

CHN Health Profile - Monaghan (IHA: HSE Cavan Monaghan ; Health  
Region: HSE Dublin and North East)

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# 1 Key Points

- The **Age Dependency Ratio** of this CHN is **60.9**. 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).
- Monaghan has a total of 64,741 **persons** and 16,281 **families** living in private households.
- There are a total of 14,212 **persons aged 0-14** in this CHN and 10,290 **persons aged over 65**.
- There are a total of 12,164 persons **living with a disability** in this CHN, representing **18.8 percent** of the population. This compares with 21.5 percent nationally
- 997 people in this CHN have **bad or very bad general health**. This represents **1.5 percent** of the population. 1.7 percent of the population have bad or very bad general health nationally.
- There are a total of 3,649 **carers** in this CHN, representing **5.6 percent** of the population. This compares with 5.8 percent of the population that are carers nationally.
- **12.6 percent** of this CHN **smoke tobacco products**. 13.1 percent of people nationally smoke tobacco products
- There are 856 **short term unemployed** and 1,237 **long term unemployed** people in this CHN. These represent 1.7 and 2.4 percent of the population respectively.
- **3.6 percent** of the population of Monaghan are **unskilled**. 3.1 percent of people in the state are unskilled.
- **31.6 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.
- **23.0 percent** of families with children in this CHN have **lone parents**. This stands at 24.8 nationally.
- **22.7 percent** of this CHN were **born outside Ireland** (20 percent nationally).
- **Households rented from a Local Authority** comprise **7.6 percent** of households in this CHN. This stands at 8.3 percent nationally

## 2 Population



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

- This CHN ranks number 15 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 0 - 14, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 15 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 65+, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 2 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	6,888	21.4	7,324	22.4	14,212	22.0	21.8	19.7
15-64	19,927	62.0	20,312	62.3	40,239	62.2	62.5	65.3
65+	5,300	16.5	4,990	15.3	10,290	15.9	15.7	15.1
Age 0-4	2,065	6.4	2,229	6.8	4,294	6.6	6.5	5.7
Age 5-9	2,322	7.2	2,458	7.5	4,780	7.4	7.4	6.7
Age 10-14	2,501	7.8	2,637	8.1	5,138	7.9	8.0	7.3
Age 15-19	2,122	6.6	2,242	6.9	4,364	6.7	6.8	6.6
Age 20-24	1,509	4.7	1,778	5.4	3,287	5.1	5.1	6.0
Age 25-29	1,462	4.6	1,620	5.0	3,082	4.8	4.8	5.7
Age 30-34	1,902	5.9	1,799	5.5	3,701	5.7	5.7	6.5
Age 35-39	2,375	7.4	2,236	6.9	4,611	7.1	7.2	7.4
Age 40-44	2,497	7.8	2,434	7.5	4,931	7.6	7.7	8.0
Age 45-49	2,284	7.1	2,341	7.2	4,625	7.1	7.1	7.3
Age 50-54	2,024	6.3	2,151	6.6	4,175	6.4	6.6	6.6
Age 55-59	1,950	6.1	1,907	5.8	3,857	6.0	6.1	6.0
Age 60-64	1,802	5.6	1,804	5.5	3,606	5.6	5.5	5.3
Age 65-69	1,551	4.8	1,648	5.1	3,199	4.9	4.9	4.6
Age 70-74	1,370	4.3	1,366	4.2	2,736	4.2	4.1	3.9
Age 75-79	1,003	3.1	1,018	3.1	2,021	3.1	3.1	3.0
Age 80-84	679	2.1	535	1.6	1,214	1.9	1.8	1.9
Age 85 and over	697	2.2	423	1.3	1,120	1.7	1.7	1.6
All Ages	32,115	100.0	32,626	100.0	64,741	100.0	100.0	100.0

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

### 3 Disability

- This CHN ranks number 49 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of males with a disability, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA
- This CHN ranks number 49 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of females with a disability, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

Age Group	Monaghan			IHA	HR	State
	Population			With any Disability		
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Males	32,626	6,035	18.5	19.1	19.4	20.9
Females	32,115	6,129	19.1	19.8	21.2	22.2
Both Sexes	64,741	12,164	18.8	19.8	21.2	21.5

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

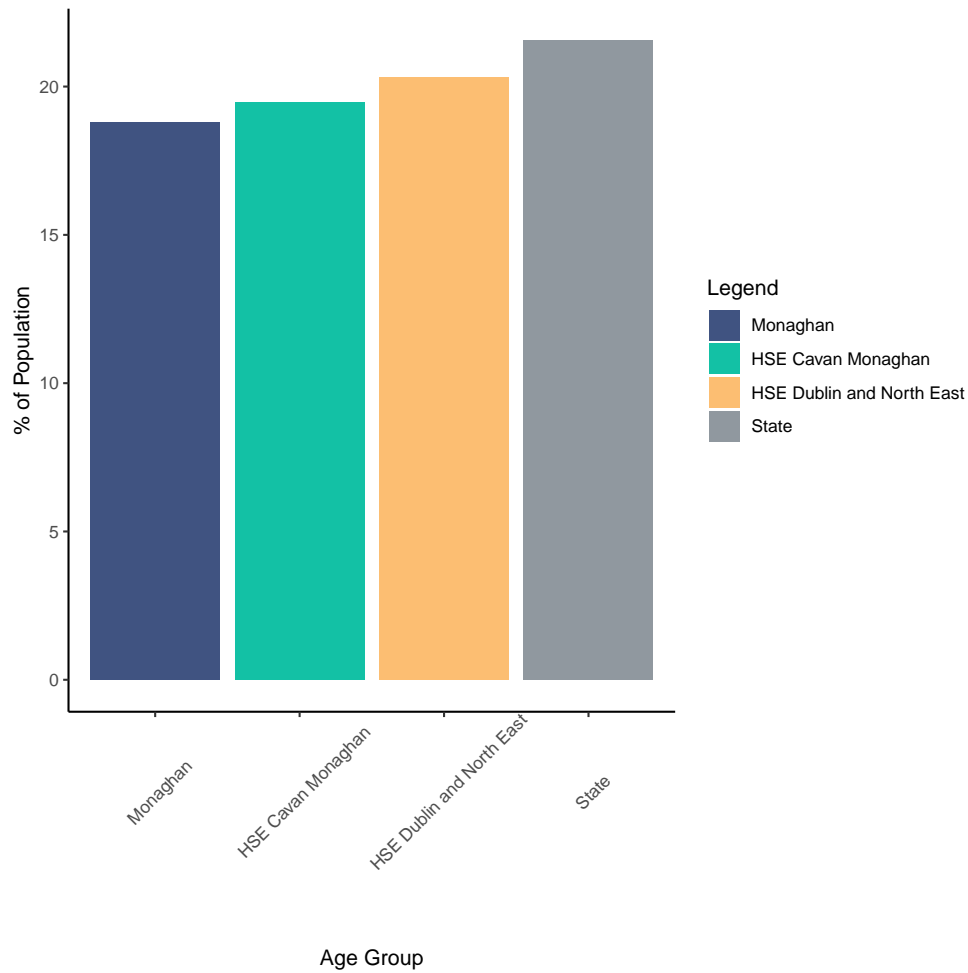


Figure 2: Percentage of Population with any Disability by Age Group for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 4 General Health

- This CHN ranks number 18 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population with bad or very bad General Health, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

General Health	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Very Good	35,864	55.4	54.8	52.9	53.2
Good	19,504	30.1	30.0	29.1	29.7
Fair	5,701	8.8	8.9	8.2	8.6
Bad	804	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4
Very Bad	193	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Not Stated	2,675	4.1	4.7	8.1	6.7
Total	64,741	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 3: Population by General Health for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

