

Community Profile



This area profile is the first stage in drawing together a range of information about a particular geographical area and its communities. The profile brings together basic statistical and consultation data and, where available, performance information and details about key initiatives in the area. There are 10 sections following the Audit Commission's quality of life themes. The profile aims to provide a more rounded picture of an area than can be achieved by viewing the information in isolation and should be used as a tool to provide a context and overview of an area, rather than detailed analysis of a particular topic or information type.



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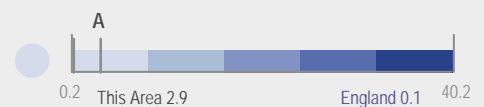
*A larger map of the area is shown on the final page of this profile.
A separate User Guide contains a detailed description of the statistics and a guide to interpreting the charts.*

People and Place

People

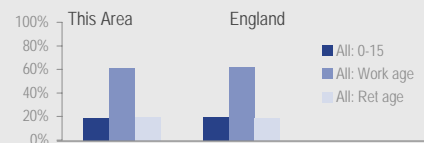
Resident population

					Mid-year 2004	
Males	%	Females	%	All	Persons per hectare	
366,435	49.2	379,050	50.8	745,485	2.9	



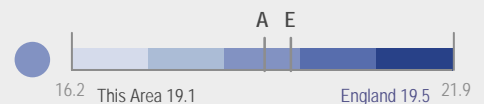
Age structure: All

					Mid-year 2004	
Aged 0-15	%	Work. age	%	Ret. age	% of total	
142,143	19.1	455,257	61.1	148,085	19.9	



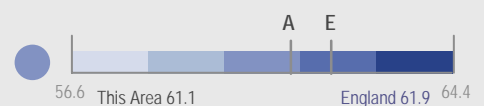
Children (0-15)

					Mid-year 2004	
Males	%	Females	%	All	% of total	
73,319	20.0	68,824	18.2	142,143	19.1	



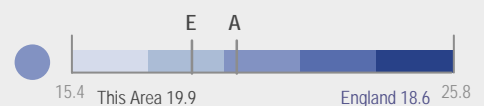
Working age (16-59/64)

					Mid-year 2004	
Males	%	Females	%	All	% of total	
238,276	65.0	216,981	57.2	455,257	61.1	



Retirement age (60/65 and over)

					Mid-year 2004	
Males	%	Females	%	All	% of total	
54,840	15.0	93,245	24.6	148,085	19.9	



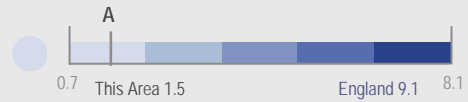
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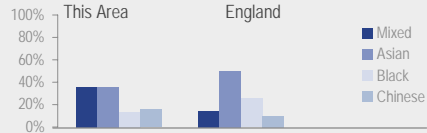
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People (continued)

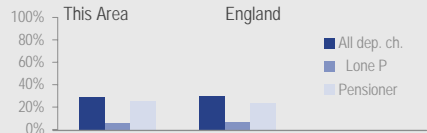
Ethnic minority population		Census 2001	
No.	%		
10,827	1.5		



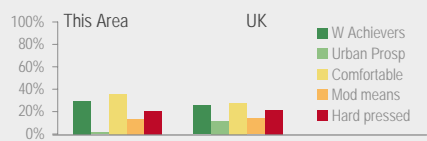
Ethnic groups				Census 2001	
Mixed	Asian	Black	Chinese		
35.7%	35.6%	13.0%	15.7%		



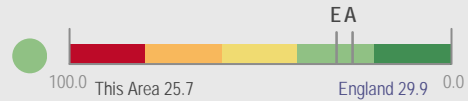
Household structure						Census 2001	
Hhds with dependent children			Pensioner hlds				
All	%	Lone parent	%	All	%		
90,348	29.3	16,479	5.3	76,442	24.7		



Household types					April 2006
Wealthy achievers	Urban prosperous	Comfortably off	Moderate means	Hard-pressed	
29.5%	1.4%	35.6%	13.2%	20.3%	



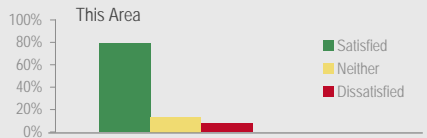
Deprived populations		2004	
No.	%		
189,107	25.7		



