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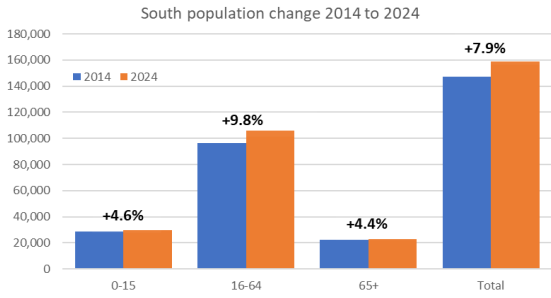
Locality Partnership Health Profile

An analysis of health, wellbeing and wider determinants in South Bristol, comparing the data with Bristol and England overall.

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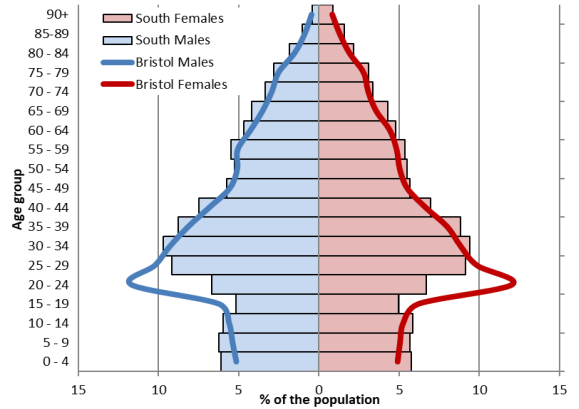
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POPULATION (2024 Mid-Year Estimates)

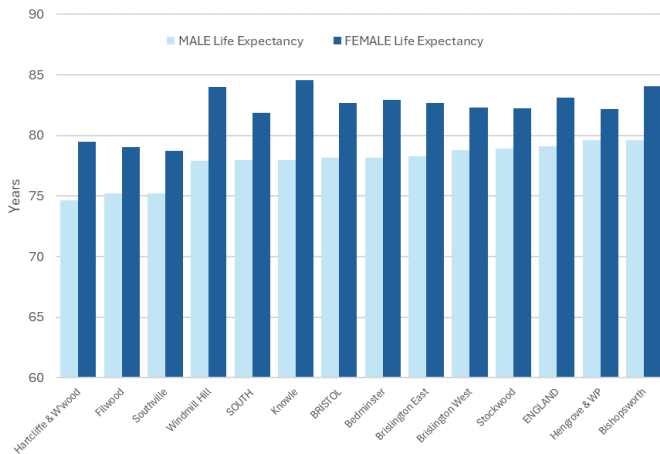


The under 16 population in South Bristol has increased at a higher rate than the city average (-0.1%) but growth in the working age and over 65 populations is lower than the Bristol average of 15.6% (16-64) and 6.1% (65+).

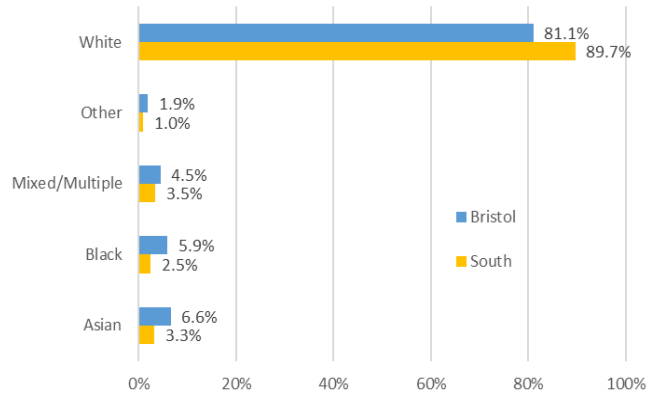
- Bristol South wards:**
- Bedminster
 - Bishopsworth
 - Brislington East
 - Brislington West
 - Filwood
 - Hartcliffe & Withywood
 - Hengrove & Whitchurch Park
 - Knowle
 - Southville
 - Stockwood
 - Windmill Hill



LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH (2021-23)

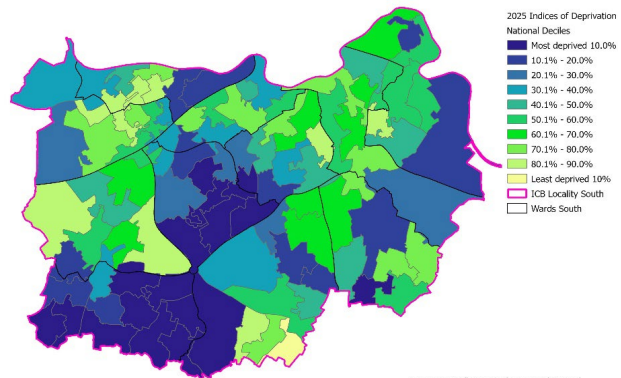


ETHNICITY (Census 2021)



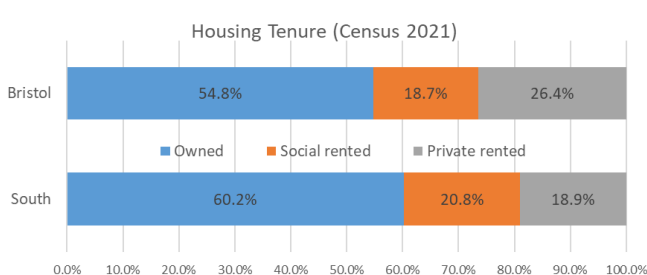
DEPRIVATION (IMD2025)

