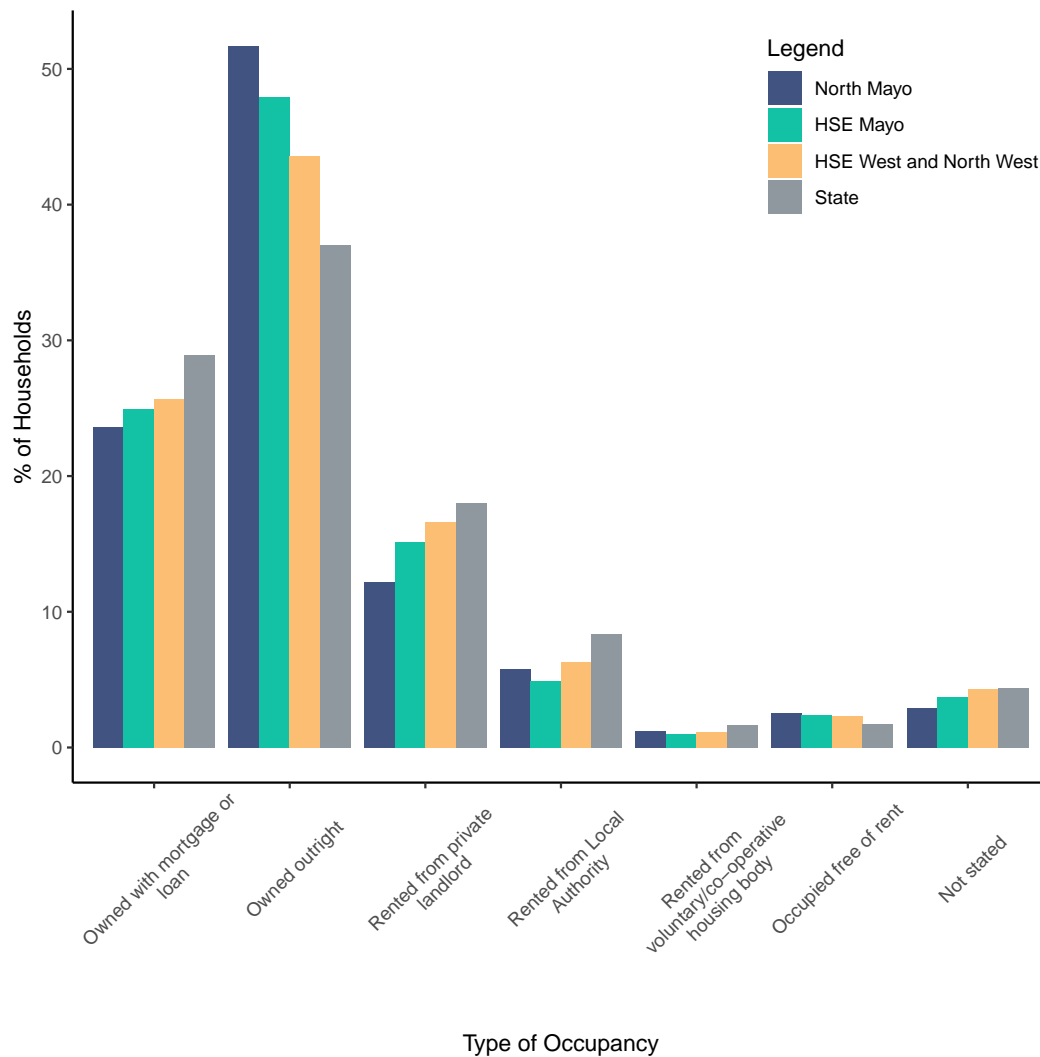


Figure 12: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Occupancy	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Households</i>	%	%	%	
Owned with mortgage or loan	4,365	23.6	24.9	25.7	28.9
Owned outright	9,574	51.7	47.9	43.6	37.0
Rented from private landlord	2,254	12.2	15.2	16.6	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	1,077	5.8	4.9	6.3	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	228	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.6
Occupied free of rent	473	2.6	2.4	2.3	1.7
Not stated	539	2.9	3.7	4.3	4.4
Total	18,510	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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14 Transport

