

## IHA Health Profile - HSE Cork North and East (Health Region: HSE South West)

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# 1 Geographies

Table 1: CHNs in HSE Cork North and East

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Blarney and North Cork City	
Central Cork	
East Central Cork	
East Cork City	
Mallow, Charleville, Newmarket, Kanturk, Millstreet	
Northeast Cork	

## 2 Key Points

- The **Age Dependency Ratio** of this IHA is **53.6**. 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).
- HSE Cork North and East has a total of 284,323 **persons** and 71,871 **families** living in private households.
- There are a total of 57,023 **persons aged 0-14** in this IHA and 42,216 **persons aged over 65**.
- There are a total of 63,792 persons **living with a disability** in this IHA, representing **22.4 percent** of the population. This compares with 21.5 percent nationally
- 4,839 people in this IHA have **bad or very bad general health**. This represents **1.7 percent** of the population. 1.7 percent of the population have bad or very bad general health nationally.
- There are a total of 17,236 **carers** in this IHA, representing **6.1 percent** of the population. This compares with 5.8 percent of the population that are carers nationally.
- **13.5 percent** of this IHA **smoke tobacco products**. 13.1 percent of people nationally smoke tobacco products
- There are 3,494 **short term unemployed** and 5,375 **long term unemployed** people in this IHA. These represent 1.5 and 2.4 percent of the population respectively.
- **3.3 percent** of the population of HSE Cork North and East are **unskilled**. 3.1 percent of people in the state are unskilled.
- **24.5 percent** of those aged 15+ in this IHA have a **highest level of education of lower secondary or lower**. This compares with 23 percent nationally.
- **24.5 percent** of families with children in this IHA have **lone parents**. This stands at 24.8 nationally.
- **16.9 percent** of this IHA were **born outside Ireland** (20 percent nationally).
- **Households rented from a Local Authority** comprise **10.8 percent** of households in this IHA. This stands at 8.3 percent nationally

### 3 Population

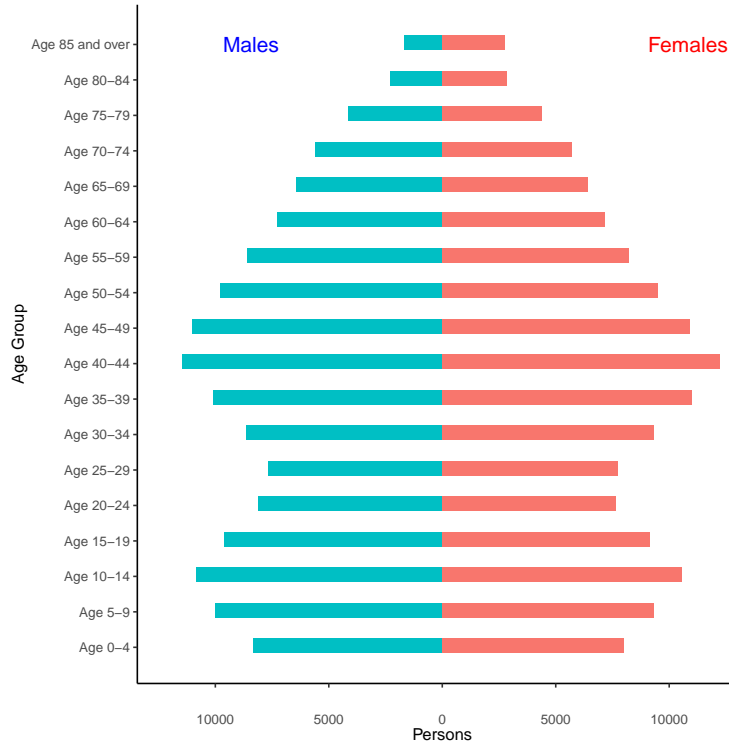


Figure 1: Persons by Age Group and Gender for HSE Cork North and East; Census 2022.

Age	Females		Males		Both Sexes			
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>% (IHA)</i>	<i>% (HR)</i>	<i>% (State)</i>
0-14	27,870	19.5	29,153	20.6	57,023	20.1	19.2	19.7
15-64	92,861	65.0	92,223	65.2	185,084	65.1	64.7	65.3
65+	22,109	15.5	20,107	14.2	42,216	14.8	16.1	15.1
Age 0-4	8,014	5.6	8,327	5.9	16,341	5.7	5.6	5.7
Age 5-9	9,307	6.5	9,986	7.1	19,293	6.8	6.5	6.7
Age 10-14	10,549	7.4	10,840	7.7	21,389	7.5	7.1	7.3
Age 15-19	9,138	6.4	9,610	6.8	18,748	6.6	6.5	6.6
Age 20-24	7,642	5.4	8,099	5.7	15,741	5.5	5.8	6.0
Age 25-29	7,732	5.4	7,654	5.4	15,386	5.4	5.4	5.7
Age 30-34	9,336	6.5	8,644	6.1	17,980	6.3	6.1	6.5
Age 35-39	10,981	7.7	10,112	7.1	21,093	7.4	7.2	7.4
Age 40-44	12,216	8.6	11,459	8.1	23,675	8.3	7.9	8.0
Age 45-49	10,927	7.6	11,014	7.8	21,941	7.7	7.3	7.3
Age 50-54	9,486	6.6	9,793	6.9	19,279	6.8	6.7	6.6
Age 55-59	8,237	5.8	8,578	6.1	16,815	5.9	6.2	6.0
Age 60-64	7,166	5.0	7,260	5.1	14,426	5.1	5.6	5.3
Age 65-69	6,433	4.5	6,415	4.5	12,848	4.5	4.9	4.6
Age 70-74	5,723	4.0	5,595	4.0	11,318	4.0	4.2	3.9
Age 75-79	4,365	3.1	4,154	2.9	8,519	3.0	3.2	3.0
Age 80-84	2,823	2.0	2,272	1.6	5,095	1.8	2.0	1.9
Age 85 and over	2,765	1.9	1,671	1.2	4,436	1.6	1.7	1.6
All Ages	142,840	100.0	141,483	100.0	284,323	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 2: Population Breakdown by Age and Sex for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 8 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population that are aged 0 - 14, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region
- This IHA ranks number 8 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population that are aged 65+, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region

## 4 Disability

- This IHA ranks number 6 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of males with a disability, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.
- This IHA ranks number 5 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of females with a disability, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

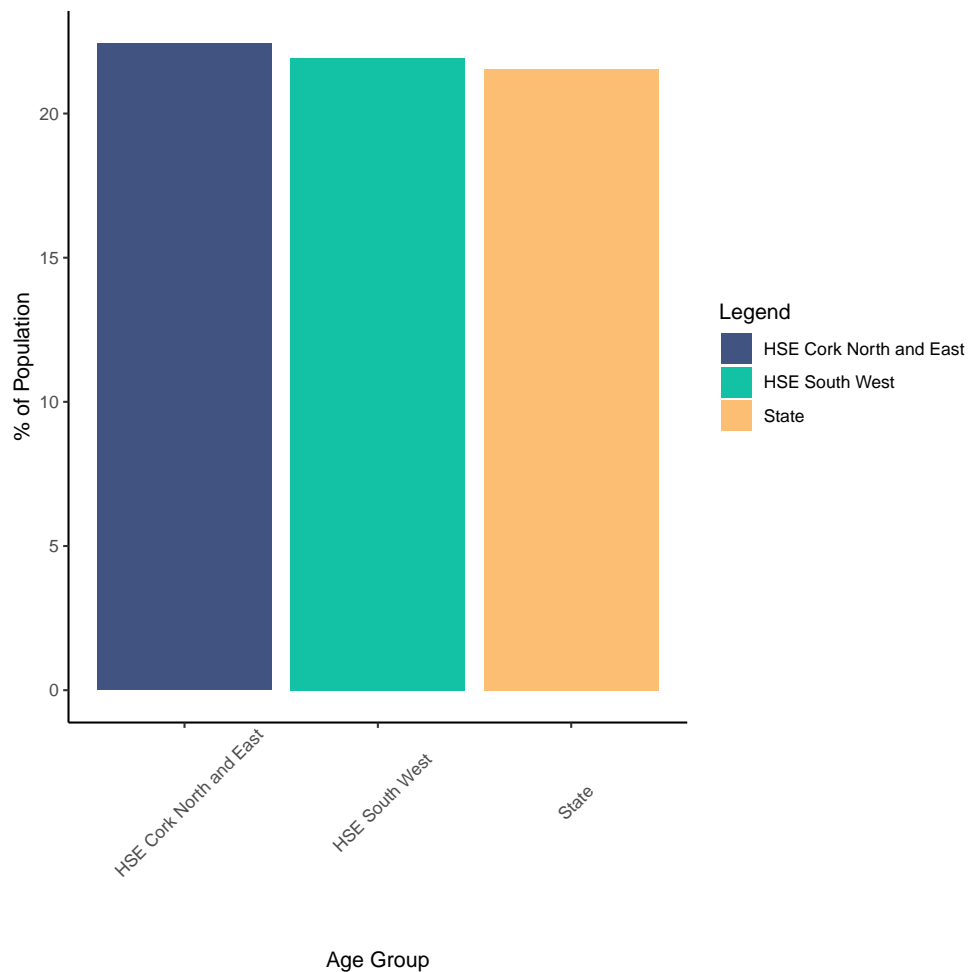


Figure 2: Percentage of Population with any Disability by Age Group for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Age Group	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	Population	With any Disability		
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Males	141,483	30,923	21.9	21.3
Females	142,840	32,869	23.0	22.5
Both Sexes	284,323	63,792	22.4	22.5

