West Sussex Joint Strategic Needs Assessment

Public Health Data Profile 2024/25 Horsham



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What causes premature **Profile** background,

purpose & context

Population

Demographics

ill health and mortality in West Sussex?

Background, purpose & context

- This is a data profile of the health and wellbeing of the population of West Sussex.
- It forms part of the West Sussex Joint Strategic Needs Assessment
- It also details the causes of premature mortality and ill health using information from the Global Burden of Disease study and sets out some of the key challenges and priorities arising from the information available.
- This is a summary profile. It includes information from a range of sources, but as a summary it does not include all issues, or health conditions. It brings together data in the public domain, we have focused on quantitative data that can be benchmarked).
- Profiles have been drafted for West Sussex overall and for the District and Borough areas, not all data are available at all levels
- Given the frequency of data released and refreshed, it is a live document, meaning the information will be updated and reviewed. This version was produced in September 2024 by the West Sussex Public Health and Social Research Unit



What causes ill health and premature mortality in West Sussex?

Using the Global Burden of Disease Study

The Global Burden of Disease (GBD) study aims to explore both the burden of mortality and morbidity on the population. While mortality statistics are regularly published by national and local bodies (e.g. the Office for National Statistics) the scale of morbidity often goes unreported. The project brings together data on premature death and disability for many diseases and injuries worldwide. This allows for meaningful comparisons to be made between countries and can be explored from 1990 to the present. Within the UK, county level analyses were made available for the first time in 2016. Information in this profile relates to the 2021 study.

Four measures are used to describe the burden of disease.

Deaths

Years of Life Lost (YLL)

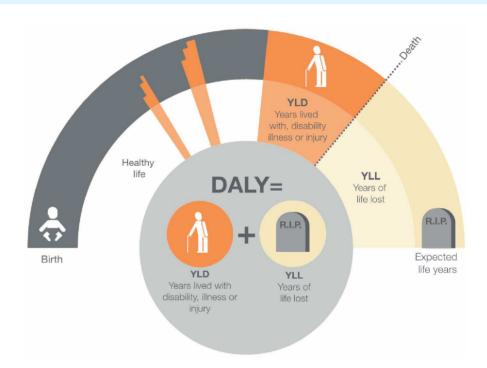
YLL is a measure of premature mortality within a group of people. YLLs are calculated by starting with the life expectancy of a given age group in a given year, then subtracting the age at which a person in that age group dies. Greater emphasis is placed on deaths of younger people.

Years Lived With Disability (YLD)

YLD is a measure of the amount of time lived with a disability. This is calculated by multiplying the severity of a disability by its duration. Severe, short-term illness can therefore have the same number of YLDs as a chronic but mild health condition.

Disability-adjusted life years (DALY)

DALY is a measure of overall disease burden. This aims to quantify premature mortality (YLL) and years lived in less than full health (YLD) to produce a metric of years lost due to ill-health, disability or premature death. Ranking the causes of DALYs in a population helps to identify health problems that have the biggest negative impact on society.





The Top Tens - West Sussex

Rank	Deaths	Years of Life Lost (YLLs)	Years Lived with a Disability (YLDs)	Disability-adjusted life years lost (DALYs)
1	Neoplasms (2,892)	Neoplasms (50,765)	Musculoskeletal disorders (27,454)	Neoplasms (53,800)
2	Cardiovascular diseases (2,427)	Cardiovascular diseases (33,791)	Mental disorders (21,766)	Cardiovascular diseases (38,756)
3	Respiratory infections and tuberculosis (1,866)	Respiratory infections and tuberculosis (24,871)	Neurological disorders (11,032)	Musculoskeletal disorders (28,297)
4	Neurological disorders (909)	Neurological disorders (11,846)	Other non-communicable diseases (9,819)	Respiratory infections and tuberculosis (26,648)
5	Chronic respiratory diseases (670)	Chronic respiratory diseases (9,660)	Sense organ diseases (9,145)	Neurological disorders (22,878)
6	Digestive diseases (451)	Digestive diseases (7,855)	Diabetes and kidney diseases (8,398)	Mental disorders (21,772)
7	Diabetes and kidney diseases (216)	Other non-communicable diseases (3,226)	Unintentional injuries (7,954)	Chronic respiratory diseases (15,602)
8	Unintentional injuries (186)	Self-harm and interpersonal violence (3,172)	Chronic respiratory diseases (5,942)	Other non-communicable diseases (13,045)
9	Other non-communicable diseases (165)	Diabetes and kidney diseases (2,905)	Cardiovascular diseases (4,964)	Diabetes and kidney diseases (11,303)
10	Self-harm and interpersonal violence (79)	Unintentional injuries (2,874)	Skin and subcutaneous diseases (4,789)	Unintentional injuries (10,828)