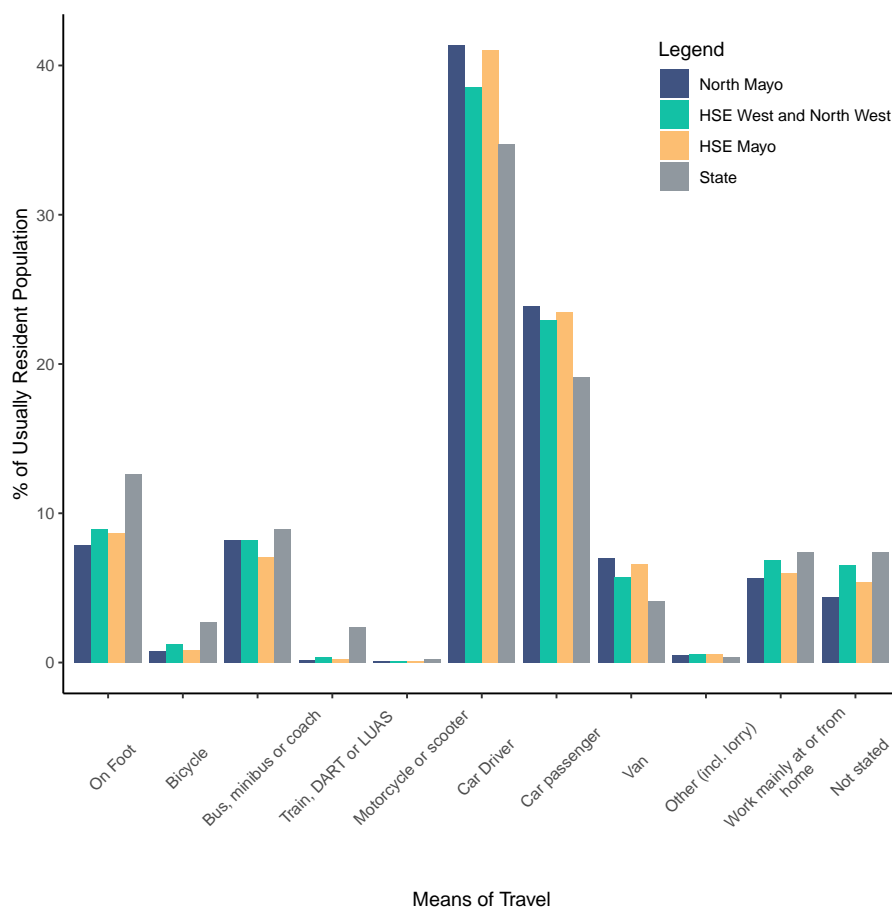


Figure 13: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Means of travel	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
On Foot	2,389	7.9	8.7	8.9	12.6
Bicycle	237	0.8	0.9	1.3	2.7
Bus, minibus or coach	2,480	8.2	7.1	8.2	9.0
Train, DART or LUAS	60	0.2	0.3	0.4	2.4
Motorcycle or scooter	24	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
Car Driver	12,508	41.4	41.0	38.5	34.7
Car passenger	7,221	23.9	23.5	22.9	19.1
Van	2,126	7.0	6.6	5.7	4.1
Other (incl. lorry)	156	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	1,716	5.7	6.0	6.9	7.4
Not stated	1,322	4.4	5.4	6.5	7.4
Total	30,239	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 13: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for North Mayo (CHN);HSE Mayo (IHA);HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 65 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population who travel to work, school, college or childcare on foot or bicycle, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 6 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population who travel to work, school, college or childcare as a car driver, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

15 Renewable Energy

- This CHN ranks number 39 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of households with no renewable energy source, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 CHNs in its IHA.