Areas where there are very high levels of deprivation

Place

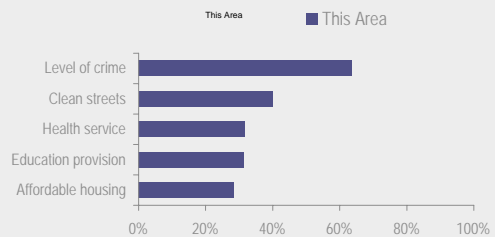
Satisfaction with local area as a place to live			2006
Satisfied	Neither	Dissatisfied	
79.2%	13.1%	7.7%	



What makes somewhere a good place to live? 2006

The top 5 factors in this area are:

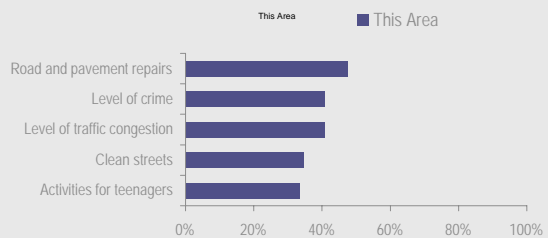
Level of crime	63.6%
Clean streets	39.8%
Health service	31.6%
Education provision	31.3%
Affordable housing	28.3%



What most needs improving? 2006

The top 5 factors in this area are:

Road and pavement repairs	47.5%
Level of crime	40.8%
Level of traffic congestion	40.8%
Clean streets	34.7%
Activities for teenagers	33.3%



Community Involvement and Cohesion

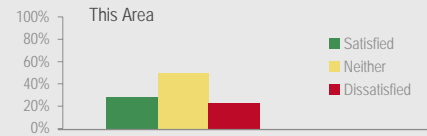
Participation

Citizens Panel member (or would like to join) 2006

 17.7%

Satisfaction with opportunities for participating in local decision making 2006

Satisfied	Neither	Dissatisfied
27.8%	49.6%	22.6%



Residents who agree that decisions affecting their local area can be influenced 2006

 29.1%

Residents who would like to be more involved in Council decisions affecting their area 2006

 24.2%

The views of the district Youth Forum on facilities for young people appear in the Culture and Leisure section.

Community cohesion

Residents who have formally volunteered in the last 3 years 2006

 #N/A

Residents who have informally volunteered for a relative in the last 3 years 2006

 #N/A

Residents who have informally volunteered for a non-relative in the last 3 years 2006

 #N/A

Residents who agree that people from different backgrounds get on well together 2006

 59.9%

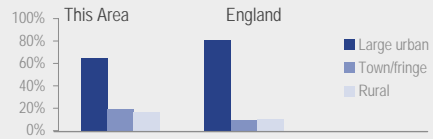
Residents who think people not treating each other with respect and consideration is a problem in their local area 2006

 43.2%

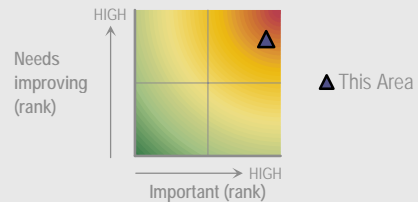
Environment

Built environment

Urban/Rural Populations			2004
Large urban	Town/fringe	Rural	
64.9%	19.0%	16.2%	



Residents' views on:- Clean Streets			2006
	%	rank out of 21 factors	
Needs improving	27.1	5	
Important	36.8	3	

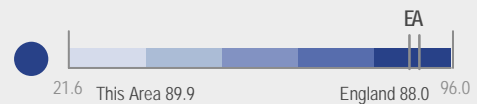


Percentage of people who think that "rubbish and litter lying around" is a problem		2006
		41.2%

Percentage of people who think that "abandoned or burnt out cars" is a problem		2006
		6.7%

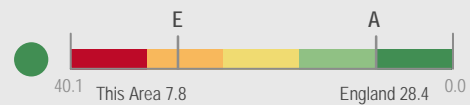
Greenspace

Percentage of area described as 'greenspace'		2006
		89.9%

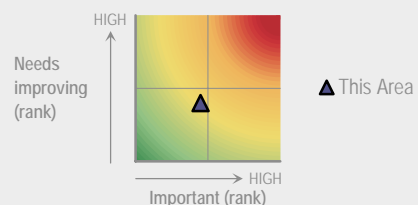


Air quality

Percentage of population living in worst 30% of areas for air quality in England		2006
		7.8%