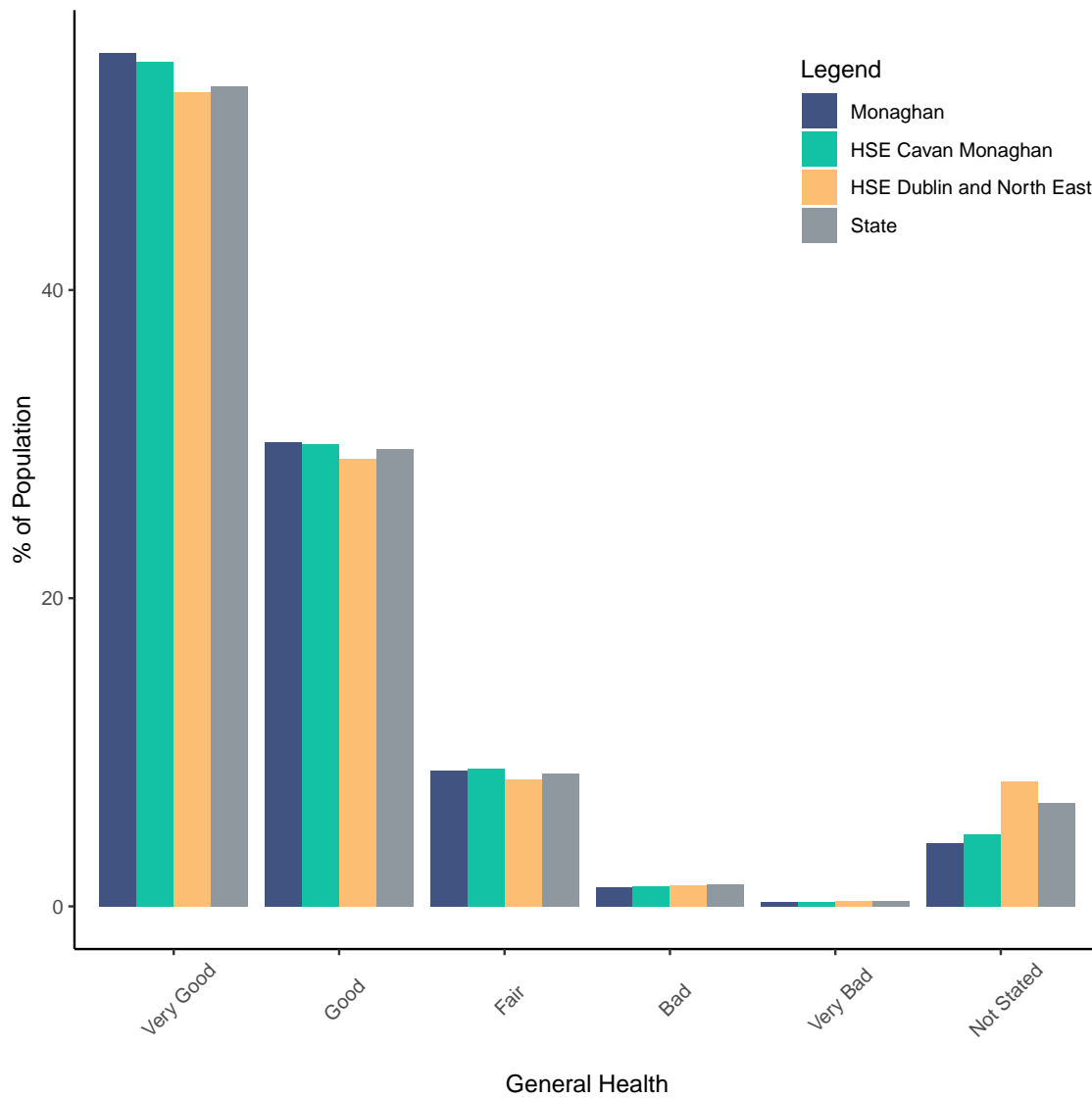


Figure 3: Population Breakdown (%) by General Health for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 5 Carers

- This CHN ranks number 14 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of males that are carers, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 18 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of females that are carers, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

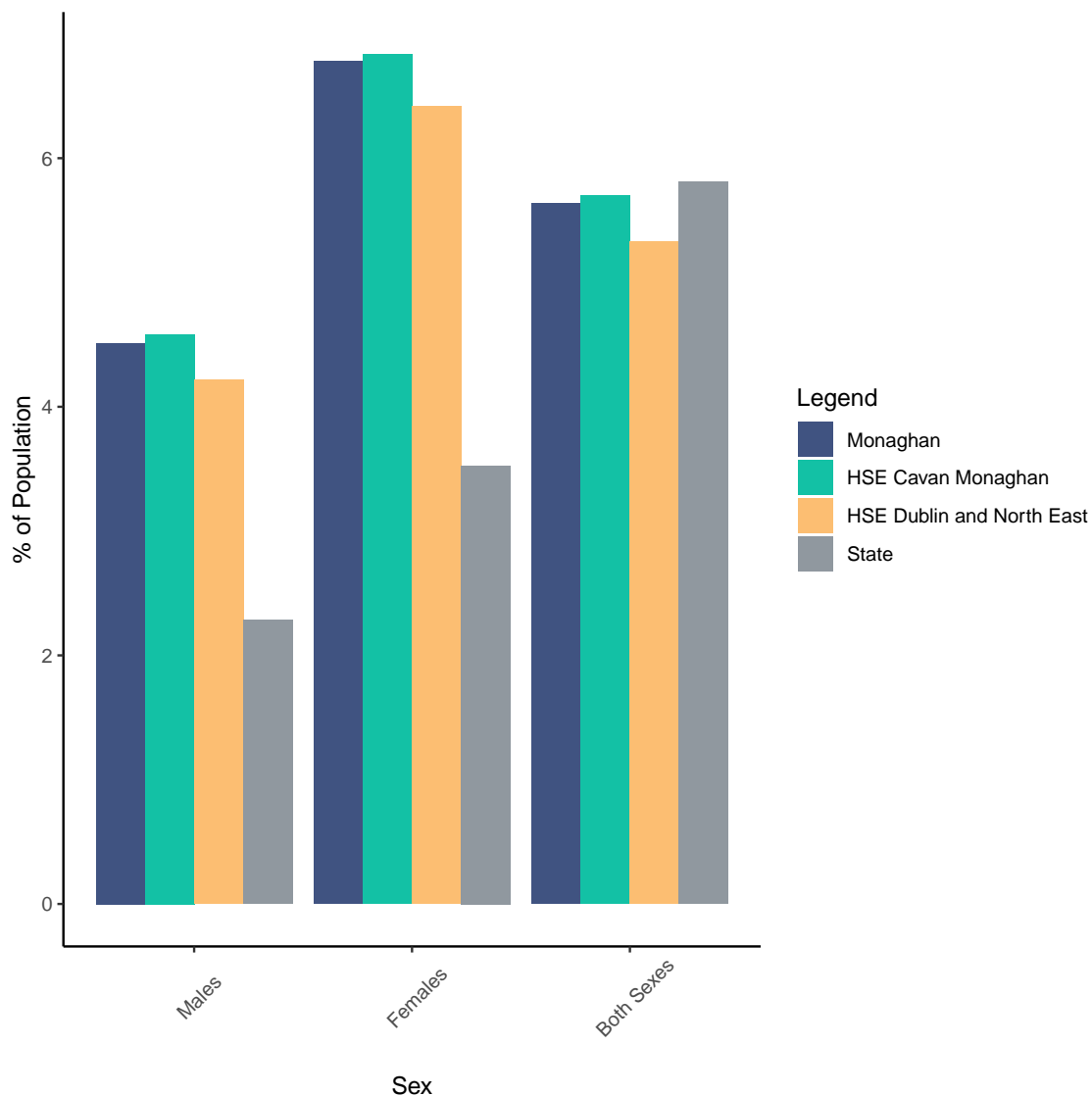


Figure 4: Carers as a Percentage of the Population of Males/Females/Both Sexes for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Age Group	Monaghan			IHA	HR	State
	Population		Carers			
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Males	32,626	1,472	4.5	4.6	4.2	2.3
Females	32,115	2,177	6.8	6.8	6.4	3.5
Both Sexes	64,741	3,649	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.8

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Table 4: Carers by Sex for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.