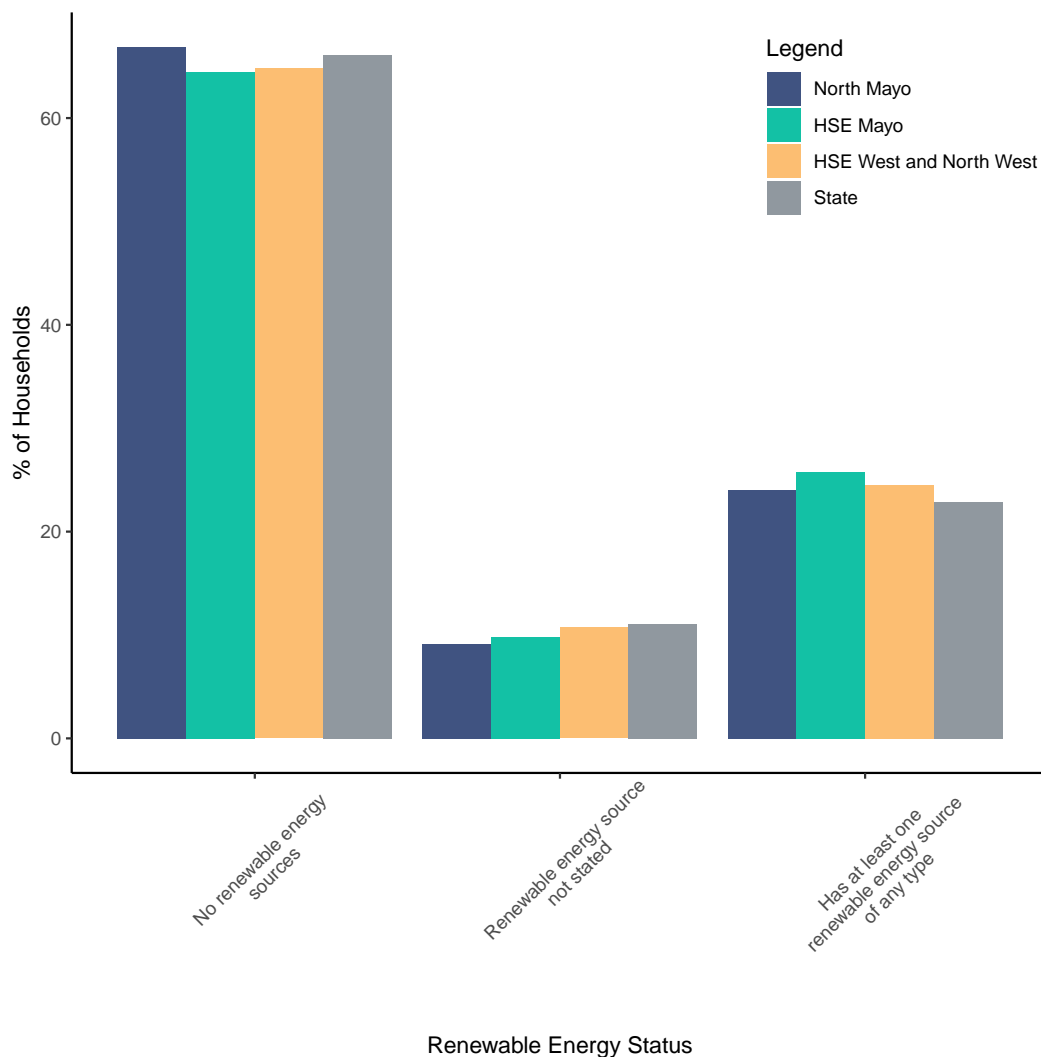


Figure 14: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for North Mayo (CHN); HSE Mayo (IHA); HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Renewable Energy Source	North Mayo		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Households</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
All households	18,510	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
No renewable energy sources	12,379	66.9	64.5	64.8	66.1
Renewable energy source not stated	1,688	9.1	9.8	10.7	11.0
Has at least one renewable energy source of any type	4,443	24.0	25.8	24.5	22.9

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Table 14: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for North Mayo (CHN); HSE Mayo (IHA); HSE West and North West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

16 Detailed Tables

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
Education (Percentage of those aged 15+)				
No formal education	4.3	3.4	2.9	2.4
Primary education	11.7	9.6	8.9	7.4
Lower secondary	15.8	14.1	13.6	13.2
Upper secondary	22.3	21.3	18.7	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	7.3	7.6	7.6	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.6
Higher certificate	5.1	5.4	5.6	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	7.3	8.0	8.2	8.1
Hns bach. degree, prof. qual. or both	10.0	11.3	12.3	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	6.5	8.1	9.9	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.1
Employment (Percentage of those aged 15+)				
At work	49.3	52.3	53.6	56.1
Looking for first regular job	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8
short Term Unemployed	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
Long Term Unemployed	3.3	2.7	2.7	2.6
Student	9.2	9.7	11.1	11.1
Looking after home/family	7.3	6.7	6.4	6.6
Retired	21.7	20.7	18.4	15.9
Unable to work - perm. sickness or disability	5.6	4.8	4.8	4.6
Employment (Percentage of those at work)				
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	6.5	6.2	5.3	3.5
Building and construction	7.3	6.7	6.1	5.8
Manufacturing industries	15.9	15.7	14.1	11.8
Commerce and trade	19.8	20.4	19.8	23.8
Transport and communications	4.9	4.9	6.4	9.2
Public administration	7.0	6.5	6.5	5.7
Professional services	24.8	24.2	26.1	24.5
Social Class (Percentage of population)				
Professional workers	6.4	7.6	8.5	9.3
Managerial and technical	27.8	29.4	29.7	30.7
Non-manual	16.8	16.5	16.0	16.2
Skilled manual	16.0	15.0	13.7	12.9
Semi-skilled	13.4	12.8	12.3	11.2
Unskilled	4.2	3.6	3.3	3.1