Source: Global Burden of Disease 2021, University of Washington 2024



Risk Factors...What Drives Ill Health & Mortality?

A risk factor is defined as an attribute, behaviour, or exposure, causally associated with an increased (or decreased) probability of a disease or injury. Risk factors can overlap. Some risk factors are modifiable at the level of the individual (e.g. smoking, dietary intake). Others are modifiable at wider environmental levels (e.g. air pollution). We don't know all risk factors, but we need to use the best available evidence to inform actions.

If we want to improve population health we need to understand what the risk factors are for the West Sussex population and whether, and how, we can modify them.

Rank	WEST SUSSEX	SOUTHEAST	
1	Tobacco	Tobacco	
2	High body-mass index	High body-mass index	
3	Dietary risks	Dietary risks	
4	High fasting plasma glucose	High fasting plasma glucose	
5	High systolic blood pressure	High systolic blood pressure	
6	Alcohol use	Alcoholuse	
7	Occupational risks	Occupational risks	
8	High LDL cholesterol	High LDL cholesterol	
9	Kidney dysfunction	Kidney dysfunction	
10	Air pollution	Drug use	



Summary

To improve life expectancy and extend healthy life expectancy, to reduce health inequalities, reduce health care demand and sustain economic activity rates in the future....

For Life Expectancy, Health Life Expectancy, Inequalities in LE and HLE

- Tackle major behavioural risks tobacco, diet, exercise, alcohol
- Diabetes is a rising concern
- CVD Reduction including controlling blood pressure key and has considerable population impact
- Cancer major cause ill health, importance of behaviours and screening,

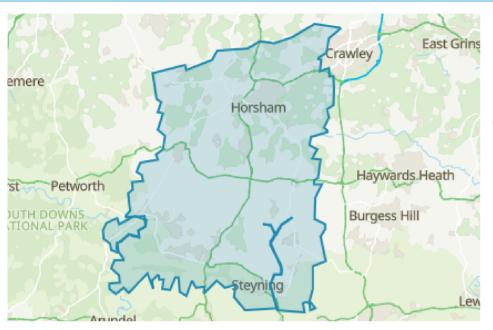
For Healthy Life Expectancy, Inequalities in HLE tackle

- MSK (and pain management)
- Mental Health
- Sensory impairment

Research also identifies specific groups who have far lower life and healthy life expectancies (such as people with learning disability, people with mental health problems, people who are homeless or have insecure housing).

This does not include the causes of the causes – wider determinants of health (education, employment, housing, social capital etc).

Horsham - Population



Population (2023)

149,500

Change from 2013

12.6% overall

8.1% under 15 years

9.4% 16-64 years

25.4% 65 years or over



Fertility rate of 1.53



Deaths (2023)

1,568

of which 356 deaths of people aged under 75

Population Age Structure (2023) Median Age % of Population in Different Age Groups 45.9 80 vears 62.9 58.6 60 % of population (England 40.4) 23.5 18.7 17.9 18.5 0 0-15 years 16-64 years 65 years or over Horsham

England

Households (Census 2021)



62,350

households with at least one resident in West Sussex

- 17,550 people live alone including including 8,900 people aged 66 years or over
- 2,850 lone parent households (with dependent children)



2,520

people live in communal establishments



Horsham - Protected Characteristics*

Age

Horsham has an older age profile compared with England, although a similar percentage of under 16 year olds. In Horsham there are over 35,100 people aged 65 years or over (over 5,200 people aged 85+) 26,700 aged under 16 years.