# 6 Volunteers

- This CHN ranks number 17 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that volunteer, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

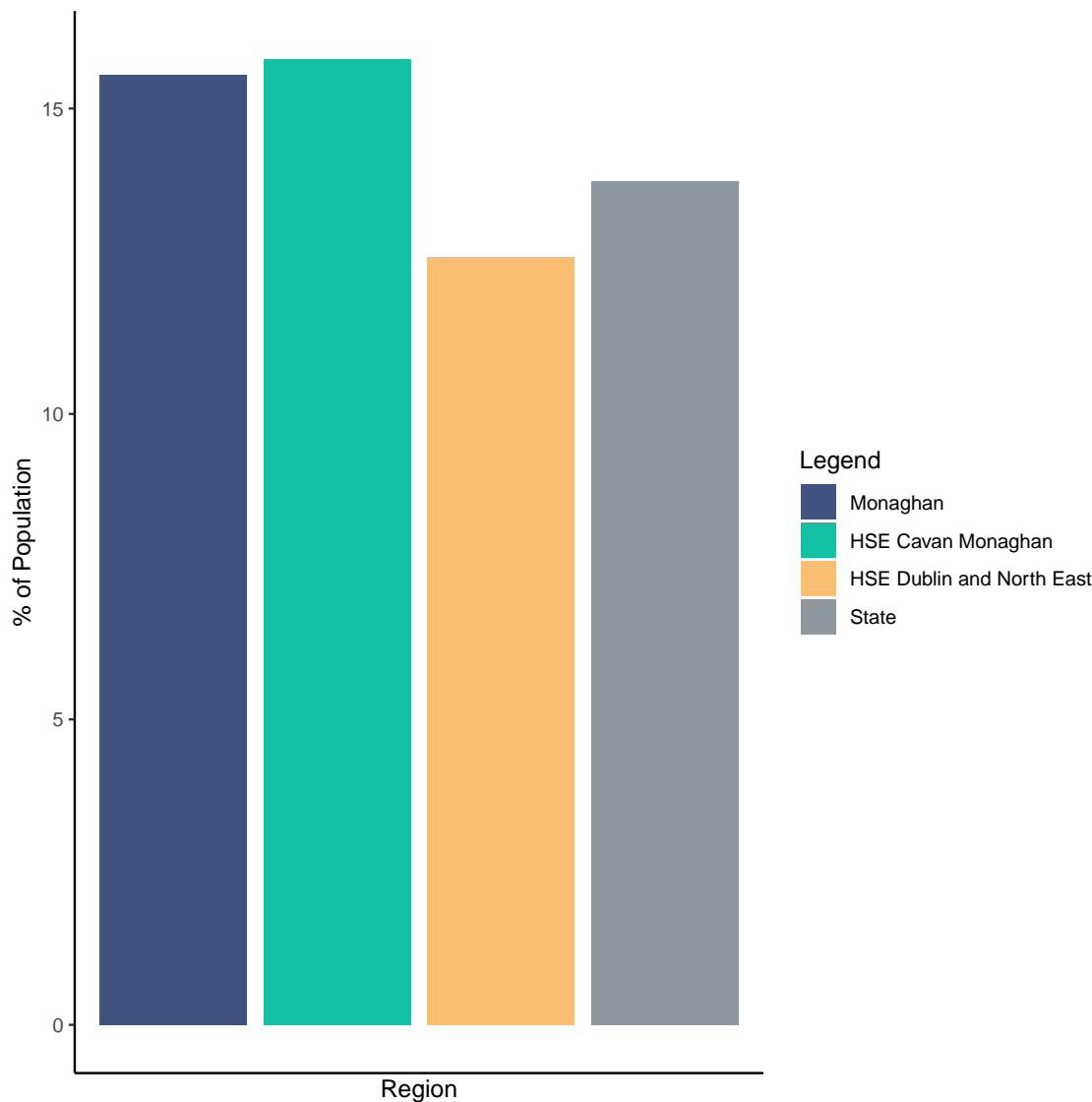


Figure 5: Volunteers as a Percentage of the Population for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Monaghan			IHA	HR	State
Population		Volunteers			
Persons	Persons	%	%	%	%
64741	10072	15.6	15.8	12.6	13.8

Table 5: Volunteers for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 7 Smoking

- This CHN ranks number 30 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population who smoke (daily and occasionally), while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

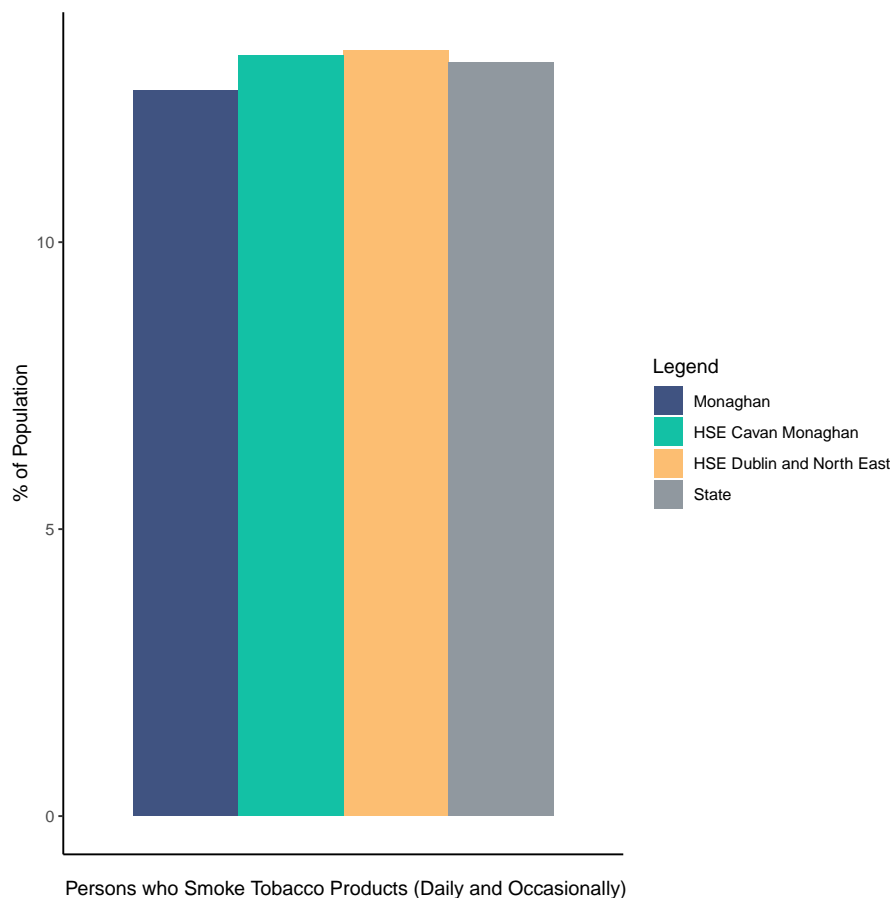


Figure 6: Percentage of the Population who Smoke tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally) for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Smoking Status	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Smoke tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally)	8,188	12.6	13.3	13.3	13.1
Don't Smoke tobacco Products (Never and have given up)	53,219	82.2	81.1	77.8	79.4
Smoking Status Not Stated	3,334	5.1	5.6	8.9	7.5
All Persons	64741	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 6: Smoking Status of Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 8 Principal Economic Status