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Table 3: Population with any Disability by Age Group for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 5 General Health

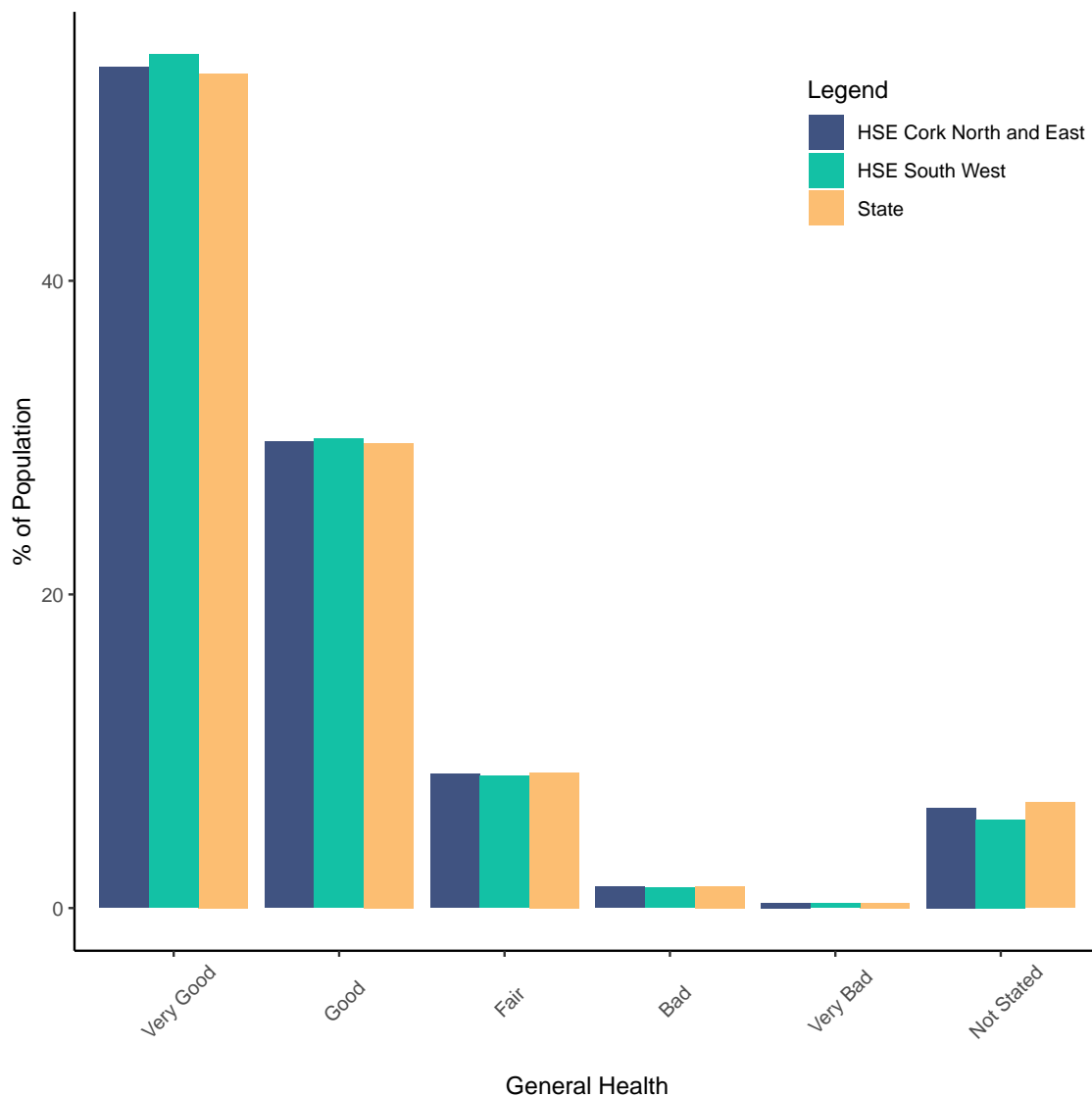


Figure 3: Population Breakdown (%) by General Health for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

General Health	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Very Good	152,467	53.6	54.4	53.2
Good	84,586	29.7	29.9	29.7
Fair	24,302	8.5	8.4	8.6
Bad	3,887	1.4	1.3	1.4
Very Bad	952	0.3	0.3	0.3
Not Stated	18,129	6.4	5.6	6.7
Total	284,323	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 4: Population by General Health for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.



- This IHA ranks number 6 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population with bad or very bad General Health, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