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
Families (Percentage of family units)				
Families without children	33.7	33.4	32.1	30.8
Families with 1 child	26.6	26.3	26.2	27.1
Families with 2 children	21.8	22.6	23.8	25.3
Families with 3 children	11.9	12.3	12.7	12.3
Families with 4 children	4.4	4.1	4.0	3.5
Families with 5 or more children	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.0
Couples with children	49.5	51.0	52.0	52.0
Lone parent (mother)	13.8	13.0	13.4	14.6
Lone parent (father)	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.6
Pre-family families	5.4	6.8	7.6	9.3
Empty nest families	12.0	11.2	10.7	9.4
Retired families	16.3	15.4	13.8	12.0
Per-school families	7.3	7.5	7.8	8.1
Early school families	8.6	9.2	9.6	9.9
Pre-adolescent families	10.4	10.9	11.5	11.9
Adolescent families	11.8	12.1	12.6	12.3
Adult families	49.5	26.9	26.4	27.0
Families with youngest child aged 0 - 4	23.2	23.4	24.0	14.6
Families with youngest child aged 5 - 9	16.6	17.5	17.9	18.1
Families with youngest child aged 10 - 14	15.8	16.1	16.7	16.9
Families with youngest child aged 15 - 19	13.5	14.0	13.8	13.6
Families with youngest child aged 20 and over	30.9	29.1	27.7	27.5
Health (Percentage of population)				
Very good general health	50.8	51.4	52.3	53.2
Good general health	32.5	32.1	30.8	29.7
Fair general health	11.6	10.2	9.6	8.6
Bad general health	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4
Very bad general health	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Persons who smoke	13.2	12.4	12.5	13.1
Household composition (Percentage of Private Households)				
Married couple households	18.2	17.7	16.4	14.9
Cohabiting couple households	3.2	3.6	3.7	4.3
Married couple with children households	27.9	28.9	29.6	29.4
Cohabiting couple with children households	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.3
One parent family (father) with children households	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5
One parent family (mother) and children households	8.0	7.6	7.8	8.5
Couple and others households	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.5
Two or more non-related persons households	1.8	2.8	4.5	5.4
1 person households	29.4	27.9	26.1	23.1
2 person households	29.9	29.9	29.0	29.0
3 person households	15.2	15.6	16.6	17.9
4 person households	13.4	14.0	15.3	16.9
5 person households	7.7	8.3	8.7	8.9
6 person households	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0
7 person households	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8
8 or more person households	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Housing (Percentage of permanent dwellings)				
Occupied	75.8	76.8	78.9	87.4
Temporarily absent	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.6
Unoccupied holiday homes	8.1	8.8	8.0	3.2
Other vacant dwellings	14.8	13.1	11.6	7.7