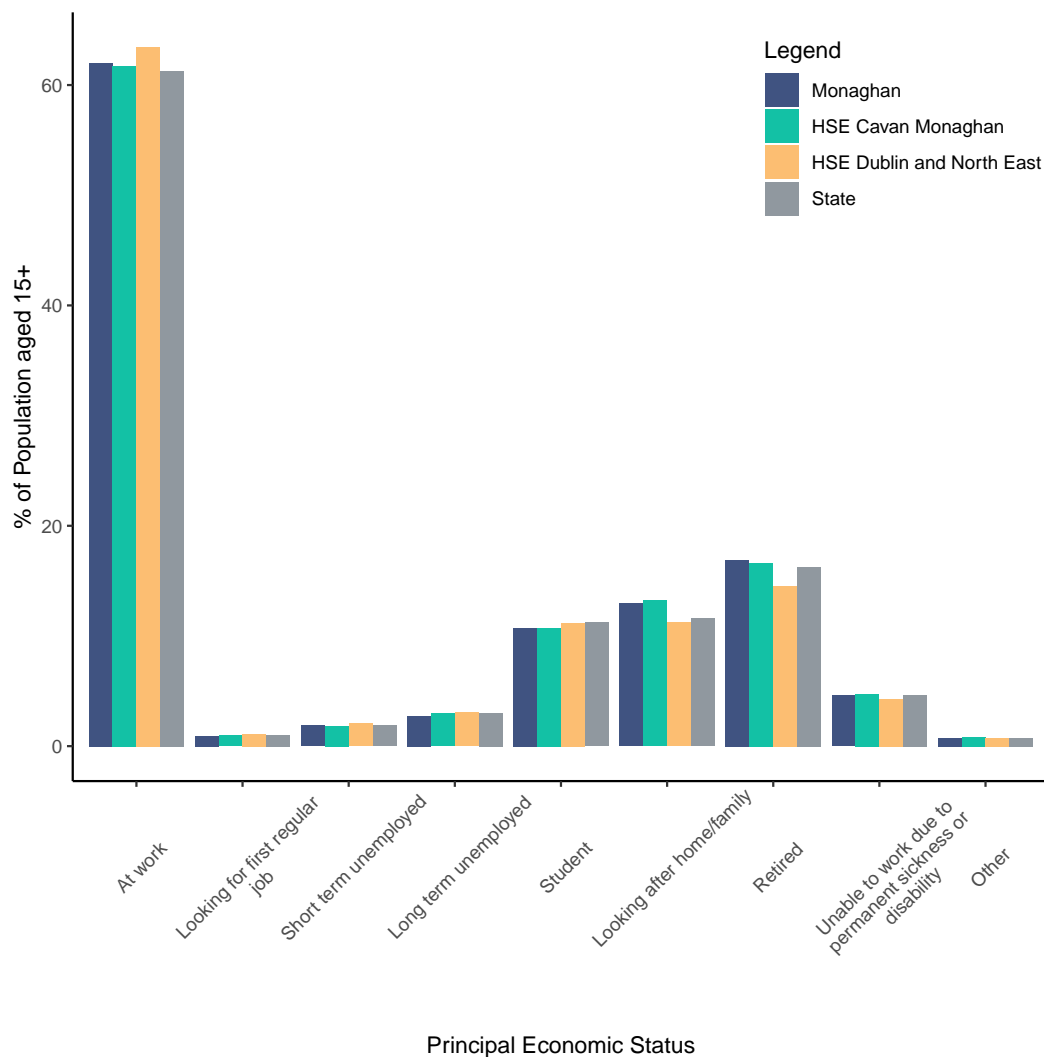


Figure 7: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Principal Economic Status	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
At Work	28,341	56.1	55.6	58.2	56.1
Looking for first regular job	419	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8
Short term unemployed	856	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.7
Long term unemployed	1,237	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.6
Student	5,240	10.4	10.3	11.0	11.1
Looking after home/family	3,660	7.2	7.4	6.3	6.6
Retired	8,249	16.3	16.2	14.1	15.9
Unable to work due to permanent sickness or disability	2,229	4.4	4.6	4.2	4.6
Other	298	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Total	50,529	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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

- This CHN ranks number 23 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that are unemployed, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

## 9 Social Class

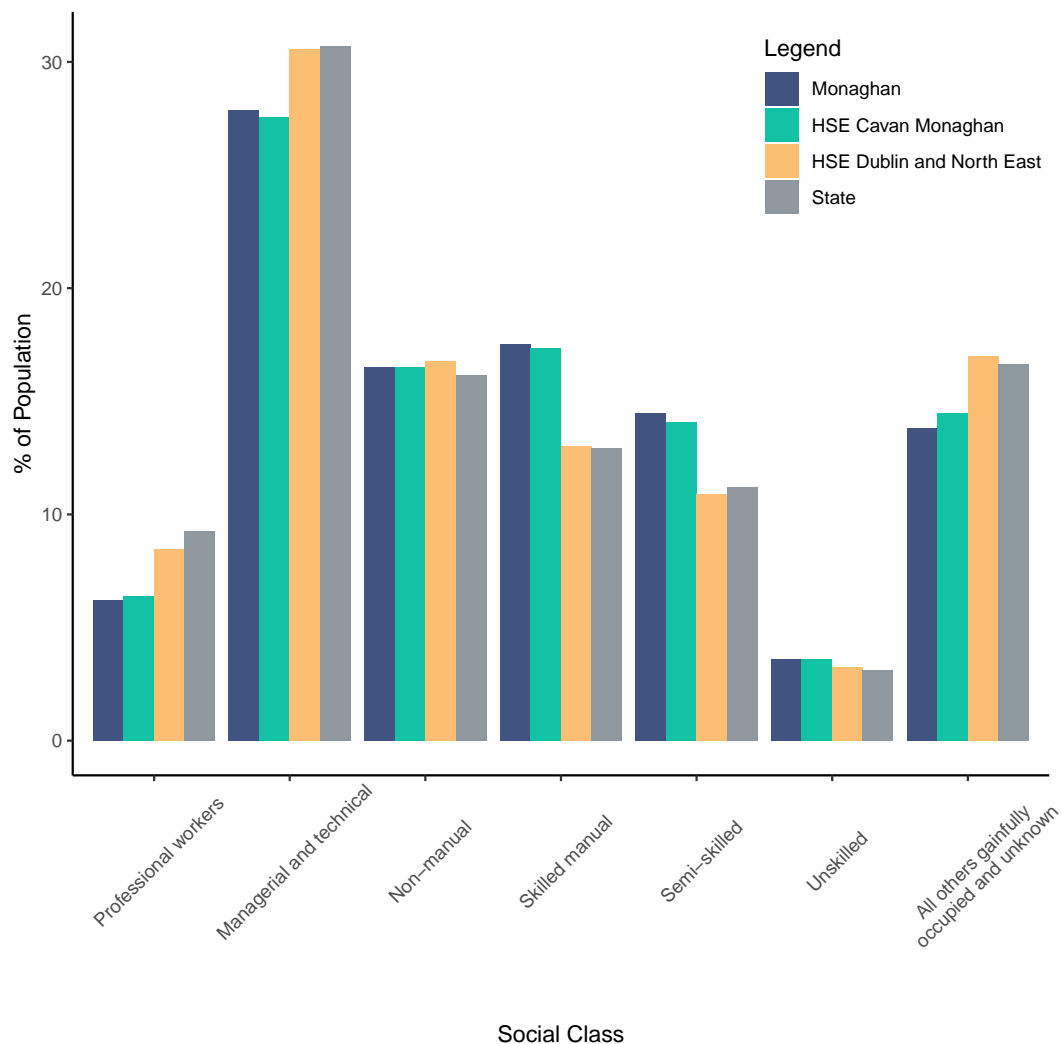


Figure 8: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Social Class for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Social Class	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Professional workers	4,028	6.2	6.4	8.5	9.3
Managerial and technical	18,032	27.9	27.6	30.5	30.7
Non-manual	10,693	16.5	16.5	16.8	16.2
Skilled manual	11,356	17.5	17.4	13.0	12.9
Semi-skilled	9,365	14.5	14.1	10.9	11.2
Unskilled	2,338	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.1
All others gainfully occupied and unknown	8,929	13.8	14.5	17.0	16.6
Total	64,741	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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

- This CHN ranks number 13 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 2 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 55 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population aged 15+ that are classified as professional workers, while it ranks number 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