6 Carers

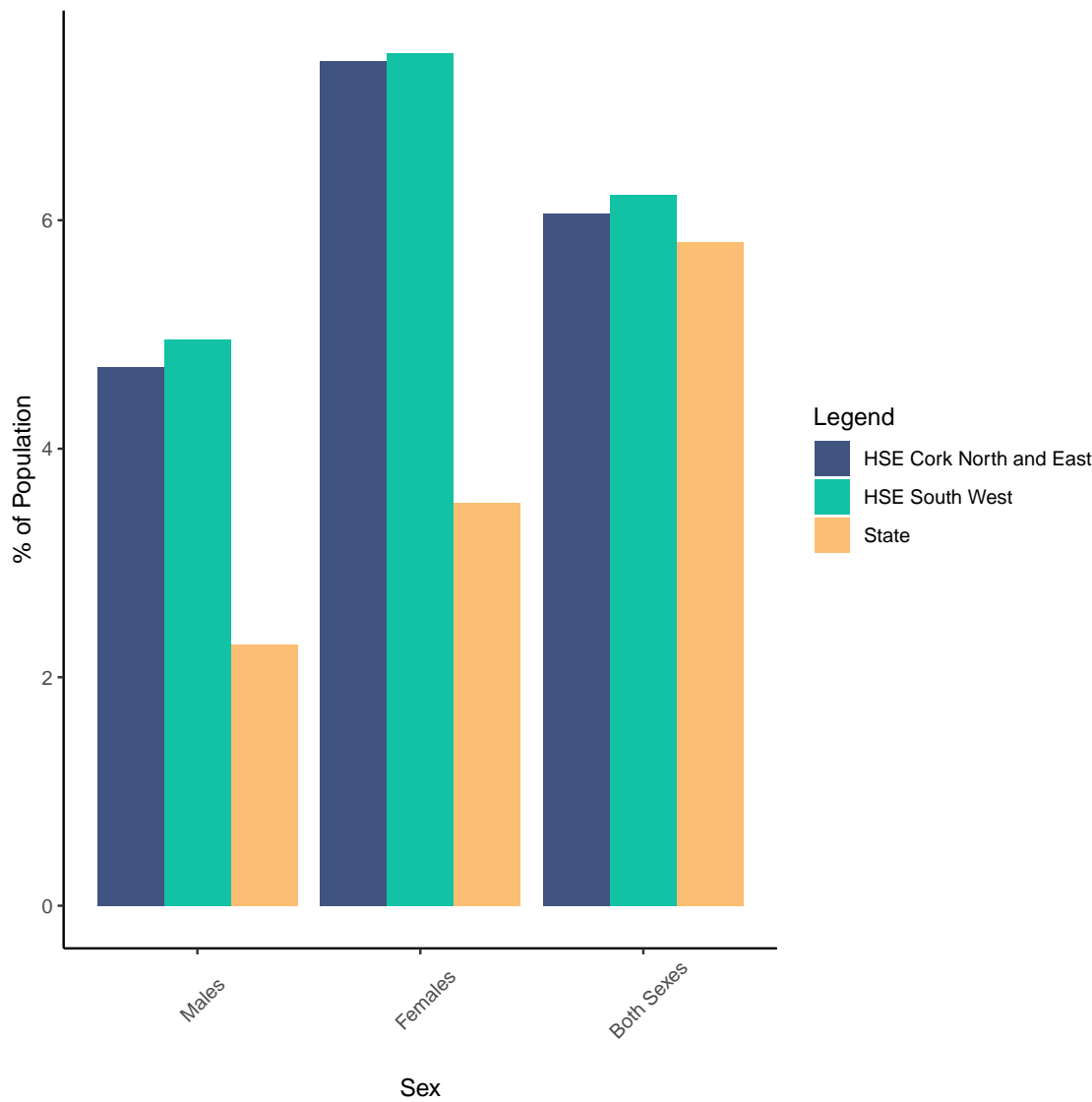


Figure 4: Carers as a Percentage of the Population of Males/Females/Both Sexes for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Age Group	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	Population		Carers	
	Persons	Persons	%	%
Males	141,483	6,673	4.7	5.0
Females	142,840	10,563	7.4	7.5
Both Sexes	284,323	17,236	6.1	6.2

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Table 5: Carers by Sex for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 5 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of females that are carers, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.
- This IHA ranks number 7 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of males that are carers, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

# 7 Volunteers

- This IHA ranks number 12 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population that volunteer, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

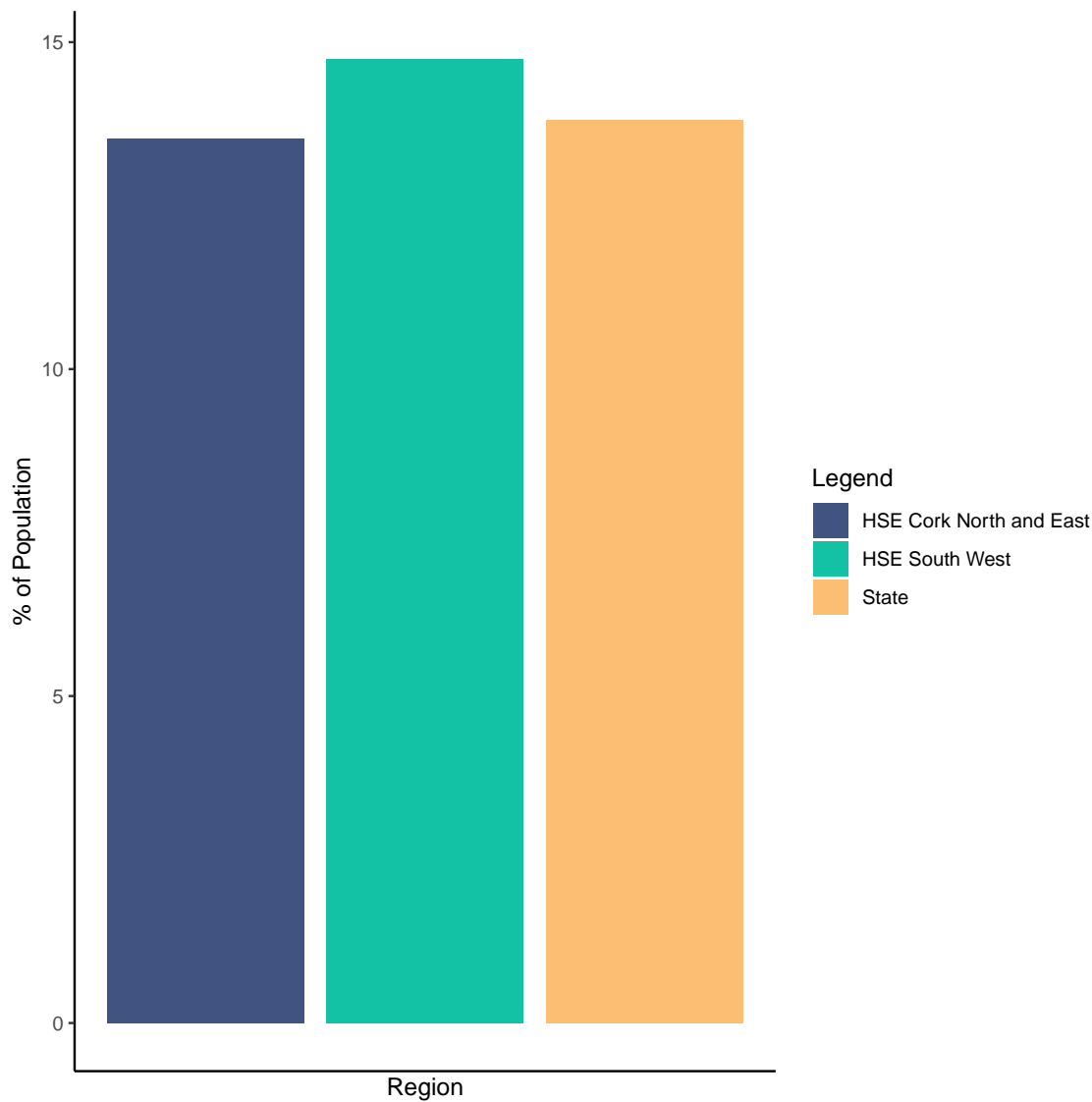


Figure 5: Volunteers as a Percentage of the Population for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
Population		Volunteers	
Persons	Persons	%	%
284323	38449	13.5	14.7
			13.8

Table 6: Volunteers for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 8 Smoking

- This IHA ranks number 5 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population who smoke (daily and occasionally), while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

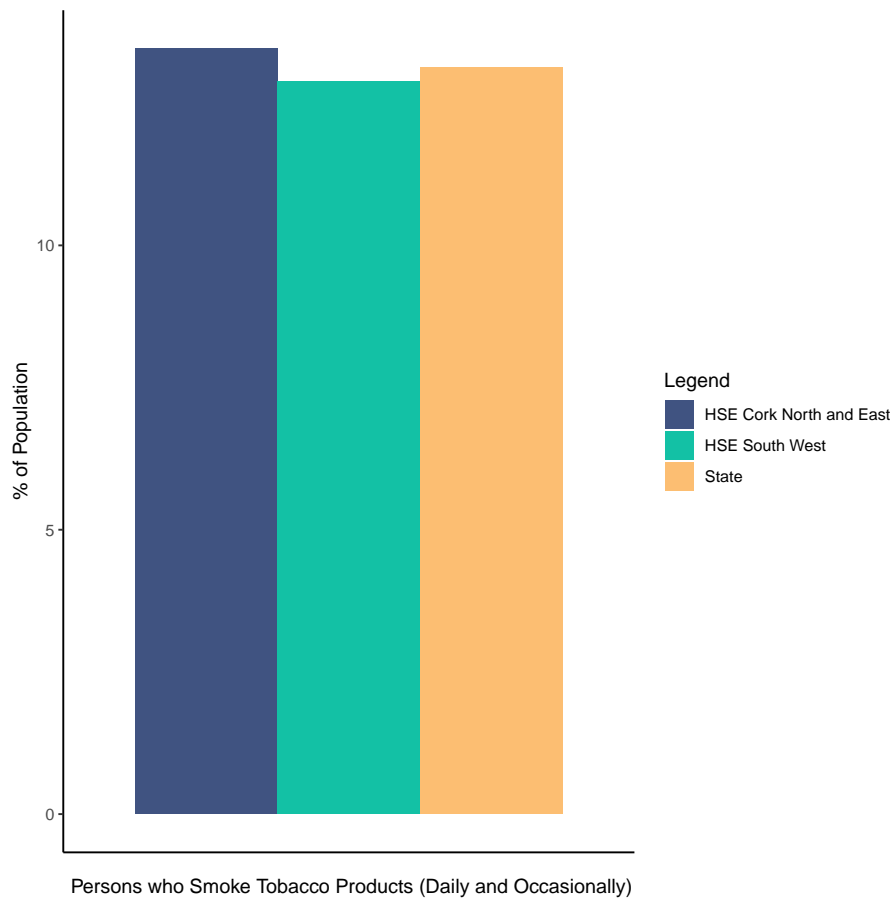


Figure 6: Percentage of the Population who Smoke Tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally) for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Smoking Status	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Smoke Tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally)	38,275	13.5	12.9	13.1
Don't Smoke Tobacco Products (Never and have given up)	225,863	79.4	80.8	79.4
Smoking Status Not Stated	20,185	7.1	6.3	7.5
All Persons	284323	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 7: Smoking Status of HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 9 Principal Economic Status