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Housing (Percentage of permanent private households)				
Owned with mortgage or loan	23.6	24.9	25.7	28.9
Owned outright	51.7	47.9	43.6	37.0
Rented from private landlord	12.2	15.2	16.6	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	5.8	4.9	6.3	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.6
Occupied free of rent	2.6	2.4	2.3	1.7
1 room	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.5
2 rooms	2.1	2.3	2.5	3.9
3 rooms	5.1	5.8	6.3	8.0
4 rooms	9.2	9.3	9.4	11.0
5 rooms	22.8	22.0	21.4	23.8
6 rooms	25.1	23.3	22.2	19.9
7 rooms	16.2	16.5	16.2	14.0
8 or more rooms	17.2	18.3	19.0	15.8
No central heating	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2
Public main water supply	60.4	60.7	70.9	80.1
Group scheme with public source water supply	15.5	15.1	10.4	4.3
Group scheme with private source water supply	15.9	16.9	9.3	3.4
Other private source water supply	7.0	5.6	7.2	9.9
No water supply	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Housing (Percentage of private households)				
House/Bungalow	96.7	94.7	92.5	86.7
Flat/Apartment	2.9	5.0	7.2	13.0
Bed-Sit	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Caravan/Mobile home	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Built Pre 1919	5.7	6.5	6.9	8.4
Built 1919 - 1945	9.5	8.1	5.9	6.2
Built 1946 - 1960	7.5	6.8	5.8	7.2
Built 1961 - 1970	5.1	4.8	5.0	6.7
Built 1971 - 1980	12.7	11.7	11.3	12.2
Built 1981 - 1990	13.1	12.0	11.5	10.1
Built 1991 - 2000	15.1	15.7	16.0	14.5
Built 2001 - 2010	23.7	25.9	29.0	24.5
Built 2011 - 2015	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7
Built 2016 or later	3.3	3.5	3.4	5.1
Marital Status (Percentage of population)				
Single	50.1	50.2	52.1	53.9
Married (incl. same sex civil partnership)	39.4	39.7	38.6	37.1
Separated	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3
Divorced	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.6
Widowed	5.6	5.1	4.5	4.1
Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of population)				
Speak english not well	0.8	1.3	1.2	1.6
Speak english not at all	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
Occupation (Percentage of those at work or unemployed)				
Managers, directors and senior officials	6.4	7.0	6.8	7.7
Professional occupations	16.0	17.6	19.8	20.3
Associate professional and technical occupations	9.3	9.7	10.2	11.7
Administrative and secretarial occupations	8.7	8.8	9.0	9.2
Skilled trades occupations	17.8	16.9	15.0	12.6
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	9.0	8.2	8.1	7.4
Sales and customer service occupations	6.6	6.4	5.9	6.2
Process, plant and machine operatives	10.0	9.1	8.4	6.9
Elementary occupations	9.0	8.7	8.0	8.2

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of usually resident population)				
Ireland - Birthplace	84.3	81.4	80.3	80.0
UK - Birthplace	10.1	9.4	9.6	5.7
Poland - Birthplace	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1
India - Birthplace	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.1
Other EU28 - Birthplace	1.3	2.9	2.8	4.4
Rest of world - Birthplace	2.4	4.0	4.6	6.7
White Irish	87.6	82.8	81.3	76.6
White Irish Traveller	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.6
Other White	6.7	8.8	8.3	9.9
Black or Black Irish	0.1	0.6	0.9	1.5
Asian or Asian Irish	0.9	1.7	2.1	3.3
Other ethnic or cultural background	0.9	1.4	1.5	2.0
Usual residence 1 year before census day - Outside Ireland	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.8
Socio-economic group of ref. person (percentage of private households)				
A Employers and managers	9.6	10.2	10.5	12.9
B Higher professional	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5
C Lower professional	3.8	4.6	5.6	6.3
D Non-manual	29.5	31.4	32.9	34.2
E Manual skilled	10.3	9.6	8.5	8.5
F Semi-skilled	9.7	9.1	8.4	7.7
G Unskilled	4.5	3.9	3.5	3.2
H Own account workers	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.0
I Farmers	6.5	6.0	5.0	3.1
J Agricultural workers	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.2
Z All others gainfully occupied and unknown	18.3	17.1	18.0	17.5
Transport (Percentage of population agCHN 5+)				
No motor car (percentage of households)	12.3	10.6	10.8	13.4
<i>Travel to work, school, College or childcare:</i>				
On Foot	7.9	8.7	8.9	12.6
By Bicycle	0.8	0.9	1.3	2.7
By Bus, minibus or coach	8.2	7.1	8.2	9.0
By Train, DART or LUAS	0.2	0.3	0.4	2.4
By Motorcycle or scooter	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
Car driver	41.4	41.0	38.5	34.7
Car passenger	23.9	23.5	22.9	19.1
By Van	7.0	6.6	5.7	4.1
By Other (incl. lorry)	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	5.7	6.0	6.9	7.4
Journey time to work, school or college is Under 15 mins	41.6	40.3	35.9	29.4
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/4 hour - under 1/2 hour	26.5	26.4	27.6	28.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/2 hour - under 3/4 hour	13.2	13.4	15.4	17.3
Journey time to work, school or college is 3/4 hour - under 1 hour	4.3	4.3	4.7	5.9
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 hour - under 1 1/2 hours	4.5	4.8	4.3	6.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 1/2 hours and over	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.5
Other				
Has renewable energy source (percentage of permanent private households)	24.0	25.8	24.5	22.9
Volunteers (percentage of population)	15.9	16.9	15.6	13.8
No internet connection	15.5	13.4	11.7	8.7

17 Census Questions

Census Question for Section 2 - Population

Question 1. What is your name?