Disability

Horsham (England)

- Disabled under the Equality Act 14.9% (17.3%)
- Not disabled under the Equality Act 85.1% (82.7%)

Ethnicity

Horsham (England)

- Asian, Asian British or Asian Welsh
 2.7% (9.6%)
- Black, Black British, Black Welsh,
 Caribbean or African 0.9% (4.2%)
- Mixed or Multiple ethnic groups 2.1% (3.0%)
- White 93.6% (81.0%)

Horsham (2021)

• Births - 1,444

• U18 Conceptions - 9

• Other ethnic group 0.6% (2.2%)

Pregnancy and maternity

Other Groups



Carers

11,605 people provide unpaid care, 2,830 for 50+hours a week, and 265 aged under 18 years



English - 2nd Language

Of the **4,830 who have English as a second language,** 2,845 do not speak it well, and 1,435 do not speak it at all

(Single)

Children Looked After

As at March 31 2023 there were **887 children looked after** in West Sussex, of these **88 were unaccompanied asylum-seeking children**(Data for West Sussex overall)
Source: DfE



Veterans

3,820 people stated on the 2021 Census that they had previously serviced in the armed forces.

*The Equality Act 2010 consolidated and replaced previous legislation in a Single Act. There are nine protected characteristics; it is against the law to discriminate against someone because of a protected characteristic.

Data source Census 2021 unless stated

Gender Reassignment

Horsham

- Same as sex registered at birth -114,858
- Different from sex registered no specific identity given - 100
- Trans woman 66
- Trans man 69
- Non-binary 53
- All other gender identities 44
- Not answered 5.475

Marriage/Civil Partnership

Horsham (England)

- Never married / civil partnership 29.6% (37.9%)
- Married / civil partnership 52.5% (44.7%)
- Separated 1.9% (2.2%)
- Divorced / civil partnership dissolved 9.4% (9.1%)
- Widowed / surviving civil partnership partner 6.6% (6.1%)

Sex

Horsham (England)

- Female 51.2% (51.0%)
- Male 48.8% (49.0%)

Horsham has an older age structure. As women, on average, live longer a greater proportion of the population is female, and this increases in older age groups.

Sexual Orientation

Horsham (England) - % of 16+

- Straight/Heterosexual 91.2% (89.4%)
- Gay or Lesbian 1.3% (1.5%)
- **Bisexual 1.0%** (1.3%)
- All other sexual orientations 0.3% (0.3%)
- Not answered 6.2% (7.5%)

Religion

Horsham (England)

- No religion 42.1% (36.7%)
- Christian 49.3% (46.3%)
- **Buddhist 0.4%** (0.5%)
- Hindu 0.6% (1.8%)
- **Jewish 0.2%** (0.5%)
- Muslim 0.9% (6.7%)Sikh 0.1% (0.9%)
- Other religion 0.4% (0.6%)
- Not answered 6.1% (6.0%)