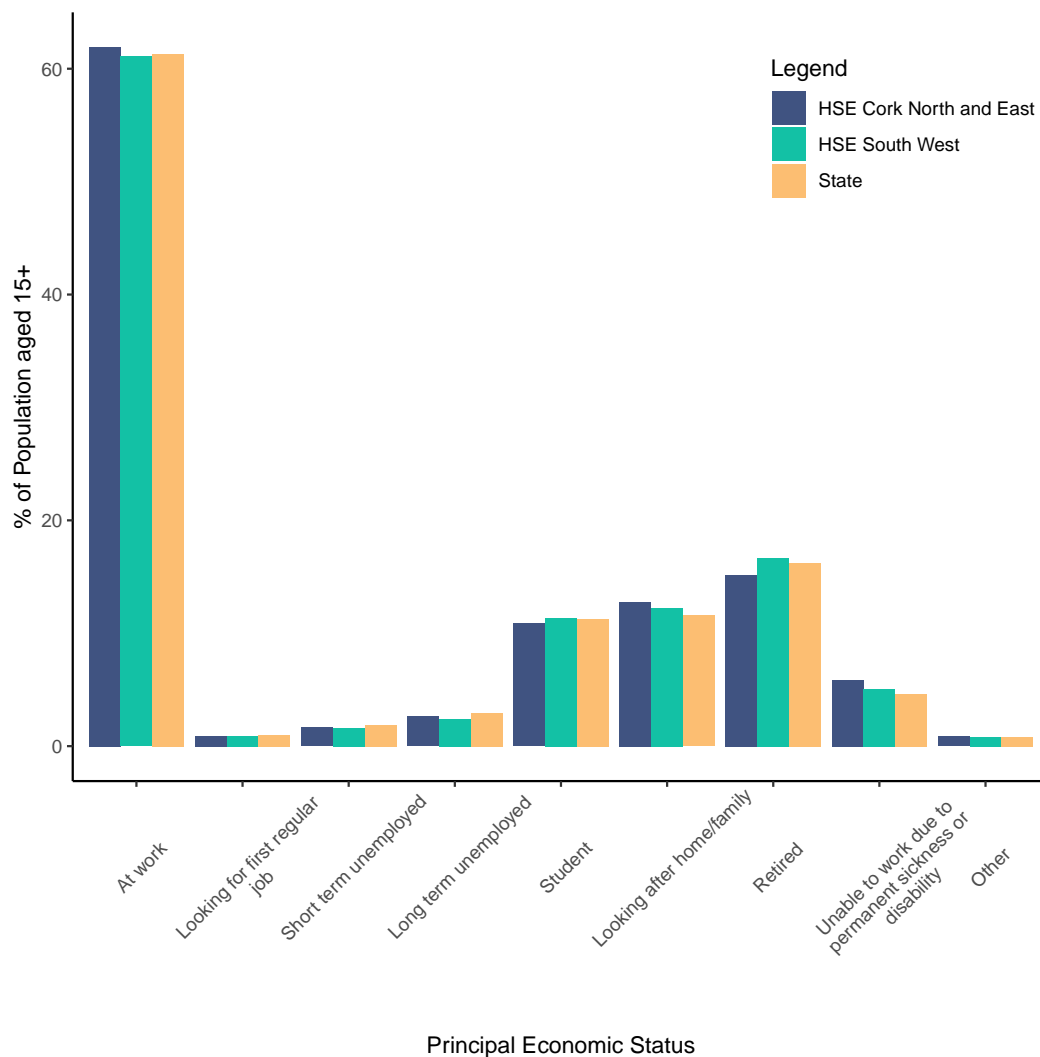


Figure 7: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Principal Economic Status	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
At Work	127,483	56.1	55.5	56.1
Looking for first regular job	1,759	0.8	0.7	0.8
Short term unemployed	3,494	1.5	1.5	1.7
Long term unemployed	5,375	2.4	2.1	2.6
Student	24,358	10.7	11.2	11.1
Looking after home/family	16,121	7.1	6.9	6.6
Retired	34,436	15.2	16.5	15.9
Unable to work due to permanent sickness or disability	12,738	5.6	4.9	4.6
Other	1,536	0.7	0.7	0.7
Total	227,300	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 8: Population aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 12 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population that are unemployed, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

## 10 Social Class

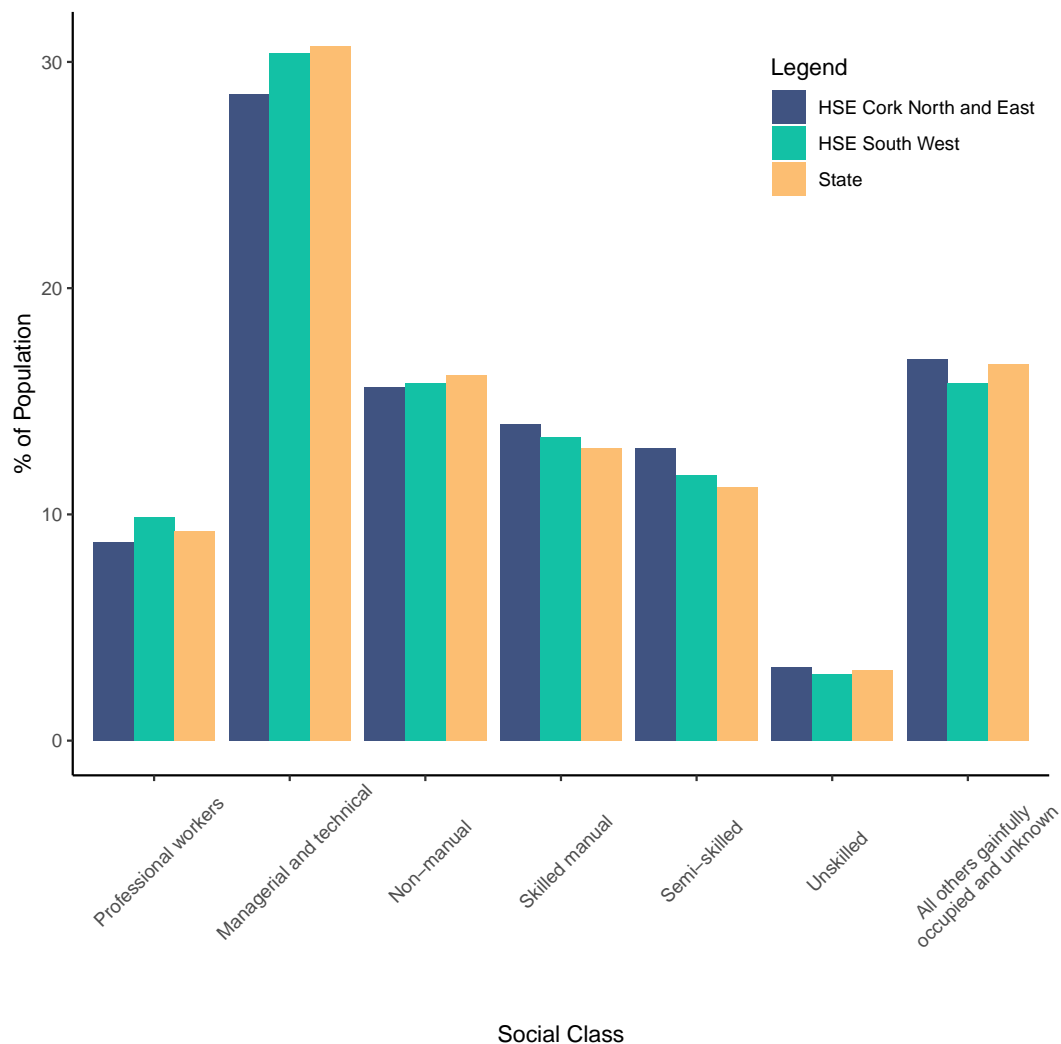


Figure 8: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Social Class for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Social Class	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Professional workers	24,975	8.8	9.9	9.3
Managerial and technical	81,218	28.6	30.4	30.7
Non-manual	44,389	15.6	15.8	16.2
Skilled manual	39,810	14.0	13.4	12.9
Semi-skilled	36,766	12.9	11.7	11.2
Unskilled	9,248	3.3	2.9	3.1
All others gainfully occupied and unknown	47,917	16.9	15.8	16.6
Total	284,323	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 9: Population aged 15+ by Social Class for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.