Residents' views on:- The level of pollution			2006
	%	rank out of 21 factors	
Needs improving	7.4	13	
Important	11.5	12	



Housing

Housing stock

Existing dwellings

Census 2001
Total number
319,670

New dwellings

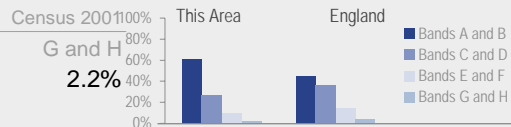
2001-2006
Rate per 1000
existing dwellings
23.8

Total number
7,620



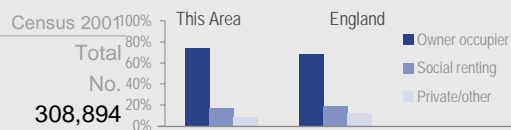
Council tax band

A and B	C and D	E and F	G and H
61.1%	27.1%	9.6%	2.2%



Tenure

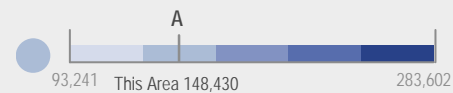
Owner occupier		Social renting		Private/other		Total
No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
230,040	74.5	52,695	17.1	26,159	8.5	308,894



Housing affordability

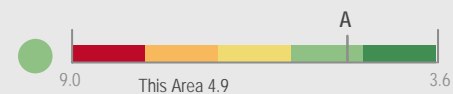
Average house price

Apr 2005 - Mar 2006
Price (£)
148,430



House price to income ratio

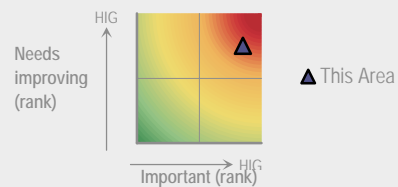
Apr 2005 - Mar 2006
Ratio
4.9



Residents' views on:- Affordable housing

2006

	Needs improving	Important
	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	22.4	6
Important	35.8	4

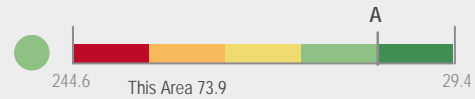


Community Safety

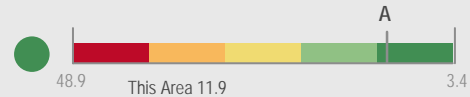
There are 0 Neighbourhood Watch schemes in operation in this area. (Jan 2007)

Recorded crime

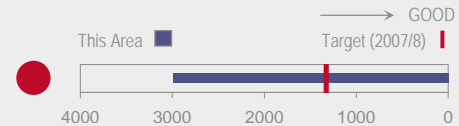
All crime	April 2006-March 2007	
	No.	Rate per 1000 popn
	55,115	73.9



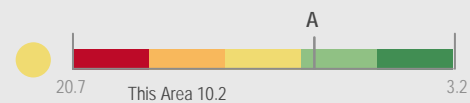
Violent crime	April 2006-March 2007	
	No.	Rate per 1000 popn
	8,872	11.9



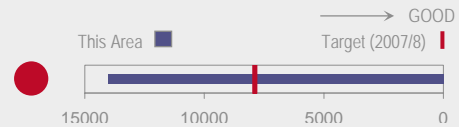
Domestic burglary	April 2006-March 2007	
	No.	Rate per 1000 hholds
	2,987	9.1



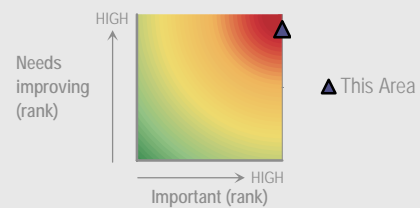
Vehicle crime	April 2006-March 2007	
	No.	Rate per 1000 popn
	7,634	10.2



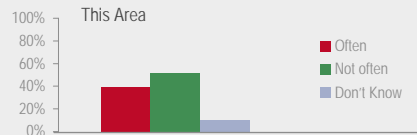
Criminal damage	April 2006-March 2007	
	No.	Rate per 1000 popn
	14,035	18.8