## 10 Education

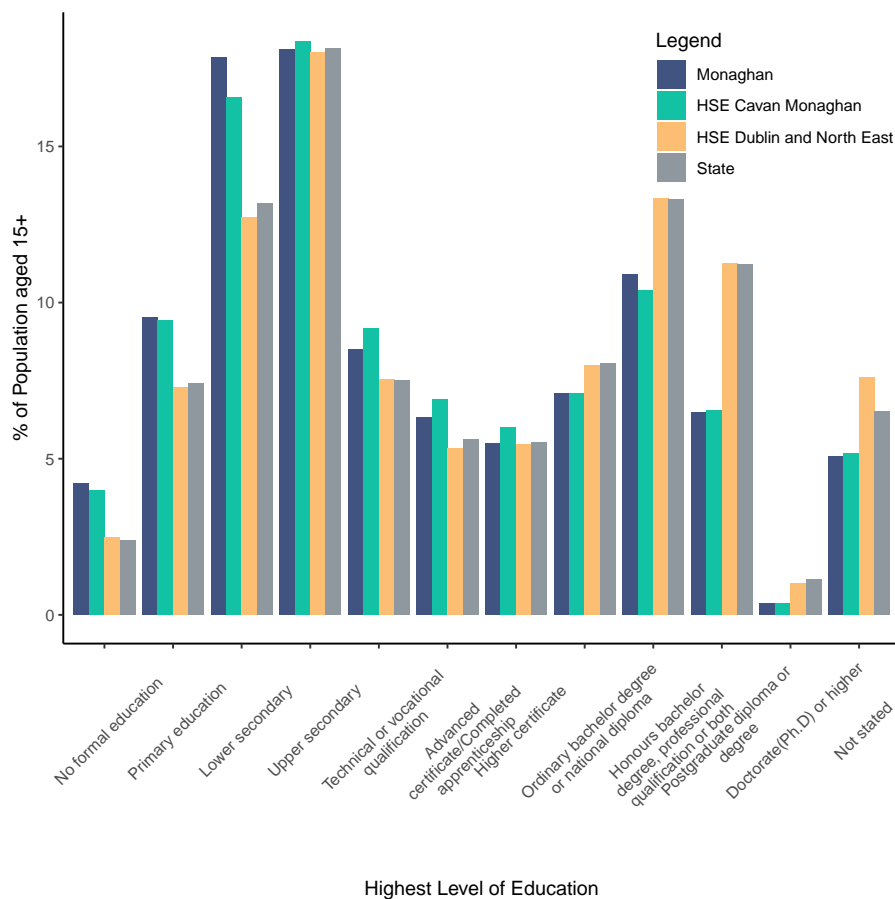


Figure 9: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Highest Level of Education Completed	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	
No formal education	1,759	4.2	4.0	2.5	2.4
Primary education	3,974	9.5	9.4	7.3	7.4
Lower secondary	7,440	17.9	16.6	12.7	13.2
Upper secondary	7,543	18.1	18.4	18.0	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	3,534	8.5	9.2	7.5	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	2,639	6.3	6.9	5.3	5.6
Higher certificate	2,287	5.5	6.0	5.4	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	2,955	7.1	7.1	8.0	8.1
Honours bachelor degree, professional qualification or both	4,546	10.9	10.4	13.3	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	2,696	6.5	6.5	11.2	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	157	0.4	0.4	1.0	1.1
Not stated	2,117	5.1	5.2	7.6	6.5
Total	41,647	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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

- This CHN ranks number 11 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 2 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 74 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 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.



## 11 Families

- This CHN ranks number 38 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 2 CHNs in its IHA.

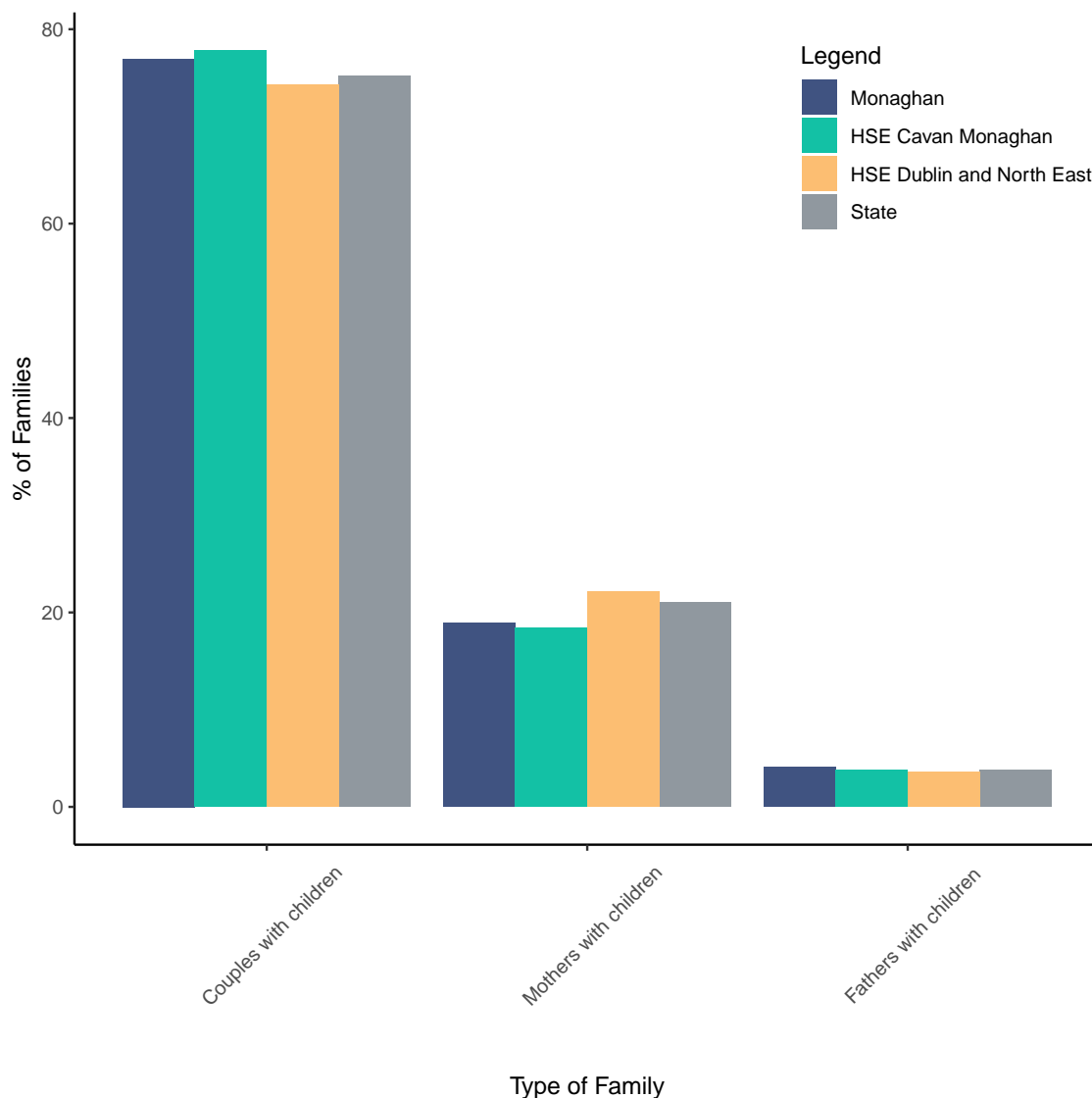


Figure 10: Percentage of Families with Children by Family Type for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Family	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Families</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Couples with Children	8,998	77.0	77.8	74.2	75.2
Mothers with Children	2,214	18.9	18.4	22.1	21.1
Fathers with Children	480	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.8
All Families	11,692	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 10: Families with Children by Family Type for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; 2022.

## 12 Birthplace

- This CHN ranks number 20 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of the population that were born outside Ireland, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