- This IHA ranks number 6 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ that are classified as unskilled, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.
- This IHA ranks number 8 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ that are classified as professional workers, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

## 11 Education

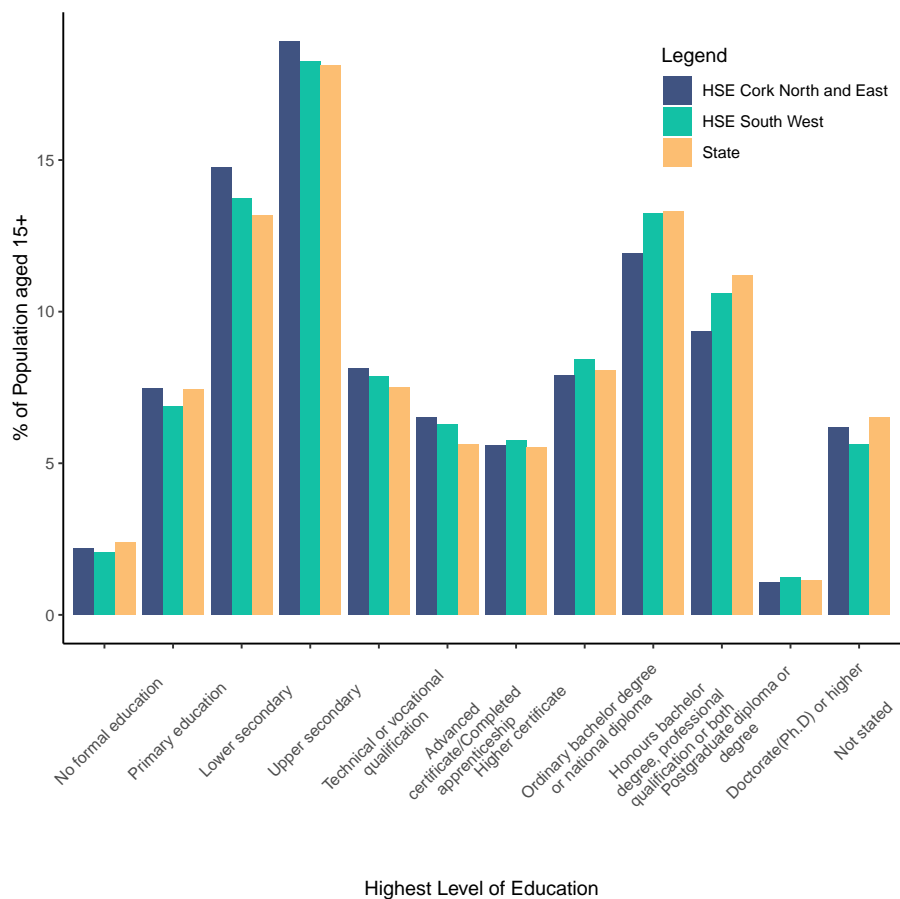


Figure 9: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Highest Level of Education Completed	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
No formal education	4,128	2.2	2.1	2.4
Primary education	13,970	7.5	6.9	7.4
Lower secondary	27,635	14.8	13.7	13.2
Upper secondary	35,448	18.9	18.3	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	15,254	8.1	7.9	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	12,200	6.5	6.3	5.6
Higher certificate	10,472	5.6	5.8	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	14,811	7.9	8.4	8.1
Honours bachelor degree, professional qualification or both	22,299	11.9	13.2	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	17,509	9.3	10.6	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	1,979	1.1	1.2	1.1
Not stated	11,580	6.2	5.6	6.5
Total	187,285	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 10: Population aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 11 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ with a highest level of education of Primary or lower, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.
- This IHA ranks number 10 highest out of 20 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 2 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

12 Families

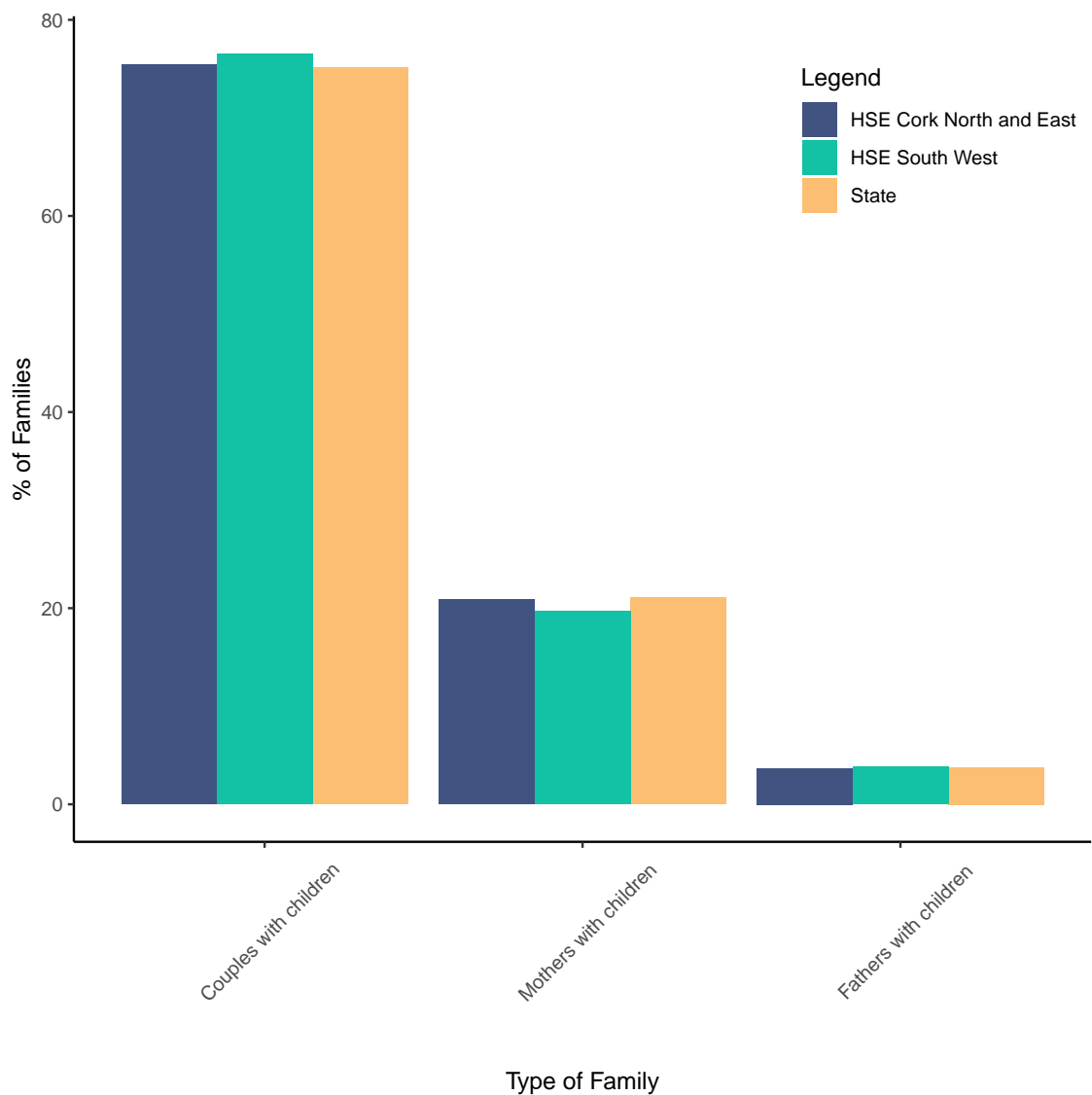


Figure 10: Percentage of Families with Children by Family Type for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Family	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	Families	%	%	%
Couples with Children	38,086	75.5	76.5	75.2
Mothers with Children	10,530	20.9	19.7	21.1
Fathers with Children	1,856	3.7	3.8	3.8
All Families	50,472	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 11: Families with Children by Family Type for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 9 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of **family units** with a lone parent (see Detailed Tables section), while it ranks number 1 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

## 13 Birthplace

- This IHA ranks 16 out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population that were born outside Ireland, while it ranks 3 out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