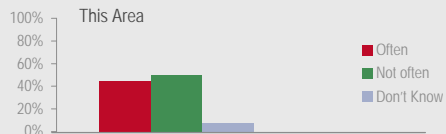
Residents' views on:- Crime	2006	
	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	35.8	3
Important	59.7	1



Residents' views on the frequency of:	2006		
Cars broken into	Often	Not Often	Don't Know
	38.7%	51.0%	10.3%

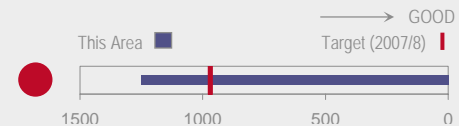


Residents' views on the frequency of:	2006		
Vandalism and graffiti	Often	Not Often	Don't Know
	44.0%	49.3%	6.7%

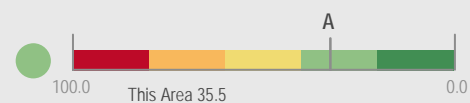


Youth offending

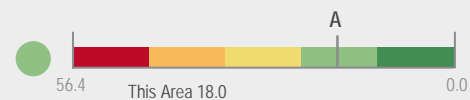
First-Time Offenders	2006	
	No.	% of 0-15 yr olds
	1,254	0.9



Re-Offenders	2006	
	No.	% of youth offenders
	689	35.5



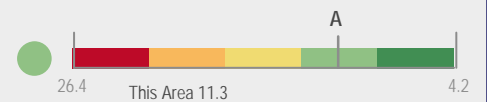
Prolific Offenders	2006	
	No.	% of youth offenders
	350	18.0



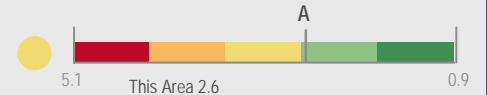
Anti-social behaviour

Calls to report anti-social behaviour

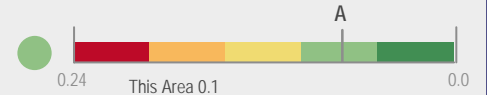
All ASB Calls	April 2006-March 2007	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
8,401	11.3	



Rowdy/nuisance behaviour	April 2006-March 2007	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
1,946	2.6	



Vehicle related	April 2006-March 2007	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
54	0.1	



Issues considered a problem by residents

Parents not responsible for children	2006
	59.6%

Teenagers hanging around the streets	2006
	55.5%

People not respecting each other	2006
	43.2%

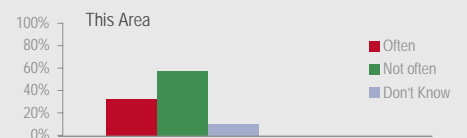
Residents' views on the frequency of:

Verbal abuse			2006
Often	Not Often	Don't Know	
31.8%	42.1%	26.1%	



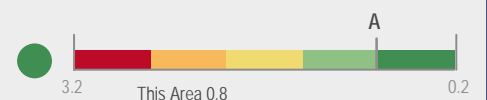
Residents' views on the frequency of:

Drunk or rowdy in a public place			2006
Often	Not Often	Don't Know	
32.0%	57.7%	10.3%	

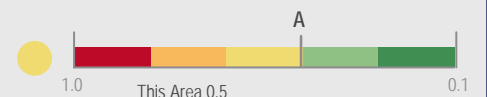


Road safety

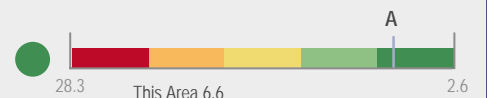
Accidents involving pedestrians	April 2004-March 2006	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
596	0.8	



Accidents involving cyclists	April 2004-March 2006	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
338	0.5	



