

DPH Annual Report 2016

Overview of health in Leicestershire and the role of workplace health in improving health

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Report covers:

- District and borough level analysis of national health profiles, identifying priority areas and top 10/bottom 20 performance.
- Background data on working age health, using the framework of the well being charter to improve workplace health and the role of economic development in improving health.

District/Borough & Leicestershire health profile comparison



		Blaby	Charnwood	Harborough	Hinckley and Bosworth	Melton	North West Leicestershire	Oadby and Wigston	Leicestershire CC
Our Communities	1 Deprivation score (IMD 2015)								
	2 Children in low income families (under 16s)								
	3 Statutory homelessness								
	4 GCSEs achieved								
	5 Violent crime (violent offences)								
	6 Long term unemployment								
Children and young peoples health	7 Smoking status at time of delivery								
	8 Breast feeding initiation	↑	↑	↓		↓		↓	↑
	9 Obese children (year 6)								
	10 Alcohol-specific hospital stays (under 18)								
	11 Under 18 conceptions								
Adults health and lifestyle	12 Smoking prevalence in adults		↑						
	13 Percentage of physically active adults	↓							
	14 Excess weight in adults								
	15 Cancer diagnosed at early stage								
Disease and poor health	16 Hospital stays for self harm				↓				
	17 Hospital stays for alcohol related harm			↓					
	18 Recorded diabetes		↑						
	19 Incidence of TB								
	20 New sexually transmitted infections (STI)								
	21 Hip fractures in people aged 65 and over	↓		↓	↓	↑		↑	
Life expectancy and causes of death	22 Life expectancy at birth (male)					↑			
	23 Life expectancy at birth (female)								
	24 Infant mortality								
	25 Killed and seriously injured on roads				↓		↓		
	26 Suicide rate								
	27 Deaths from drug misuse								
	28 Smoking related deaths								
	29 Under 75 mortality rate: cardiovascular		↑			↑			
	30 Under 75 mortality rate: cancer								
	31 Excess winter deaths					↓			

	Significantly better than England average
	Not significantly different from England average
	Significantly worse than England average
	No significance can be calculated or data not available
	No comparison available from 2015 (either new indicator, change in definition, or comparison not possible for technical reasons)
↓	Rag rating has moved from green to amber or amber to red ie performance is not as good as 2015
↑	Rag rating has moved from red to amber or amber to green ie performance has improved from 2015

Oadby and Wigston performance

- Red for recorded diabetes – in line with Leicestershire as a whole.
- Amber for:
 - Homelessness, GCSE achievement
 - smoking in pregnancy, childhood obesity, breast feeding initiation, teenage pregnancy
 - physically active adults, smoking prevalence
 - Hospital stays for alcohol related harm, incidence of TB
 - Premature mortality from heart disease and cancer, excess winter deaths

Top 10 performance in the country

Indicator	2014	2015 ¹	2016
Children in poverty / low income families	Harborough (4)	Harborough (5)	Harborough (3)
Statutory Homelessness	Blaby (1)	Blaby (3)	
Alcohol specific hospital stays (under18)		Charnwood (1) Blaby (7)	Blaby (4) Harborough (7)
Excess weight in adults			Charnwood (7)
Hip fracture in over-65s	Charnwood (8)	Charnwood (1) Harborough (2) Blaby (5)	Melton (1)
Excess winter deaths		Melton (1)	Melton (7)
Killed & seriously injured on roads	Oadby & Wigston (2)	Oadby & Wigston (2)	Oadby & Wigston (2)
Violent crime (violent offences)		Harborough (10)	Harborough (2)
Hospital stays for self-harm		Blaby (6) Charnwood (9)	Melton (1) Blaby (6)
Infant mortality		Oadby & Wigston (1)	Oadby & Wigston (1)

Bottom 10 performance in the country

Indicator	2014	2015	2016
Recorded diabetes	Oadby & Wigston (10)		
Smoking prevalence in adults			Hinckley & Bosworth (8)
Excess winter deaths	North West Leicestershire (6)		
Statutory homelessness			Melton (3)

A Leader – We will refresh our strategic work on tobacco control, in the light of the new Health and Wellbeing Strategy and the findings of the health profiles 2016.

A Leader - We will continue to lead County Council progress on developing our approach to social value, recognising the impact this can have on economic development, and in turn health outcomes.

A Partner - District and borough councils in Leicestershire have a key role to play in our work on the wider determinants of health. We will continue to provide specialist expertise on approaches to health impact assessment and health in all policies, working in partnership with district and borough councils.

An Advocate – The Public Health Department will work with the public and private sector organisations to advocate the use of the Wellbeing Charter by employers, as part of approach to workplace health.