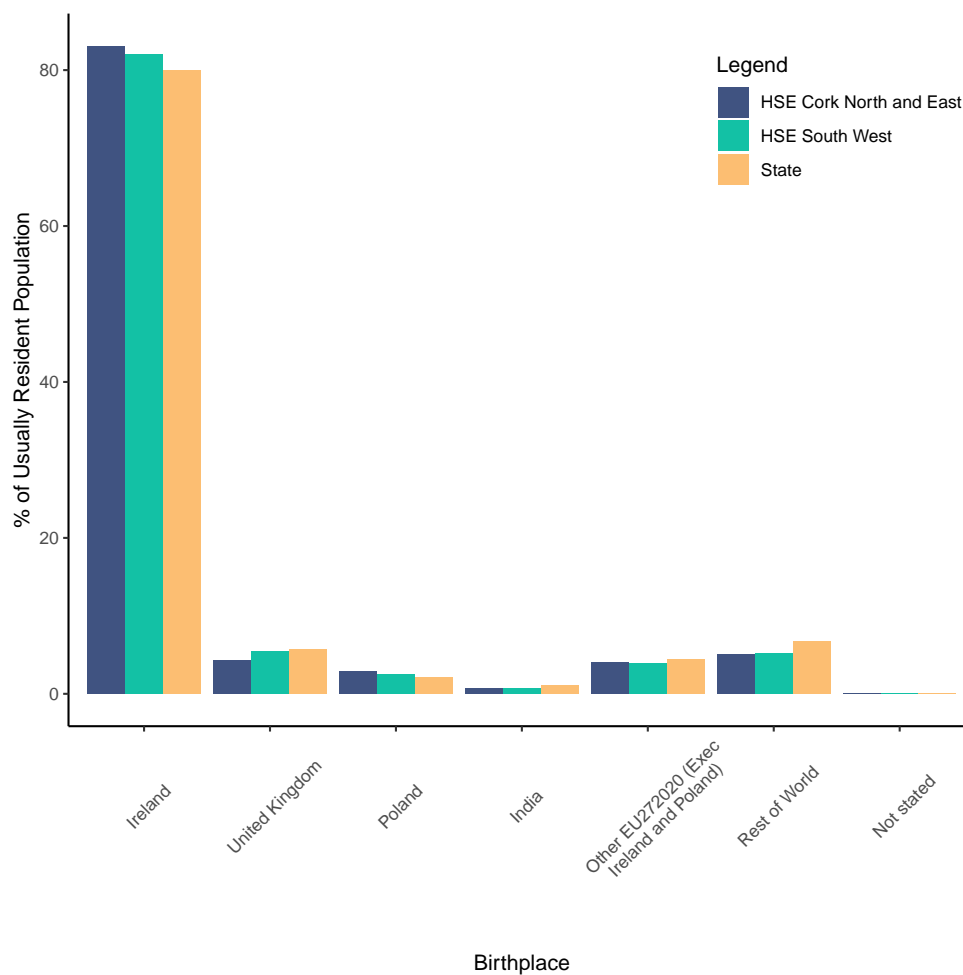


Figure 11: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Birthplace for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Birthplace	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Ireland	234,068	83.1	82.1	80.0
United Kingdom	11,996	4.3	5.4	5.7
Poland	8,109	2.9	2.5	2.1
India	1,939	0.7	0.8	1.1
Other EU272020 (Exec Ireland and Poland)	11,388	4.0	4.0	4.4
Rest of World	14,188	5.0	5.2	6.7
Not stated	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	281,688	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 12: Usually Resident Population By Birthplace for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 14 Households - Type of Occupancy

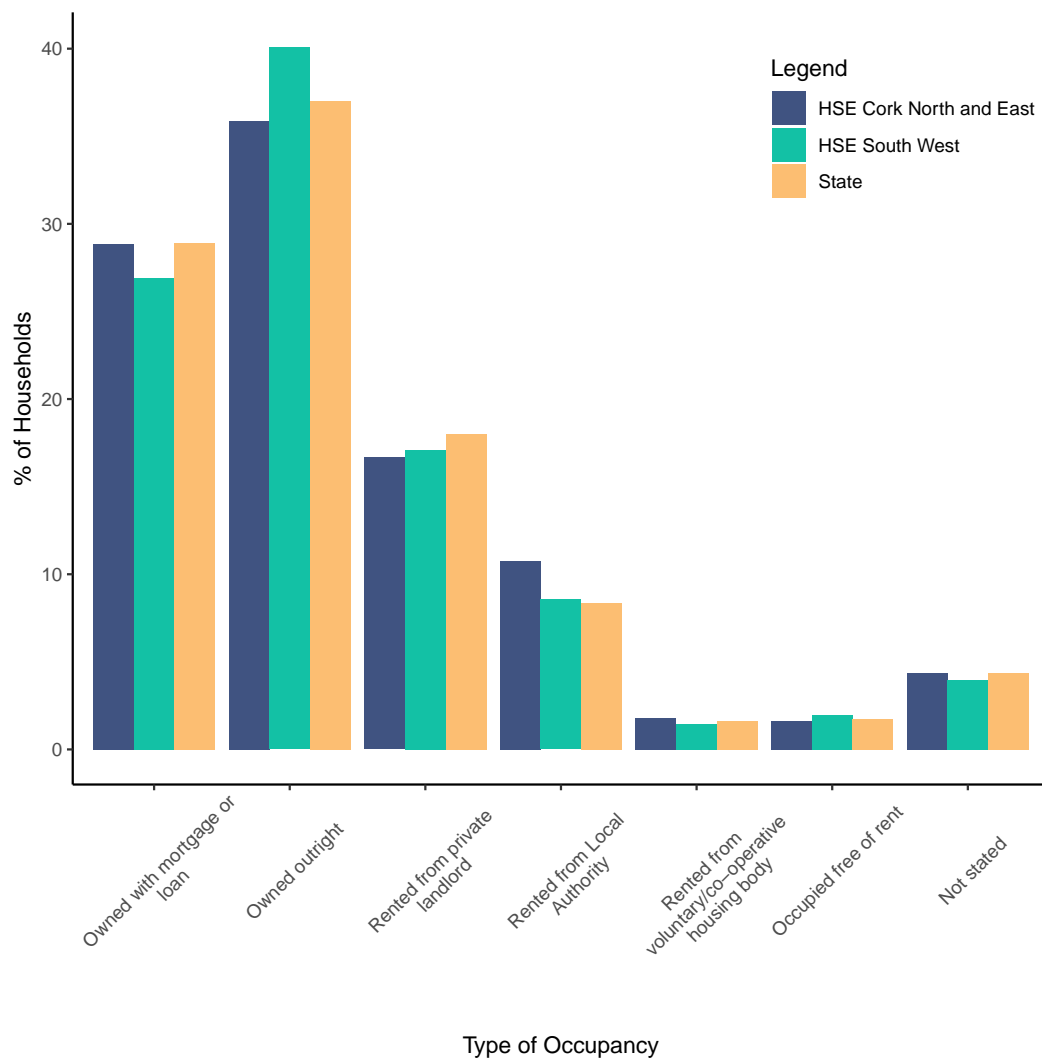


Figure 12: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Occupancy	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	Households	%	%	%
Owned with mortgage or loan	29,598	28.9	26.9	28.9
Owned outright	36,797	35.9	40.1	37.0
Rented from private landlord	17,089	16.7	17.1	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	11,038	10.8	8.6	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	1,836	1.8	1.5	1.6
Occupied free of rent	1,688	1.6	2.0	1.7
Not stated	4,488	4.4	4.0	4.4
Total	102,534	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 13: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 2 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage households that are rented from a Local Authority, while it ranks number 1 highest out of the IHAs in its Health Region.
- This CHN ranks number 14 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of households that are owned outright, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.