Accidents - Total	April 2004-March 2006	
No.	Rate per 1000 popn	
4,937	6.6	

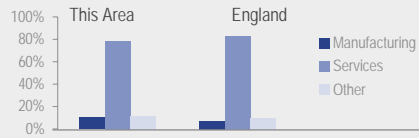


Economic Well-being

Economic activity

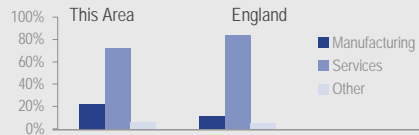
Businesses

						2005
Manufacturing	%	Services	%	Other	%	Total
2,768	10.2	21,271	78.3	3,133	11.5	27,172



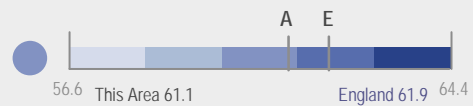
Jobs

						2005
Manufacturing	%	Services	%	Other	%	Total
6,062	38.7	8,779	56.1	812	5.2	15,648



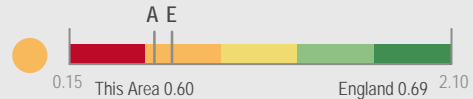
Working age population

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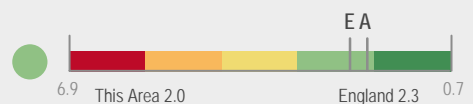
Jobs per worker

		2005
		Ratio
		0.60



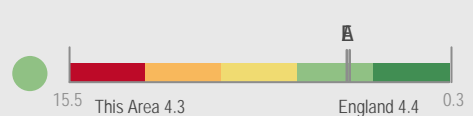
Unemployed

						April 2007
Males		Females		Total		
No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	
6,666	2.8	2,663	1.2	9,329	2.0	



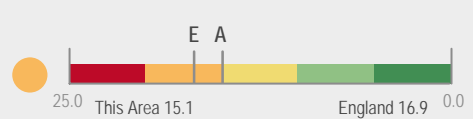
Young people unemployed (16-24)

						April 2007
Males		Females		Total		
No.	% of 16-24 unem	No.	% of 16-24 unem	No.	% of total unem	
1,845	5.5	850	2.6	2,840	4.3	



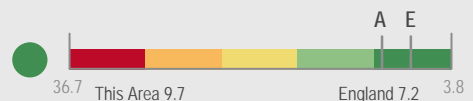
Long-term unemployed

						April 2007
Males		Females		Total		
No.	% of l.term unem	No.	% of l.term unem	No.	% of total unem	
1,045	15.7	125	4.7	1,405	15.1	



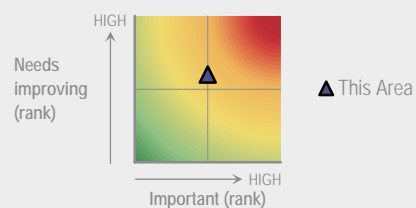
Worklessness

						May 2006
Males		Females		Total		
No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
27,269	11.4	16,744	7.7	44,013	9.7	



Residents' views on:- Job prospects

			2006
			rank out of 21 factors
	%		
Needs improving	15.9		9
Important	15.6		11

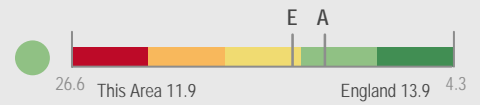


Income and economic support

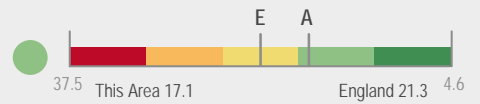
Average household income April 2006
 £ **30,173**



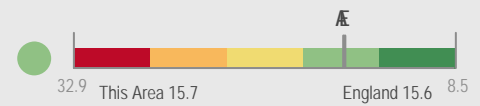
Low income populations: all 2004
 No. **87,515** % of total **11.9**



Low income populations: children 2004
 No. **24,615** % of total **17.1**

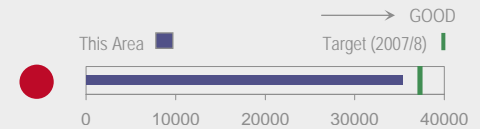


Low income populations: pensioners 2004
 No. **22,716** % of total **15.7**



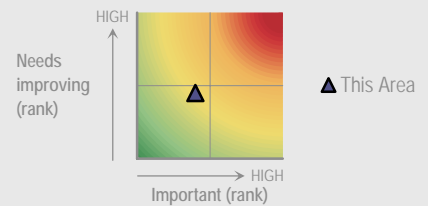
Pension credit claimants Aug 2006

Males	%	Females	%	Total	%
12,670	23.1	22,680	24.3	35,350	23.9



Residents' views on:- Wage levels 2006

	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	11.2	12
Important	11.3	13



Regeneration initiatives

Not yet available.