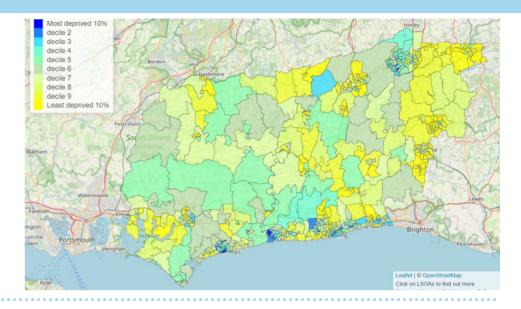
Deprivation

Index of Deprivation 2019

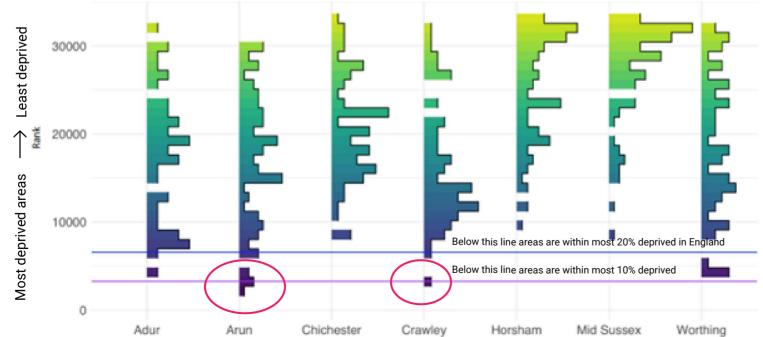
The ID2019 measures relative deprivation, i.e. how deprived one area is compared with another; it doesn't measure absolute deprivation, i.e. how deprived an area is compared with how deprived it was a year ago.

In 2019, West Sussex was ranked as the 129th least deprived upper tier local authority (out of 151) in England, this puts it in the least deprived 20% of the country overall.

Of the West Sussex Districts and Boroughs, Crawley ranks as the most deprived (overall) in West Sussex, followed by Arun, Adur and Worthing. Mid Sussex remains the least deprived area in West Sussex.



District Deprivation Profiling



The histogram profiles each lower tier local authority. This helps understand the depth and spread of deprivation in each D&B.

Each small area within a local authority is ranked, the lower the rank the more deprived.

In West Sussex, Worthing has fairly even spread. Horsham and Mid Sussex.

In Arun and in Crawley there are some areas within the most 10% deprived neighbourhoods in England (circled red).



Horsham - Poverty



2,435

children under 16 live in low income households (9.2%, 2022/23)



1,830

people of working age on out of work benefits (2.1% of 16-64 year old population) (Sept 2024)



1,880

older people in receipt of Pension Credit (Feb 2024)



1,125

people are in receipt of Carer's Allowance (Feb 2024)



Over 2,525

households on prepayment electricity meters (in 2017)



5,290

households (8.2% of households) in fuel poverty (2022)



395

households owed a duty under the Homelessness Reduction Act (2022/23)



133

households in temporary accommodation (2022/23)



616

households have no central heating (Census 2021)



£450,000

Median house price (year ending Sept 2023)

£1,142

Average monthly private sector rent for a 2 bedroom property (2022/23)

Sources:

- OHID Fingertips (child poverty, homelessness, fuel poverty)
- DWP Statexplore (Pension Credit, Carers Allowance)
- Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy (Prepayment Meters)
- Census 2021 (Central heating)
- Nomisweb (working age long term sick)
- Land Registry (House Prices)
- LGA (Private Rental data)



6.0%

at the time of

Eng = 7.4%)

mothers SMOKING

delivery (2023/24,

Note: This is West

Sussex level data

HORSHAM

Note: At Lower Tier Authority Level some outcomes are based on small numbers / sample sizes.

Some issues affect people of all ages, outcomes have been placed in the life stage where the impact may be greatest.

Data are shown for Adur and are compared with ENGLAND. For some measures (e.g. violent crime) difference may relate to recording/reporting so are not RAG rated









Pre-Birth to Early **Years**



2.3 per 1,000 births

Rate of deaths in infants aged under 1 year per 1,000 live births (2020-2022, Eng = 3.9 per 1,000)



21(1.8%)

babies born in 2022 had a LOW **BIRTHWEIGHT** (< 2500g) (2022, Eng = 2.9%



9.2%

of children under 16 live in LOW INCOME households (2022/23 Eng = 19.8%)



69.4%

of children assessed as having a GOOD LEVEL OF DEVELOPMENT at the end of reception (2022/23 Eng = 67.2%).