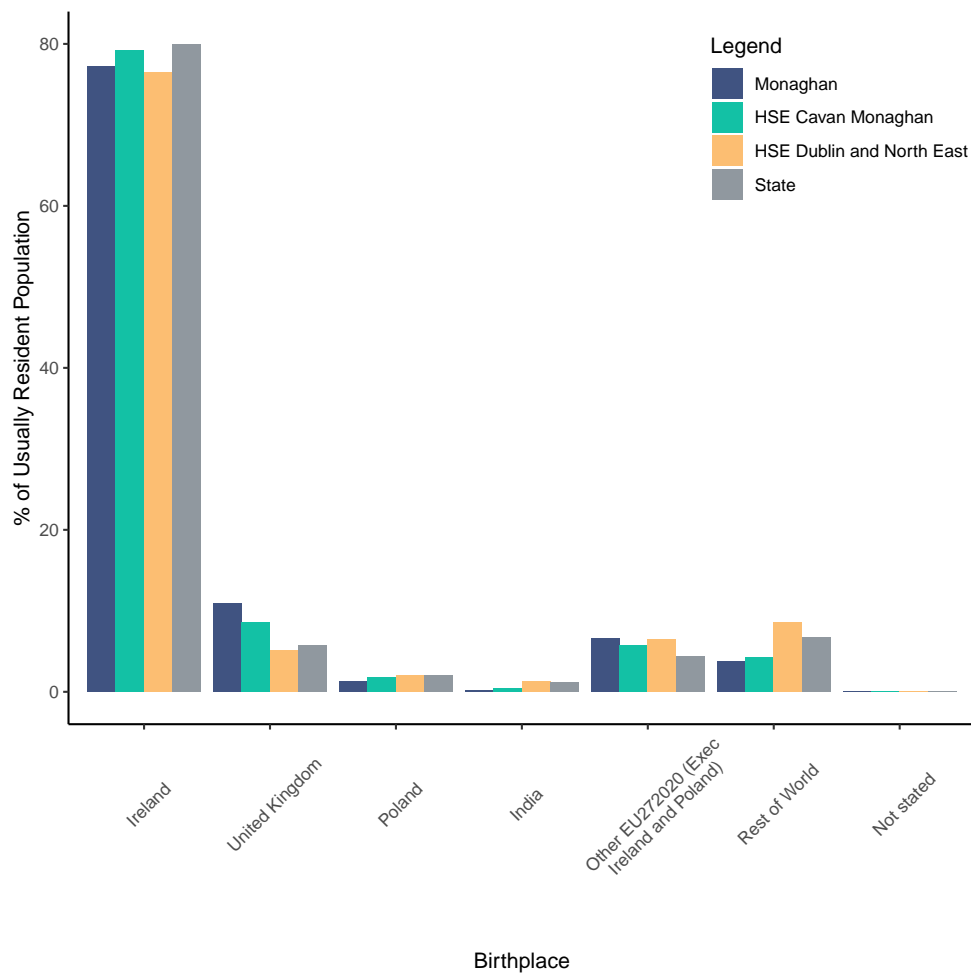


Figure 11: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Birthplace for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Birthplace	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
Ireland	49,494	77.2	79.2	76.5	80.0
United Kingdom	7,019	11.0	8.6	5.1	5.7
Poland	798	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1
India	132	0.2	0.4	1.3	1.1
Other EU272020 (Exec Ireland and Poland)	4,254	6.6	5.7	6.5	4.4
Rest of World	2,379	3.7	4.2	8.6	6.7
Not stated	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	64,076	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 11: Usually Resident Population By Birthplace for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

## 13 Households - Type of Occupancy

- This CHN ranks number 33 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 23 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of households that are owned outright, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

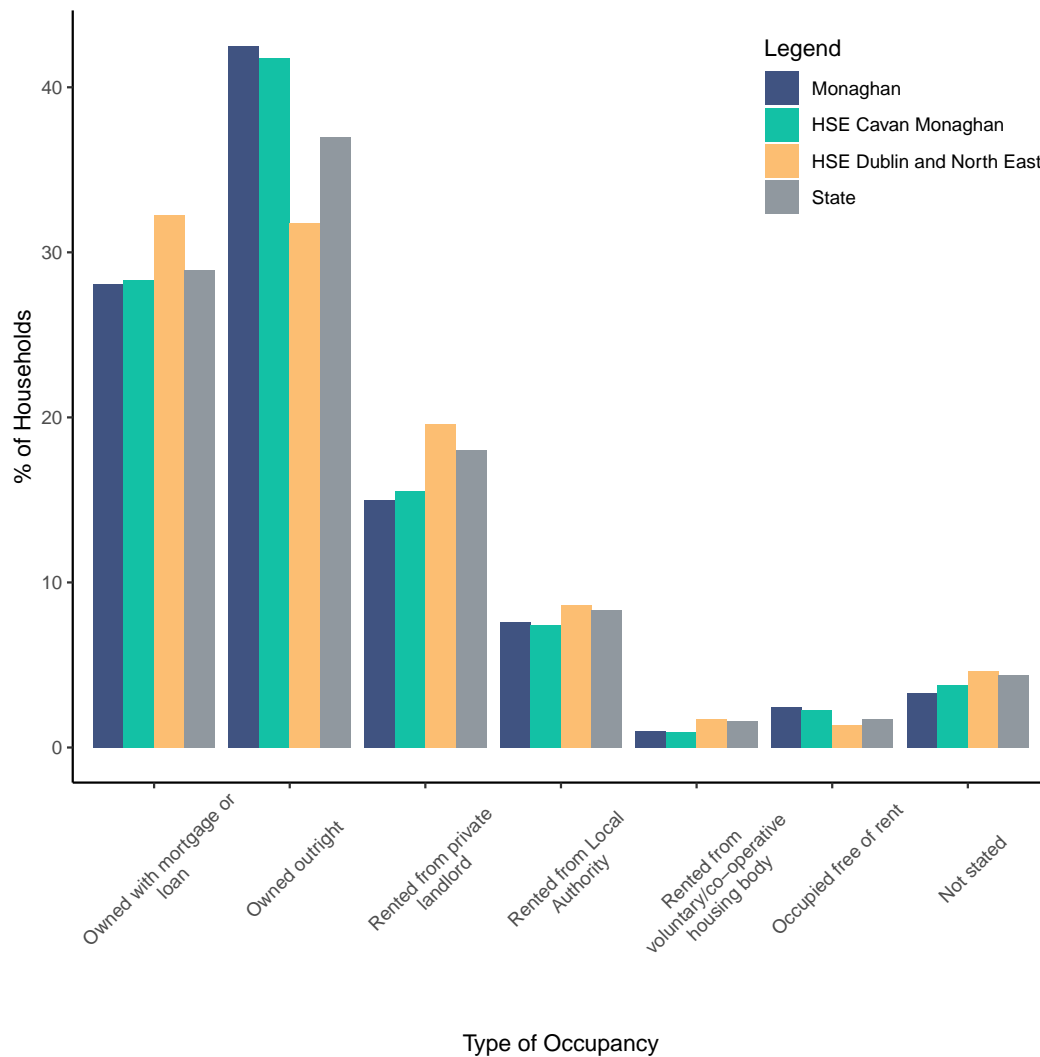


Figure 12: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for Monaghan (CHN); HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA); HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Type of Occupancy	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Households</i>	%	%	%	
Owned with mortgage or loan	6,357	28.1	28.3	32.3	28.9
Owned outright	9,632	42.5	41.8	31.8	37.0
Rented from private landlord	3,402	15.0	15.5	19.6	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	1,724	7.6	7.4	8.6	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	228	1.0	0.9	1.8	1.6
Occupied free of rent	561	2.5	2.3	1.4	1.7
Not stated	743	3.3	3.8	4.6	4.4
Total	22,647	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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## 14 Transport