Education and Life-long Learning

Residents' views on:- Education provision

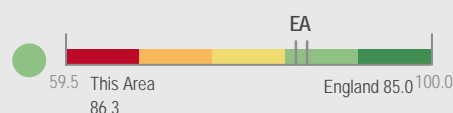
		2006
		rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	6.0	14
Important	32.3	5



Children and young people

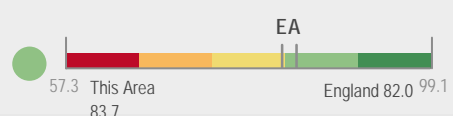
Level 2 at key stage 1 in reading

	2004-05
No.	7,191
%	86.3



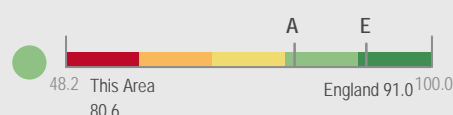
Level 2 at key stage 1 in writing

	2004-05
No.	6,977
%	83.7



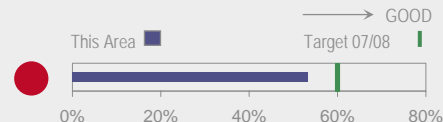
Level 2 at key stage 1 in mathematics

	2004-05
No.	6,721
%	80.6



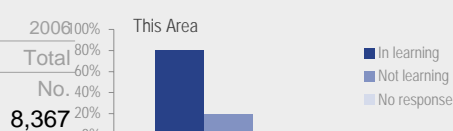
5 GCSEs A*-C

Males		Females		All pupils	
No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
2,245	49.5	2,501	57.1	4,745	53.2



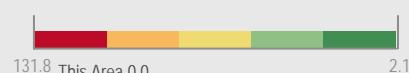
Destination at age 16

In learning		Not learning		No response	
No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
6,705	80.1	1,632	19.5	30	0.4



Pupil exclusions

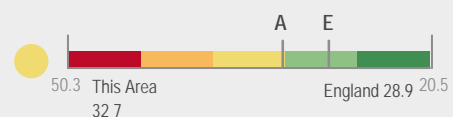
	2004-05
No.	0
Rate per 1000 pupils	0.0



Adults

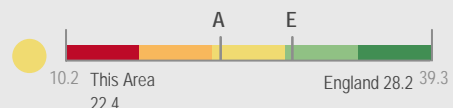
Adults with no qualifications

	Census 2001
No.	173,854
%	32.7



Adults with A-levels or equivalent

	Census 2001
No.	119,355
%	22.4



Adults with degree or equivalent

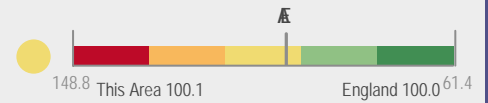
	Census 2001
No.	86,215
%	16.2



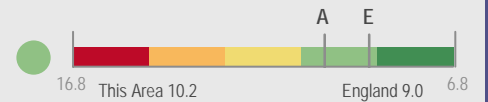
Health and Social Well-being

Health

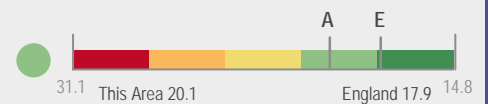
Early death rate	1999-2003
percentage of national average	
100.1	



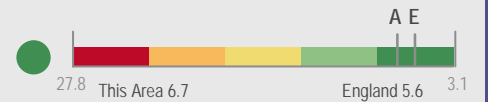
General health: 'not good'	Census 2001
No.	%
74,952	10.2



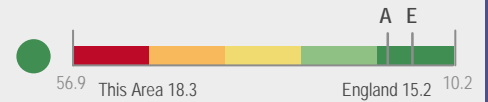
Limiting long term illness	Census 2001
No.	%
147,894	20.1



Disability living allowance claimants	May 2006
No.	%
39,970	6.7



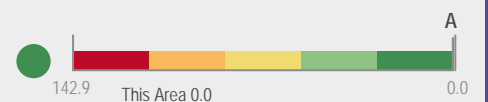
Attendance allowance claimants	Aug 2006
No.	%
26,030	18.3



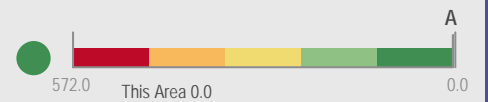
Average annual number of births	2005
No. per 1,000 women	
0.0	