Question 2. What is your sex? Male or Female

Question 3. What is your date of birth?

Census Question for Section 3 - Disability

Question 15. Do you have any of the following long-lasting conditions or difficulties?

Each long-lasting condition/difficulty (a) to (g) below has three answer box options, mark one box for each condition from Box 1 Yes, to a great extent, Box 2 Yes, to some extent or Box 3 No.

(a) Blindness or a vision impairment

(b) Deafness or a hearing impairment

(c) A difficulty with basic physical activities such as walking, climbing stairs, reaching, lifting or carrying

(d) An intellectual disability

(e) A difficulty with learning, remembering or concentrating

(f) A psychological or emotional condition or a mental health issue

(g) A difficulty with pain, breathing or any other chronic illness or condition.

Census Question for Section 4 - General Health

Question 17. How is your health in general?

1 Very good

2 Good

3 Fair

4 Bad

5 Very bad.

Census Question for Section 5 - Carers

Question 23. Do you provide regular unpaid personal help or support to a family member, neighbour or friend with a long-term illness, health issue, an issue related to old age or disability?

Census Question for Section 6 - Volunteers

Question 24. Do you regularly engage in helping or voluntary work in any of the following activities without pay?

Census Question for Section 7 - Smoking

Question 18. Do you smoke tobacco products?

1 Yes - daily

2 Yes - occasionally

3 No - have given up smoking

4 Never.

Census Question for Section 8 - Principal Economic Status

Question 28. How would you describe your present principal status?

1 Working for payment or profit

2 Looking for first regular job

3 Short-term unemployed (less than 12 months)

4 Long-term unemployed (12 months or more)

5 Student or pupil

6 Looking after home/family

7 Retired from employment

8 Unable to work due to permanent sickness or disability

9 Other, write in.

Census Question for Section 9 - Social Class

Social class ranks occupations by the level of skill required on a social class scale, ranging from 1 (highest) to 7 (lowest).

Census Question for Section 10 - Education

Question 27. What is the highest level of education/training (full-time or part-time) which you have completed to date?

- 1 No formal education/ training
- 2 Primary education, NFQ Levels 1 or 2
- 3 Lower Secondary, NFQ Level 3, Junior/Inter/Group Certificate
- 4 Upper Secondary, NFQ Levels 4 or 5, Leaving Certificate
- 5 Technical or Vocational, NFQ Levels 4 or 5
- 6 Advanced Certificate/Completed Apprenticeship, NFQ Level 6
- 7 Higher Certificate, NFQ Level 6,
- 8 Ordinary Bachelor, Degree or National Diploma, NFQ Level 7
- 9 Honours Bachelor, Degree/Professional qualification or both, NFQ Level 8
- 10 Postgraduate Diploma or Masters' Degree, NFQ Level 9
- 11 Doctorate (PhD) or higher, NFQ Level 10.

Census Question for Section 11 - Families

The information for families contained in this question is compiled based on the composition of the family unit determined based on other questions.

Census Question for Section 12 - Birthplace

Question 6. What is your place of birth?

Census Questions for Section 13 - Households (Type of Occupancy)

Household Question 2. Does your household own or rent your accommodation?

- 1 Own with mortgage or loan
- 2 Own outright
- 3 Rent

4 Live here rent free

Household Question 3. If renting, who is your landlord?

- 1 Private landlord
- 2 Local Authority
- 3 Voluntary/Co-operative housing body

Census Question for Section 14 - Transport

Question 19. How do you usually travel to work, school, college or childcare?

- 1 Not at work, school, college or childcare
- 2 On foot
- 3 Bicycle
- 4 Bus, minibus or coach
- 5 Train, DART or LUAS
- 6 Motorcycle or scooter
- 7 Driving a car
- 8 Passenger in a car
- 9 Van
- 10 Other (including lorry)
- 11 Work mainly at or from home.

Census Question for Section 15 - Renewable Energy

Household Question 7. Does your accommodation use any of the following renewable energy sources?

- 1 No
- 2 Solar panels for water heating

- 3 Solar panels for electricity
- 4 Wind turbine
- 5 Air source heat pump
- 6 Ground source heat pump
- 7 Wood
- 8 Other