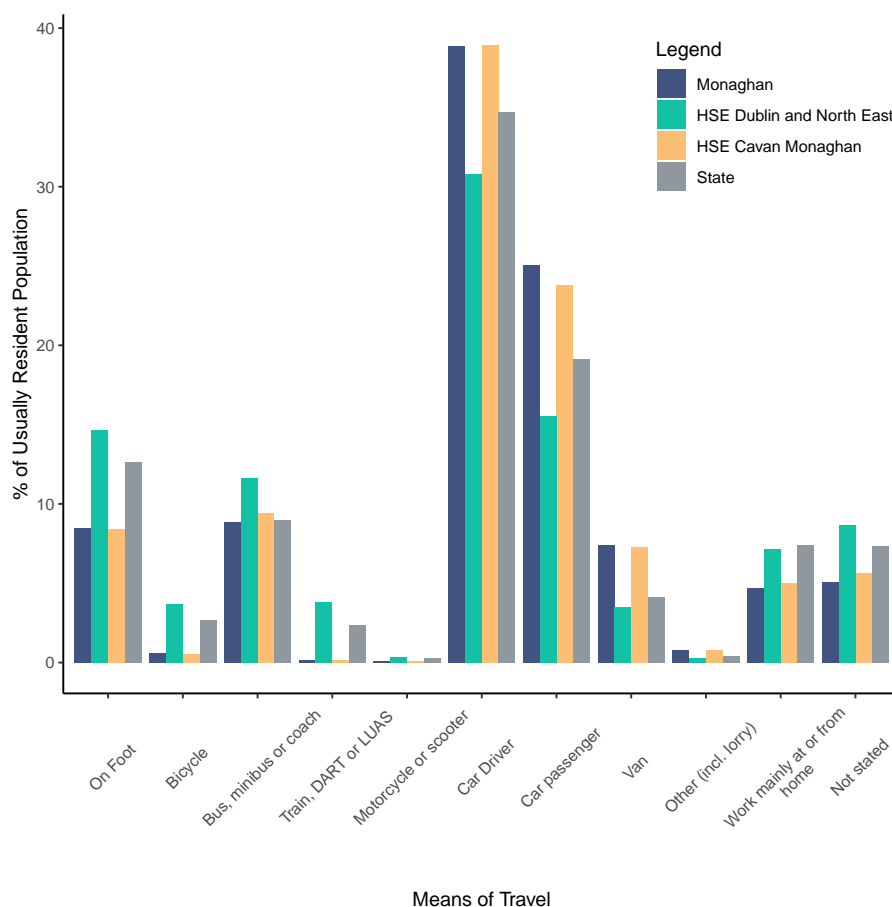


Figure 13: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Means of travel	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%	%
On Foot	3,877	8.5	8.4	14.7	12.6
Bicycle	270	0.6	0.5	3.7	2.7
Bus, minibus or coach	4,037	8.8	9.5	11.6	9.0
Train, DART or LUAS	82	0.2	0.2	3.8	2.4
Motorcycle or scooter	36	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3
Car Driver	17,762	38.9	38.9	30.8	34.7
Car passenger	11,433	25.0	23.8	15.5	19.1
Van	3,384	7.4	7.3	3.5	4.1
Other (incl. lorry)	346	0.8	0.8	0.3	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	2,132	4.7	5.0	7.2	7.4
Not stated	2,315	5.1	5.6	8.6	7.4
Total	45,674	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 Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

- This CHN ranks number 63 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 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.
- This CHN ranks number 22 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 2 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

## 15 Renewable Energy

- This CHN ranks number 43 highest out of 96 regarding the percentage of households with no renewable energy source, while it ranks number 1 highest out of 2 CHNs in its IHA.

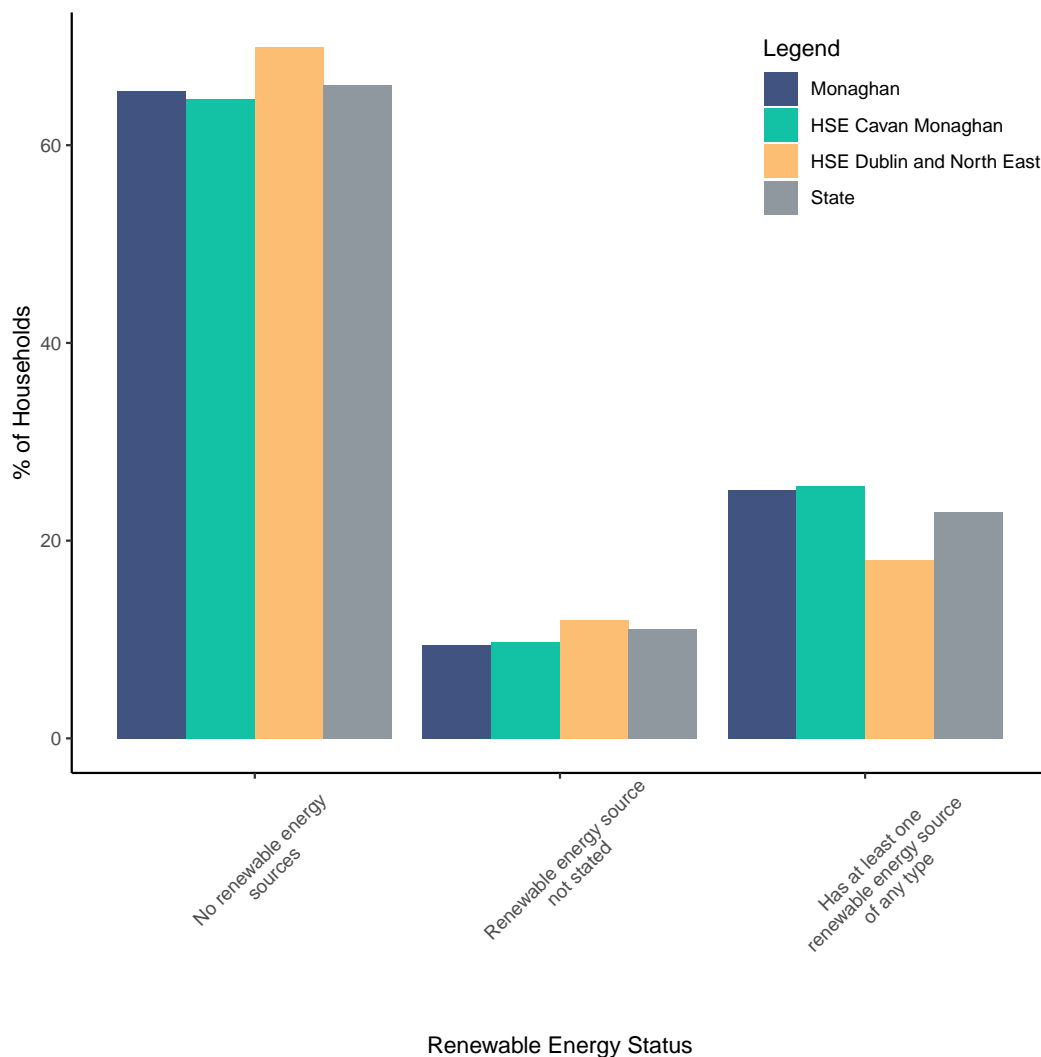


Figure 14: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for Monaghan (CHN);HSE Cavan Monaghan (IHA);HSE Dublin and North East (Health Region); and State; Census 2022.

Renewable Energy Source	Monaghan		IHA	HR	State
	<i>Households</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
All households	22,647	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
No renewable energy sources	14,823	65.5	64.7	69.9	66.1
Renewable energy source not stated	2,141	9.5	9.8	12.0	11.0
Has at least one renewable energy source of any type	5,683	25.1	25.5	18.1	22.9

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

## 16 Detailed Tables

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
<b>Education (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>				
No formal education	4.2	4.0	2.5	2.4
Primary education	9.5	9.4	7.3	7.4
Lower secondary	17.9	16.6	12.7	13.2
Upper secondary	18.1	18.4	18.0	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	8.5	9.2	7.5	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	6.3	6.9	5.3	5.6
Higher certificate	5.5	6.0	5.4	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	7.1	7.1	8.0	8.1
Hns bach. degree, prof. qual. or both	10.9	10.4	13.3	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	6.5	6.5	11.2	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	0.4	0.4	1.0	1.1
<b>Employment (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>				
At work	56.1	55.6	58.2	56.1
Looking for first regular job	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8
short Term Unemployed	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.7
Long Term Unemployed	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.6
Student	10.4	10.3	11.0	11.1
Looking after home/family	7.2	7.4	6.3	6.6
Retired	16.3	16.2	14.1	15.9
Unable to work - perm. sickness or disability	4.4	4.6	4.2	4.6
<b>Employment (Percentage of those at work)</b>				
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	9.4	8.9	2.1	3.5
Building and construction	8.3	8.2	5.9	5.8
Manufacturing industries	16.7	16.5	9.0	11.8
Commerce and trade	20.7	20.5	25.3	23.8
Transport and communications	5.4	5.3	11.5	9.2
Public administration	4.9	5.2	5.9	5.7
Professional services	22.6	22.8	23.9	24.5
<b>Social Class (Percentage of population)</b>				
Professional workers	6.2	6.4	8.5	9.3
Managerial and technical	27.9	27.6	30.5	30.7
Non-manual	16.5	16.5	16.8	16.2
Skilled manual	17.5	17.4	13.0	12.9
Semi-skilled	14.5	14.1	10.9	11.2
Unskilled	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.1