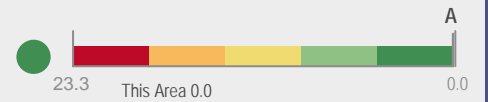
Low birth weight babies	2005
No. per 1000 total births	
0.0	



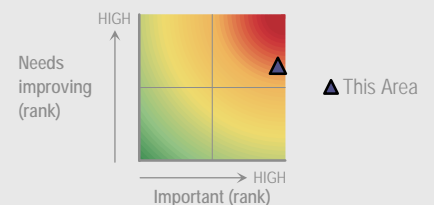
A & E admissions - under 19s	2005
No. per 1000 aged 0-18	
0.0	



Asthma emergency admissions - under 19s	2005
No. per 1000 aged 0-18	
0.0	



Residents' views on:- Health services	2006	
	rank out of 21 factors	
	%	
Needs improving	16.5	8
Important	42.8	2

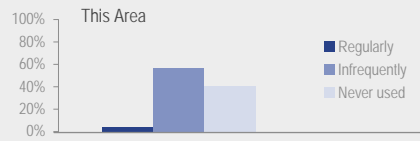


Culture and Leisure

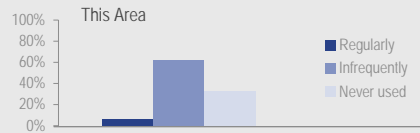
In this section, use levels relate only to cultural and leisure facilities provided by or supported by Derbyshire County Council.

Museums and theatres

Residents' use of museums and galleries		2006
Regular	Infrequent	Never
3.3%	56.0%	40.6%

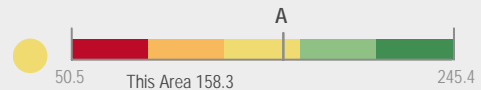


Residents' use of theatres and concert halls		2006
Regular	Infrequent	Never
5.9%	61.4%	32.8%

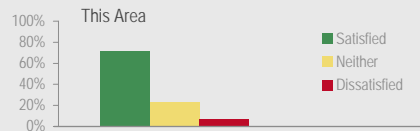


Libraries

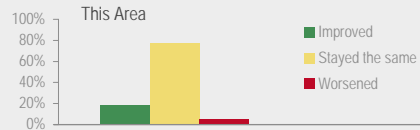
Active borrowers		2006
Rate per 1000 population		
		158.3



Satisfaction with libraries		2006
Satisfied	Neither	Dissatisfied
71.4%	22.4%	6.2%

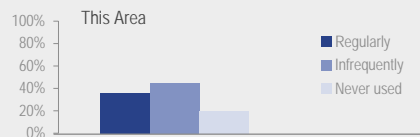


Improvements to library services		2006
Improved	Stayed the same	Worsened
17.8%	77.3%	4.9%

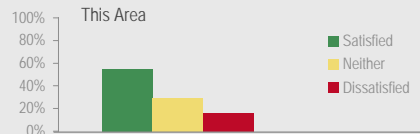


Sports

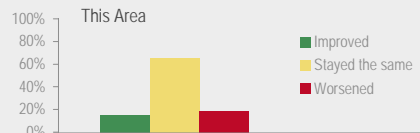
Residents' use of sports/leisure facilities		2006
Regular	Infrequent	Never
35.6%	44.8%	19.5%



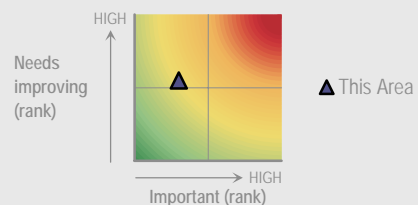
Satisfaction with sports/leisure facilities		2006
Satisfied	Neither	Dissatisfied
54.8%	29.3%	15.9%



Improvements to sports/leisure facilities		2006
Improved	Stayed the same	Worsened
15.6%	65.6%	18.8%



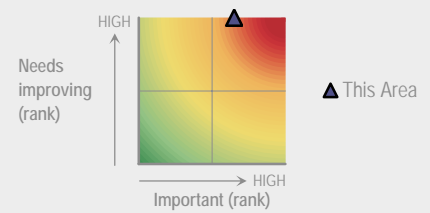
Residents' views on:-		2006
Sports/leisure facilities		rank out of 21 factors
	%	
Needs improving	15.1	10
Important	8.3	15