## 15 Transport

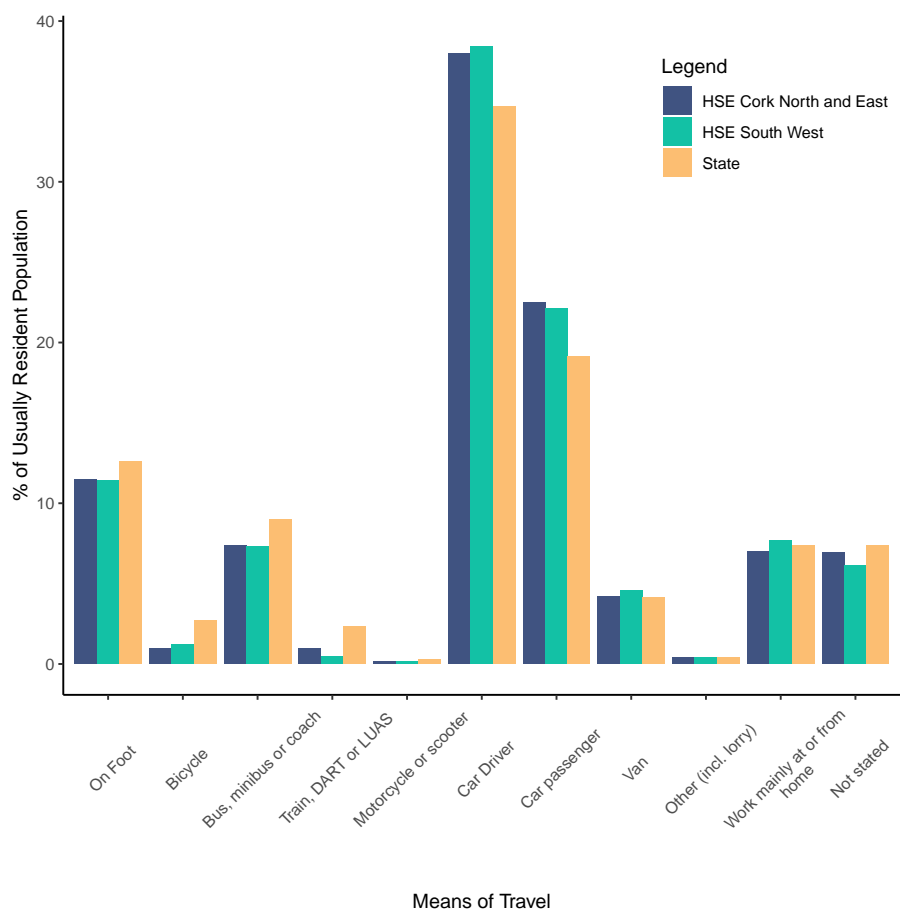


Figure 13: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Means of travel	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
On Foot	22,919	11.5	11.4	12.6
Bicycle	1,909	1.0	1.2	2.7
Bus, minibus or coach	14,762	7.4	7.3	9.0
Train, DART or LUAS	1,891	0.9	0.5	2.4
Motorcycle or scooter	369	0.2	0.2	0.3
Car Driver	75,862	38.0	38.4	34.7
Car passenger	44,952	22.5	22.1	19.1
Van	8,388	4.2	4.6	4.1
Other (incl. lorry)	810	0.4	0.4	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	13,988	7.0	7.7	7.4
Not stated	13,828	6.9	6.1	7.4
Total	199,678	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 14: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This IHA ranks number 10 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population who travel to work, school, college or childcare on foot or bicycle, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.
- This IHA ranks number 11 highest out of 20 regarding the percentage of the population who travel to work, school, college or childcare as a car driver, while it ranks number 3 highest out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

## 16 Renewable Energy

- This IHA ranks 9 out of 20 regarding the percentage of households with no renewable energy source, while it ranks 1 out of 3 IHAs in its Health Region.

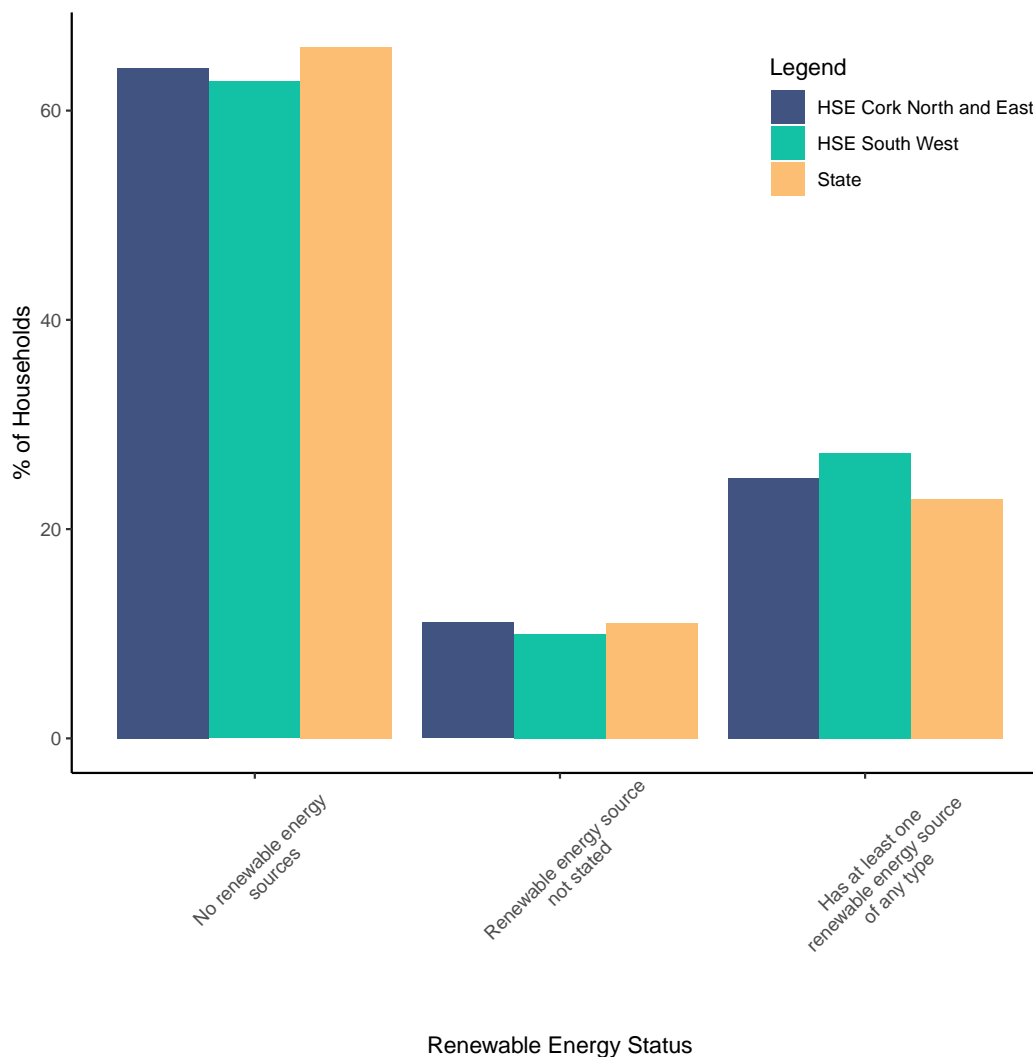


Figure 14: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Renewable Energy Source	HSE Cork North and East		HSE South West	State
	<i>Households</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
All households	102,534	100.0	100.0	100.0
No renewable energy sources	65,669	64.0	62.8	66.1
Renewable energy source not stated	11,356	11.1	10.0	11.0
Has at least one renewable energy source of any type	25,509	24.9	27.3	22.9

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Table 15: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for HSE Cork North and East (IHA); HSE South West (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 17 Detailed Tables

	IHA	HR	State
<b>Education (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>			
No formal education	2.2	2.1	2.4
Primary education	7.5	6.9	7.4
Lower secondary	14.8	13.7	13.2
Upper secondary	18.9	18.3	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	8.1	7.9	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	6.5	6.3	5.6
Higher certificate	5.6	5.8	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	7.9	8.4	8.1
Hns bach. degree, prof. qual. or both	11.9	13.2	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	9.3	10.6	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	1.1	1.2	1.1
<b>Employment (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>			
At work	56.1	55.5	56.1
Looking for first regular job	0.8	0.7	0.8
short Term Unemployed	1.5	1.5	1.7
Long Term Unemployed	2.4	2.1	2.6
Student	10.7	11.2	11.1
Looking after home/family	7.1	6.9	6.6
Retired	15.2	16.5	15.9
Unable to work - perm. sickness or disability	5.6	4.9	4.6
<b>Employment (Percentage of those at work)</b>			
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	4.2	4.6	3.5
Building and construction	5.7	5.8	5.8
Manufacturing industries	18.2	16.1	11.8
Commerce and trade	21.3	21.6	23.8
Transport and communications	7.4	7.1	9.2
Public administration	4.7	4.9	5.7
Professional services	23.6	24.3	24.5
<b>Social Class (Percentage of population)</b>			
Professional workers	8.8	9.9	9.3
Managerial and technical	28.6	30.4	30.7
Non-manual	15.6	15.8	16.2
Skilled manual	14.0	13.4	12.9
Semi-skilled	12.9	11.7	11.2
Unskilled	3.3	2.9	3.1

