

Health Profile summary for Halton 2013

Please use this summary in conjunction with the Health Profile spine chart.

Please note that although the profile is released in 2013, the data contained within it will relate to various other periods of time (see Indicator Notes on profile).

- Significantly worse than England average
- Not significantly different from England average
- Significantly better than England average
- No significance can be calculated

Domain	Indicator	Halton compared to England: 2013 profile	Halton improved or worsened since 2012 profile.	Comments on data
Our communities	1 Deprivation	●	↑	Across England this figure has become worse.
	2 Children in poverty	●	↑	Across England this figure has become worse.
	3 Statutory homelessness	●	↓	2012/13 published data shows number and rate have gone up to 86 people (1.7 per 1,000), from 64 and 1.3 per 1,000 in 2011/12.
	4 GCSE achieved (5A*-C inc. Eng & Maths)	●	↑	No updated data available.
	5 Violent crime	●	↓	No updated data available.
	6 Long term unemployment	●	↑	England average also worsened.
Children & young people's health	7 Smoking in pregnancy	●	↓	-2012/13 published data shows has reduced from 21.2% in 2011/12 to 18.9%.
	8 Starting breast feeding	●	↑	-2012/13 published data shows has increased from 51.3% in 2011/12 to 52.3%.
	9 Obese children (Year 6)	●	↓	
	10 Alcohol-specific hospital stays (under 18)	●	↓	<i>Provisional</i> local data for 2010/11-2012/13 shows rate has decreased to 72.3 (compared to 153.9 for 2007/08-2009/10 quoted on 2013 profile).
	11 Teenage pregnancy (under 18)	●	↓	No updated data available.
Adults' health & lifestyle	12 Adults smoking	●	↓	No updated data available.
	13 Increasing & higher risk drinking	●	↓	No updated data available.
	14 Healthy eating adults	●	/	Based on modelled estimates (no update in 2013 profile).
	15 Physically active adults	●	/	Indicator criteria changed so cannot compare. No updated data available since 2013 profile.
	16 Obese adults	●	/	Based on modelled estimates (no update in 2013 profile).
Disease and poor health	17 Incidence of malignant melanoma (skin cancer)	●	/	No updated data available. Increasing incidence of malignant melanoma means that more people are being identified with melanoma which if it is recognized and treated early, it is almost always curable, but if it is not, the cancer can advance and spread to other parts of the body, where it becomes hard to treat and can be fatal.

	18 Hospital stays for self harm			- England average worsened. - 2012/13 <i>provisional</i> local data shows rate has decreased to 359 (from 416 in 2011/12).
	19 Hospital stays for alcohol related harm			-England average also worsened. -2011/12 published data & provisional 2012/13 data shows no change from 2010/11 for Halton.
	20 Drug misuse			Based on modelled estimates 2010/11. No updated data available.
	21 People diagnosed with diabetes			-England average also worsened.
	22 New cases of tuberculosis			Only 1-2 cases per year. No updated data available.
	23 Acute sexually transmitted infections		/	Indicator not included on previous profiles. No updated data available.
	24 Hip fracture in over-65s			2012/13 <i>provisional</i> local data shows rate has decreased to 501 (from 600 in 2011/12).
Life expectancy and causes of death	25 Excess winter deaths			No updated data available.
	26 Life expectancy – male			2010-12 <i>provisional</i> local data shows male life expectancy has increased to 77.3 from 76.5 in 2009-11.
	27 Life expectancy – female			2010-12 <i>provisional</i> local data shows female life expectancy was 80.6; this is no change from 2009-11.
	28 Infant deaths			2010-12 <i>provisional</i> local data shows rate has decrease to 4.1 from 4.6 in 2009-11.
	29 Smoking related deaths			No updated data available
	30 Early deaths: heart disease & stroke			2010-12 <i>provisional</i> local data shows the <75 circulatory mortality rate was 82.9; this is no change from 82.4 in 2009-11.
	31 Early deaths: cancer			-Average number of deaths remained same since 2011 profile data; rate decreased (due to population increase). -2010-12 <i>provisional</i> local data shows rate has decreased to 137.3; this is slight reduction from 142.7 in 2009-11.
	32 Road injuries and deaths			2010-12 published shows average number of road deaths was 40 per year; this has not changed since 2009-11.