Leisure for children and young people

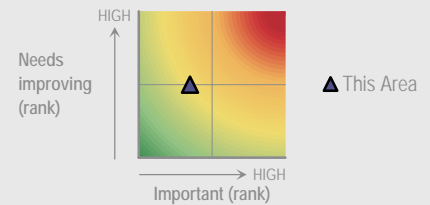
Residents' views on:-

Activities for teenagers		2006
	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	44.3	1
Important	18.7	8



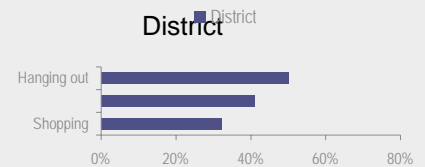
Residents' views on:-

Facilities for young children		2006
	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	14.5	11
Important	11.0	14



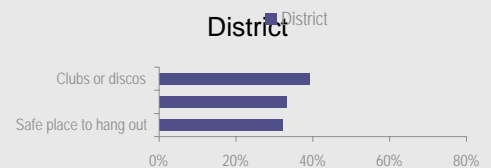
What young people most like doing

		2005
#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
#N/A	#N/A	#N/A



What young people would most like to spend a million pounds on

		2005
#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
#N/A	#N/A	#N/A



Tourism

Tourist attractions in the area include:

Alfreton and District Heritage Centre

A heritage centre with displays of photographs and artefacts.

Wingfield Manor

A medieval barn and high tower.

Crich Tramway Village

A collection of over 70 trams from Britain and overseas from 1873-1969.

Lea Gardens

A 3.5-acre garden of species and hybrid rhododendrons, azaleas and kalmias.

Sherwood Foresters Memorial Tower

A War Memorial in the form of a lighthouse set upon a hill above the village of Crich.

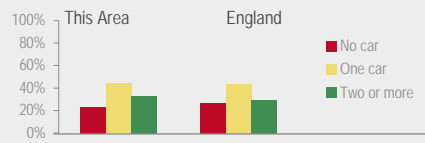
Transport and Access

Transport

Car availability (by household)

Census 2001

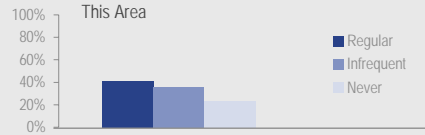
No car	%	1 car	%	2 or more	%
71,182	23.0	136,789	44.3	100,949	32.7



Residents use of local bus services

2006

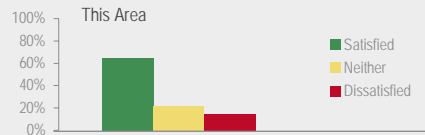
Regular	Infrequent	Never
40.9%	35.5%	23.7%



Satisfaction with local bus services

2006

Satisfied	Neither	Dissatisfied
64.5%	21.1%	14.5%

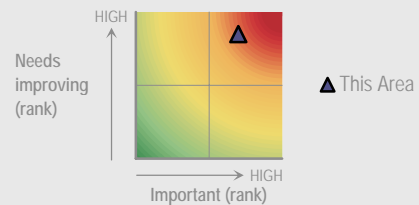


Residents' views on:-

Level of traffic congestion

2006

	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	33.9	4
Important	20.3	7

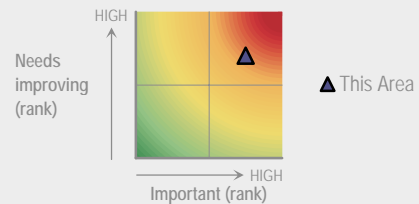


Residents' views on:-

Public transport

2006

	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	18.5	7
Important	24.9	6

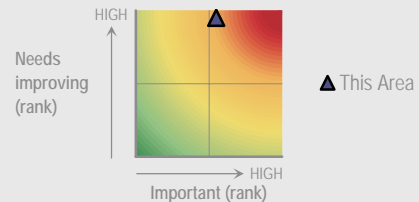


Residents' views on:-

Road and pavement repairs

2006

	%	rank out of 21 factors
Needs improving	36.3	2
Important	16.2	10



Access

Residents who personally use mobile phones

2005

#N/A

Residents who use the internet at home

2005

#N/A

Residents who use the internet at work

2005

#N/A

Residents' views on information provided by the Council about its services

2006

Well informed

45.0%