



Public Health
England



City of London

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Local Authority Health Profile 2019

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Health in summary

The health of people in City of London is generally better compared with the England average. City of London is one of the 40% least deprived counties/unitary authorities in England, however, about 9.6% of children live in low income families. Life expectancy for both men and women is higher than average.

Child health

In Year 6, 24.8% of children are classified as obese, worse than the average for England. Levels of breast feeding and smoking at time of delivery, and GCSE attainment (average attainment 8 score) are better than the England average.

Adult health

The rate for admissions for alcohol-related conditions is 539*, better than the average for England. The rate for emergency admissions for self-harm is 73.8*, better than the average for England. Estimated levels of adult excess weight (18+) and physically active adults (19+) are better than the England average. The rates of killed and seriously injured on roads, STIs and estimated dementia diagnosis are worse than average. The rate of emergency admissions for hip fractures is better than average.

*rate per 100,000 population

Health summary for City of London

Indicator	Age	Period	Count	Value (Local)	Value (Region)	Value (England)	Change from previous
Life expectancy and causes of death							
1.Life expectancy at birth (male)	All ages	2013-17	n/a	88.8	n/a,	79.5	↔
2.Life expectancy at birth (female)	All ages	2013-17	n/a	90.7	n/a,	83.1	↔
3.Under 75 mortality rate from all causes	<75 yrs	2016-18	48	221.9	303.3	330.5	↔
4.Mortality rate from all cardiovascular diseases	<75 yrs	2016-18	11	50.8	70.5	71.7	↔
5.Mortality rate from cancer	<75 yrs	2016-18	21	97.0	120.1	132.3	↔
Injuries and ill-health							
6.Killed and seriously injured (KSI) rate on England's roads	All ages	2016-18	193	840.5	39.5	42.6	
7.Emergency hospital admission rate for intentional self-harm*	All ages	2018/19	215	73.8	83.4	193.4	↔
8.Emergency hospital admission rate for hip fractures*	65+ yrs	2018/19	90	418.1	485.3	558.4	↔
9.Percentage of cancer diagnosed at early stage	All ages	2017	8	38.1	52.7	52.2	↔
10.Estimated diabetes diagnosis rate	17+ yrs	2018	n/a	43.3	71.4	78.0	↔
11.Estimated dementia diagnosis rate~	65+ yrs	2019	39	49.2	72.6	68.7	↔
Behavioural risk factors							
12.Hospital admission rate for alcohol-specific conditions*	<18 yrs	2016/17-2018/19	30	15.6	16.5	31.6	↔
13.Hospital admission rate for alcohol-related conditions*	All ages	2018/19	1158	539.1	556.5	663.7	↔
14.Smoking prevalence in adults (18+) - current smokers (GPPS)	18+ yrs	2018/19	n/a	18.4	15.2	14.5	↔
15.Percentage of physically active adults	19+ yrs	2017/18	n/a	73.2	66.4	66.3	↔
16.Percentage of adults classified as overweight or obese	18+ yrs	2017/18	n/a	45.4	55.9	62.0	↔
Child health							
17.Teenage conception rate*	<18 yrs	2017	83	19.4	16.4	17.8	↔
18.Percentage of smoking during pregnancy*	All ages	2018/19	164	3.6	4.8	10.6	↓
19.Percentage of breastfeeding initiation	All ages	2016/17	48	90.6	n/a	74.5	↔
20.Infant mortality rate*	<1 yr	2016-18	53	4.0	3.3	3.9	↔
21.Year 6: Prevalence of obesity (including severe obesity)*	10-11 yrs	2018/19	626	24.8	23.2	20.2	↔
Inequalities							
22.Deprivation score (IMD 2019)	All ages	2019	n/a	14.7	21.8	21.7	
Wider determinants of health							
23.Percentage of children in low income families	<16 yrs	2016	60	9.6	18.8	17.0	↔
24.GCSE attainment (average attainment 8 score)*	15-16 yrs	2016	n/a	49.3	50.0	46.9	↔
25.Percentage of people in employment	16-64 yrs	2018/19	6400	76.8	74.2	75.6	
26.Statutory homelessness rate - (temporary accommodation)	NA	2017/18	15	3.0	14.9	3.4	↔
27.Violent crime - violent offence rate	All ages	2018/19	1201	156.0	24.5	27.8	↑
Health protection							
28.Excess winter deaths index*	All ages	Aug 2017 - Jul 2018	81	25.2	27.1	30.1	↔
29.New STI diagnoses rate (exc chlamydia aged <25)	15-64 yrs	2018	234	4615	1713	851	↑
30.TB incidence rate	All ages	2016-18	5	21.2	21.9	9.2	↔
*Values for City of London and Hackney combined							
~Comparison with goal: ≥66.7% (significantly), similar to 66.7%, <66.7% (significantly)							

Indicator value types

1,2 Life expectancy - years, 3,4,5 Directly age-standardised rate per 100,000 population aged under 75, 6 Crude rate per 100,000 population 7 Directly age-standardised rate per 100,000 population 8 Directly age-standardised rate per 100,000 population aged 65 and over 9 Proportion - % cancers diagnosed at stage 1 or 2 10 Proportion - % recorded diagnosis of diabetes as a proportion of the estimated number with diabetes 11 Proportion - % recorded diagnosis of dementia as proportion of estimated number with dementia 12 Crude rate per 100,000 population aged under 18 13 Directly age-standardised rate per 100,000 population 14,15,16 Proportion 17 Crude rate per 1,000 females aged 15-17 18,19 Proportion 20 Crude rate per 1,000 live births 21 Proportion 22 Index of multiple deprivation (IMD) 2019 score 23 Proportion 24 Mean average across 8 qualifications 25 Proportion 26 Crude rate per 1,000 households 27 Crude rate per 1,000 population 28 Ratio of excess winter deaths to average of non-winter deaths 29 Crude rate per 100,000 population aged 15-64 (excluding chlamydia) 30 Crude rate per 100,000 population