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<b>Families (Percentage of family units)</b>			
Families without children	29.8	31.2	30.8
Families with 1 child	27.1	26.8	27.1
Families with 2 children	26.5	25.3	25.3
Families with 3 children	12.5	12.4	12.3
Families with 4 children	3.2	3.4	3.5
Families with 5 or more children	0.9	0.9	1.0
Couples with children	53.0	52.7	52.0
Lone parent (mother)	14.7	13.5	14.6
Lone parent (father)	2.6	2.6	2.6
Pre-family families	9.0	8.7	9.3
Empty nest families	9.0	9.7	9.4
Retired families	11.8	12.8	12.0
Per-school families	8.1	8.0	8.1
Early school families	9.8	9.7	9.9
Pre-adolescent families	12.3	11.7	11.9
Adolescent families	12.7	12.2	12.3
Adult families	53.0	27.3	27.0
Families with youngest child aged 0 - 4	23.4	23.1	14.6
Families with youngest child aged 5 - 9	18.4	17.8	18.1
Families with youngest child aged 10 - 14	17.2	16.8	16.9
Families with youngest child aged 15 - 19	13.6	13.8	13.6
Families with youngest child aged 20 and over	27.4	28.5	27.5
<b>Health (Percentage of population)</b>			
Very good general health	53.6	54.4	53.2
Good general health	29.7	29.9	29.7
Fair general health	8.5	8.4	8.6
Bad general health	1.4	1.3	1.4
Very bad general health	0.3	0.3	0.3
Persons who smoke	13.5	12.9	13.1
With a disability (to some or to a great extent)	22.4	21.9	21.5
<b>Household composition (Percentage of Private Households)</b>			
Married couple households	14.7	15.4	14.9
Cohabiting couple households	4.4	4.3	4.3
Married couple with children households	30.5	30.1	29.4
Cohabiting couple with children households	4.4	4.1	4.3
One parent family (father) with children households	1.5	1.5	1.5
One parent family (mother) and children households	8.8	8.0	8.5
Couple and others households	1.2	1.2	1.5
Two or more non-related persons households	4.6	4.8	5.4
1 person households	23.3	24.4	23.1
2 person households	28.6	29.0	29.0
3 person households	18.0	17.5	17.9
4 person households	17.4	16.6	16.9
5 person households	8.9	8.8	8.9
6 person households	2.7	2.8	3.0
7 person households	0.7	0.7	0.8
8 or more person households	0.3	0.3	0.4
<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent dwellings)</b>			
Occupied	90.4	85.2	87.4
Temporarily absent	1.3	1.7	1.6
Unoccupied holiday homes	1.2	5.1	3.2
Other vacant dwellings	7.1	8.0	7.7

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<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent private households)</b>			
Owned with mortgage or loan	28.9	26.9	28.9
Owned outright	35.9	40.1	37.0
Rented from private landlord	16.7	17.1	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	10.8	8.6	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	1.8	1.5	1.6
Occupied free of rent	1.6	2.0	1.7
1 room	0.4	0.3	0.5
2 rooms	3.9	3.3	3.9
3 rooms	7.6	7.0	8.0
4 rooms	10.1	10.1	11.0
5 rooms	26.3	24.3	23.8
6 rooms	19.7	20.4	19.9
7 rooms	13.7	15.0	14.0
8 or more rooms	15.3	17.1	15.8
No central heating	1.6	1.6	1.2
Public main water supply	80.5	78.7	80.1
Group scheme with public source water supply	2.1	2.8	4.3
Group scheme with private source water supply	1.1	1.3	3.4
Other private source water supply	14.2	15.3	9.9
No water supply	0.1	0.1	0.1
<b>Housing (Percentage of private households)</b>			
House/Bungalow	90.0	90.9	86.7
Flat/Apartment	9.8	8.9	13.0
Bed-Sit	0.0	0.0	0.1
Caravan/Mobile home	0.2	0.2	0.2
Built Pre 1919	12.2	10.5	8.4
Built 1919 - 1945	6.2	6.3	6.2
Built 1946 - 1960	6.8	6.9	7.2
Built 1961 - 1970	6.1	6.5	6.7
Built 1971 - 1980	11.6	11.9	12.2
Built 1981 - 1990	8.3	10.1	10.1
Built 1991 - 2000	13.3	14.0	14.5
Built 2001 - 2010	25.8	24.1	24.5
Built 2011 - 2015	2.7	2.8	2.7
Built 2016 or later	4.3	4.5	5.1
<b>Marital Status (Percentage of population)</b>			
Single	53.7	53.0	53.9
Married (incl. same sex civil partnership)	37.4	37.9	37.1
Separated	2.2	2.1	2.3
Divorced	2.7	2.7	2.6
Widowed	4.0	4.3	4.1
<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of population)</b>			
Speak english not well	1.4	1.3	1.6
Speak english not at all	0.2	0.2	0.3
<b>Occupation (Percentage of those at work or unemployed)</b>			
Managers, directors and senior officials	6.8	7.3	7.7
Professional occupations	18.5	20.8	20.3
Associate professional and technical occupations	11.2	11.1	11.7
Administrative and secretarial occupations	8.4	8.5	9.2
Skilled trades occupations	13.8	14.4	12.6
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	7.7	7.4	7.4
Sales and customer service occupations	6.7	6.5	6.2
Process, plant and machine operatives	8.8	7.5	6.9
Elementary occupations	8.6	8.1	8.2

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<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of usually resident population)</b>			
Ireland - Birthplace	83.1	82.1	80.0
UK - Birthplace	4.3	5.4	5.7
Poland - Birthplace	2.9	2.5	2.1
India - Birthplace	0.7	0.8	1.1
Other EU28 - Birthplace	4.0	4.0	4.4
Rest of world - Birthplace	5.0	5.2	6.7
White Irish	78.9	79.5	76.6
White Irish Traveller	0.6	0.5	0.6
Other White	9.6	9.9	9.9
Black or Black Irish	1.5	1.1	1.5
Asian or Asian Irish	2.1	2.3	3.3
Other ethnic or cultural background	1.6	1.6	2.0
Usual residence 1 year before census day - Outside Ireland	1.4	1.7	1.8
<b>Socio-economic group of ref. person (percentage of private households)</b>			
A Employers and managers	11.3	11.8	12.9
B Higher professional	1.3	1.6	1.5
C Lower professional	5.8	6.4	6.3
D Non-manual	31.7	33.0	34.2
E Manual skilled	10.0	9.0	8.5
F Semi-skilled	9.7	8.3	7.7
G Unskilled	3.4	3.0	3.2
H Own account workers	3.6	4.1	4.0
I Farmers	3.6	4.2	3.1
J Agricultural workers	1.2	1.4	1.2
Z All others gainfully occupied and unknown	18.2	17.1	17.5
<b>Transport (Percentage of population aged 5+)</b>			
No motor car (percentage of households)	13.6	11.7	13.4
<i>Travel to work, school, College or childcare:</i>			
On Foot	11.5	11.4	12.6
By Bicycle	1.0	1.2	2.7
By Bus, minibus or coach	7.4	7.3	9.0
By Train, DART or LUAS	0.9	0.5	2.4
By Motorcycle or scooter	0.2	0.2	0.3
Car driver	38.0	38.4	34.7
Car passenger	22.5	22.1	19.1
By Van	4.2	4.6	4.1
By Other (incl. lorry)	0.4	0.4	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	7.0	7.7	7.4
Journey time to work, school or college is Under 15 mins	29.8	32.0	29.4
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/4 hour - under 1/2 hour	27.9	30.0	28.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/2 hour - under 3/4 hour	18.8	17.6	17.3
Journey time to work, school or college is 3/4 hour - under 1 hour	6.4	5.1	5.9
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 hour - under 1 1/2 hours	5.6	4.5	6.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 1/2 hours and over	1.5	1.6	2.5
<b>Other</b>			
Has renewable energy source (percentage of permanent private households)	24.9	27.3	22.9
Volunteers (percentage of population)	13.5	14.7	13.8
No internet connection	9.8	9.8	8.7

## 18 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