17.6%

of reception aged pupils (4/5 years) measured as overweight (including obese) (2023/24,Eng = 22.1%)



of Year 6 pupils

(10/11 years)

measured as

(including obese)

(2023/24 Eng =

overweight

35.8%)

30.1%

6 KS2

pupils known to be eligible for Free School Meals attaining the expected levels at KEY STAGE 2 for Reading. Writing and Maths (2022/23,Eng = 43.6%





2.1 per 1,00

households in temporary accommodation (2022/23, England











2.6% (235)

Young people (aged 18-24 year olds) on out-of-work benefits (GB = 5.2%, South East = 4.0% Data as of July 2024)





51.0

Key Stage 4 - average ATTAINMENT 8 score per pupil (2022/23, England average score = 46.4)



9 young women under 18 became pregnant in 2021 (England rate = 13.1).







11.2 per 100,000

45 suicides (2021-2023, England rate = 10.7 per 100,000)

households

Homelessness: 133 rate = 4.2)

6.2 per 1,00 households

Homelessness: 395 households owed a duty under the Homelessness Reduction Act (2022/23, England rate = 12.4)

1.9% (1,045 people)

of people aged 16-49 years who said their health was bad or very bad on Census 2021(Eng = 2.8%)





3.5 per 1,000



Emergency

Admissions (190

admissions) for

Intentional Self-

Harm (2022/23,

Eng = 126.3)

Hospital

86.9 per 10,000 136.5 per 100,000

Hospital admissions (215 admissions) unintentional and deliberate injuries in children (aged 0 to 14 vears) (2022/23. Eng = 75.3



17.5 per 1,000

person (recorded 1,000 population -2,574 offences 34.4)



Admission episodes



Physically inactive "equivalent" mins least moderate







Adult smoking prevalence (2022, England rate



56.5%

Excess weight in England = 64.0%)



72.7%

BREAST SCREENING % of screened within the previous 3 years (2023, England =



Violence against the crime data) rate per (2022/23, Eng rate =

348 per 100,000

for alcohol related admissions (narrow definition) - 553 admissions (2022/23, England rate = 475)

72.8%

Physically active adults - at least 150 minutes of physical activity per week (2022/23, Eng = 67.1%)

15.7%

adults - less than 30 physical activity per week (2022/23, Eng = 22.6%)



5.6%

= 12.7%)

adults (2022/23,

eligible women 66.2%)



78.2%

72.0%)

73.5%

% of people eligible CERVICAL for BOWEL SCREENING - % of SCREENING who Cancer screening were screened coverage - women (2023, England = aged 25 to 49 years old (2023, Eng = 65.8%)





81.8 years 85.2 years

MALE life expectancy (2020-2022, Eng = 79.8 yrs)

FEMALE life expectancy (2020-2022) Eng = 82.8 yrs)

5.2 years

Inequality in life expectancy at birth (Slope Index of Inequality) (2018-2020, Eng = 9.7 yrs

2.4 years Inequality in life

expectancy at birth (Slope Index of Inequality) (2018-2020, Eng = 7.9 yrs)



484 per 100,000

HIP FRACTURES in those aged 65+, 180 admissions (2022/23, England rate = 558)



8.2%

households experience fuel poverty (low income, low energy efficiency methodology, (2022, England = 13.1%))

of people aged 65+ years who said their health was bad or very bad on Census 2021(Eng = 12.6%)

(2,770 people)

8.3%



Retirement to older age

103.8 per 100,000

U75 mortality from ALL CANCERS in (2023, Eng rate = 120.8)



55.2 per 100,000

U75 mortality all CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES (incl heart disease & stroke) (2023, Eng rate = 77.4)

3.9% 1,260 people)

of people aged 50-64 years who said their health was bad or very bad on Census 2021(Eng = 7.9%)