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
<b>Families (Percentage of family units)</b>				
Families without children	28.2	28.9	29.4	30.8
Families with 1 child	25.8	25.7	27.4	27.1
Families with 2 children	24.1	24.2	26.2	25.3
Families with 3 children	14.6	14.3	12.4	12.3
Families with 4 children	5.6	5.3	3.5	3.5
Families with 5 or more children	1.6	1.6	1.0	1.0
Couples with children	55.3	55.3	52.4	52.0
Lone parent (mother)	13.6	13.1	15.6	14.6
Lone parent (father)	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.6
Pre-family families	5.6	6.4	10.5	9.3
Empty nest families	10.0	10.2	8.5	9.4
Retired families	12.6	12.4	10.4	12.0
Per-school families	8.1	8.1	8.7	8.1
Early school families	10.2	10.2	10.2	9.9
Pre-adolescent families	12.1	12.1	12.4	11.9
Adolescent families	13.1	13.1	12.2	12.3
Adult families	55.3	27.7	27.1	27.0
Families with youngest child aged 0 - 4	25.6	25.3	24.8	14.6
Families with youngest child aged 5 - 9	17.4	17.7	18.6	18.1
Families with youngest child aged 10 - 14	16.6	17.0	17.0	16.9
Families with youngest child aged 15 - 19	12.7	13.2	13.0	13.6
Families with youngest child aged 20 and over	27.8	26.8	26.6	27.5
<b>Health (Percentage of population)</b>				
Very good general health	55.4	54.8	52.9	53.2
Good general health	30.1	30.0	29.1	29.7
Fair general health	8.8	8.9	8.2	8.6
Bad general health	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4
Very bad general health	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Persons who smoke	12.6	13.3	13.3	13.1
<b>Household composition (Percentage of Private Households)</b>				
Married couple households	15.8	15.8	13.6	14.9
Cohabiting couple households	2.8	3.2	4.5	4.3
Married couple with children households	33.3	32.8	29.6	29.4
Cohabiting couple with children households	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.3
One parent family (father) with children households	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.5
One parent family (mother) and children households	8.3	8.0	9.1	8.5
Couple and others households	0.9	1.0	1.9	1.5
Two or more non-related persons households	2.4	2.5	6.2	5.4
1 person households	24.4	24.3	20.8	23.1
2 person households	27.0	27.3	28.5	29.0
3 person households	16.3	16.3	18.6	17.9
4 person households	15.9	16.0	18.0	16.9
5 person households	10.6	10.5	9.4	8.9
6 person households	4.3	4.1	3.3	3.0
7 person households	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.8
8 or more person households	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4
<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent dwellings)</b>				
Occupied	87.3	85.5	91.3	87.4
Temporarily absent	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.6
Unoccupied holiday homes	0.9	2.0	0.7	3.2
Other vacant dwellings	10.4	11.1	6.3	7.7



	CHN	IHA	HR	State
<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent private households)</b>				
Owned with mortgage or loan	28.1	28.3	32.3	28.9
Owned outright	42.5	41.8	31.8	37.0
Rented from private landlord	15.0	15.5	19.6	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	7.6	7.4	8.6	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	1.0	0.9	1.8	1.6
Occupied free of rent	2.5	2.3	1.4	1.7
1 room	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.5
2 rooms	2.3	2.3	5.0	3.9
3 rooms	5.8	5.9	9.0	8.0
4 rooms	9.0	8.9	11.7	11.0
5 rooms	21.8	21.3	24.3	23.8
6 rooms	20.0	20.2	19.3	19.9
7 rooms	16.8	17.2	12.8	14.0
8 or more rooms	22.0	21.6	13.6	15.8
No central heating	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.2
Public main water supply	45.0	45.4	83.8	80.1
Group scheme with public source water supply	21.1	18.5	3.6	4.3
Group scheme with private source water supply	19.1	16.6	2.8	3.4
Other private source water supply	13.4	17.9	7.0	9.9
No water supply	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
<b>Housing (Percentage of private households)</b>				
House/Bungalow	95.1	95.0	82.0	86.7
Flat/Apartment	4.5	4.6	17.5	13.0
Bed-Sit	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1
Caravan/Mobile home	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
Built Pre 1919	10.0	9.6	7.0	8.4
Built 1919 - 1945	6.9	6.2	6.1	6.2
Built 1946 - 1960	5.8	5.9	7.4	7.2
Built 1961 - 1970	5.3	5.0	7.7	6.7
Built 1971 - 1980	13.9	11.0	12.4	12.2
Built 1981 - 1990	10.2	9.6	8.7	10.1
Built 1991 - 2000	12.4	13.0	13.7	14.5
Built 2001 - 2010	25.8	30.6	25.3	24.5
Built 2011 - 2015	3.1	3.2	2.8	2.7
Built 2016 or later	4.5	3.7	6.6	5.1
<b>Marital Status (Percentage of population)</b>				
Single	51.8	51.9	55.4	53.9
Married (incl. same sex civil partnership)	38.9	38.9	36.0	37.1
Separated	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3
Divorced	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6
Widowed	4.5	4.3	3.7	4.1
<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of population)</b>				
Speak english not well	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.6
Speak english not at all	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3
<b>Occupation (Percentage of those at work or unemployed)</b>				
Managers, directors and senior officials	6.5	6.4	7.9	7.7
Professional occupations	15.7	15.6	19.3	20.3
Associate professional and technical occupations	7.6	7.9	12.0	11.7
Administrative and secretarial occupations	8.9	8.9	10.0	9.2
Skilled trades occupations	19.9	19.5	10.8	12.6
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	8.0	7.9	7.2	7.4
Sales and customer service occupations	5.0	5.2	6.3	6.2
Process, plant and machine operatives	10.9	10.7	6.6	6.9
Elementary occupations	10.0	9.6	8.7	8.2

	CHN	IHA	HR	State
<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of usually resident population)</b>				
Ireland - Birthplace	77.2	79.2	76.5	80.0
UK - Birthplace	11.0	8.6	5.1	5.7
Poland - Birthplace	1.2	1.7	2.0	2.1
India - Birthplace	0.2	0.4	1.3	1.1
Other EU28 - Birthplace	6.6	5.7	6.5	4.4
Rest of world - Birthplace	3.7	4.2	8.6	6.7
White Irish	82.6	80.7	71.2	76.6
White Irish Traveller	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6
Other White	9.8	10.2	11.8	9.9
Black or Black Irish	0.9	1.2	2.3	1.5
Asian or Asian Irish	1.2	1.8	4.1	3.3
Other ethnic or cultural background	1.3	1.4	2.5	2.0
Usual residence 1 year before census day - Outside Ireland	1.2	1.3	2.0	1.8
<b>Socio-economic group of ref. person (percentage of private households)</b>				
A Employers and managers	10.5	10.4	13.8	12.9
B Higher professional	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.5
C Lower professional	3.5	3.7	6.2	6.3
D Non-manual	27.7	28.1	35.8	34.2
E Manual skilled	12.9	12.2	8.6	8.5
F Semi-skilled	10.0	9.8	7.5	7.7
G Unskilled	4.1	3.9	3.2	3.2
H Own account workers	4.7	4.7	3.8	4.0
I Farmers	7.2	7.1	1.7	3.1
J Agricultural workers	2.5	2.4	0.8	1.2
Z All others gainfully occupied and unknown	16.0	16.6	17.4	17.5
<b>Transport (Percentage of population agCHN 5+)</b>				
No motor car (percentage of households)	9.9	10.0	15.8	13.4
<i>Travel to work, school, College or childcare:</i>				
On Foot	8.5	8.4	14.7	12.6
By Bicycle	0.6	0.5	3.7	2.7
By Bus, minibus or coach	8.8	9.5	11.6	9.0
By Train, DART or LUAS	0.2	0.2	3.8	2.4
By Motorcycle or scooter	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3
Car driver	38.9	38.9	30.8	34.7
Car passenger	25.0	23.8	15.5	19.1
By Van	7.4	7.3	3.5	4.1
By Other (incl. lorry)	0.8	0.8	0.3	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	4.7	5.0	7.2	7.4
Journey time to work, school or college is Under 15 mins	37.6	36.1	25.1	29.4
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/4 hour - under 1/2 hour	27.6	26.7	26.4	28.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/2 hour - under 3/4 hour	13.6	13.9	18.2	17.3
Journey time to work, school or college is 3/4 hour - under 1 hour	4.1	4.0	7.0	5.9
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 hour - under 1 1/2 hours	4.6	5.5	8.0	6.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 1/2 hours and over	4.0	4.6	3.0	2.5
<b>Other</b>				
Has renewable energy source (percentage of permanent private households)	25.1	25.5	18.1	22.9
Volunteers (percentage of population)	15.6	15.8	12.6	13.8
No internet connection	13.0	12.5	6.8	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