- South Bristol has a significantly higher proportion of residents living in the 10% most deprived areas of Bristol than the Bristol average (18.2% v 11.1%) (IMD 2025)
- 9 of the 10 most deprived neighbourhoods in Bristol are in the South Bristol areas of Hartcliffe, Whitchurch Park and Knowle West
- Hartcliffe & Withywood is the most deprived ward in the city and Filwood is the 3rd most deprived ward in the city
- Bishport Avenue is the most deprived LSOA in all of Bristol and ranks as the 211th most deprived LSOA in England (out of 33,755 LSOA's)
- 23.0% of children under 16 in South Bristol live in low income families, similar to the Bristol average of 23.0% and higher than the UK average of 21.8% (2023/24)



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Data: MHEU, English Index of Deprivation 2025
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HOUSING



- 414 households are living in temporary accommodation in South Bristol, which equates to 24.5% of all households housed in temporary accommodation by Bristol City Council (30th April 25)

ADULT SOCIAL CARE

At a snapshot taken on 14th December 2025, there were:

- 1,632 service users, 708 (43%) were male and 924 (57%) were female
- The primary support reason was Physical (48%), followed by Learning Disability Support (18%), Mental Health Support (13%), Support with Memory and Cognition (10%) and other (7%)
- The main care types required by service users include Homecare (30%), Supported Living (14%), Direct payments (13%), Extra Care Housing (11%), Nursing (10%) and Supported Accommodation (8%)

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Indicator	Period	Polarity*	% / Rate			South Trend#	South versus:	
			South	Bristol	England		Bristol	England
Life Expectancy								
Life Expectancy at Birth - FEMALES	2021-23	+	81.9	82.7	83.1		●	●
Life Expectancy at Birth - MALES	2021-23	+	78	78.1	79.1		●	●
Under 75 Mortality due to ALL CAUSES, age standardised rate per 100,000	2022-24	-	404.9	374.5	337.6		●	●
Children and Young People								
% of maternities with a record of smoking at the time of delivery, of those with a valid smoking status recorded	2024/25	-	8.5%	6.5%	Note 2		●	n/a
% of children recorded as breastfed at their 6 to 8 weeks check, of those with a valid feeding status recorded	2024/25	+	65.3%	74.7%	Note 2		●	n/a
Percentage of children measured that were overweight or very overweight - Reception year (4/5 year-olds)	2024/25	-	22.2%	22.0%	23.5%		●	●
Percentage of children measured that were overweight or very overweight - Year 6 (10/11 year-olds)	2024/25	-	36.5%	35.3%	36.2%		●	●
Hospital admissions caused by unintentional and deliberate INJURIES in children aged 0-4 years, crude rate per 10,000	2023/24	-	114.1	109.1	93.2		●	●
Hospital admissions caused by unintentional and deliberate INJURIES in children aged 0-14 years, crude rate per 10,000	2023/24	-	89.2	86.2	72.7		●	●
Hospital admissions as a result of SELF-HARM in children and young people aged 10-24, rate per 10,000	2023/24	-	655.0	482.8	266.6		●	●
Healthy Lifestyles								
% of adults overweight or very overweight (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	53.0%	47.7%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who do enough regular exercise each week (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	64.1%	67.3%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who eat at least five portions of fruit or vegetables per day (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	64.1%	65.0%	Note 3	Note 4	●	n/a
% who visit Bristol's parks and green spaces at least once a week (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	50.5%	53.1%	Note 3		●	n/a
% households with a smoker (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	14.9%	13.9%	Note 3		●	n/a
Hospital admission episodes for alcohol-specific conditions, rate per 100,000	2023/24	-	1150.4	1156.4	611.7		●	●
Health Protection								
Population vaccination coverage - 6 in 1 vaccination (Dtap / IPV / Hib (Hep)) (2 years old)	2024/25	+	94.4%	92.6%	92.5%		●	●
Population vaccination coverage - MMR for two doses (5 years old)	2024/25	+	87.7%	85.3%	83.7%		●	●
Population vaccination coverage - Seasonal Influenza (65 years+) ⁽⁵⁾	2024/25	+	75.9%	76.2%	74.9%		●	●
Mortality rate for deaths involving COVID-19, rate per 100,000	2024	-	13.4	13.6	Note 2		●	n/a
Learning Disabilities and Mental Health								
Depression: Incidence - new diagnoses (age 18+)	2024/25	-	2.1%	1.9%	1.4%		●	●
Learning disabilities: Recorded prevalence (all ages)	2024/25	-	0.66%	0.54%	0.59%		●	●
Mental health: Recorded prevalence of Serious Mental Illness (all ages)	2024/25	-	1.07%	1.04%	1.02%		●	●
% poor mental wellbeing (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	20.5%	19.9%	Note 3		●	n/a

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Long term conditions								
Emergency admissions for ASTHMA, rate per 100,000	2023/24	-	150.7	141.1	Note 2		●	n/a
Emergency hospital admissions for CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES (CVD), rate per 100,000	2023/24	-	1,246.4	1,187.6	Note 2		●	n/a
Emergency hospital admissions for CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE (COPD), rate per 100,000	2023/24	-	577.5	422.0	Note 2		●	n/a
Under 75 Mortality due to CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES (CVD), age standardised rate per 100,000	2022-24	-	91.8	85.0	76.5		●	●
Under 75 Mortality due to CANCER, age standardised rate per 100,000	2022-24	-	150.7	133.4	120.3		●	●
Hypertension: Recorded prevalence (all ages)	2024/25	-	13.2%	11.3%	15.2%		●	●
Older People								
Emergency admissions due to FALLS injuries, patients aged 65+, rate per 100,000.	2021/22-2023/24	-	2,732	2,577	Note 2		●	n/a
Income Deprivation Affecting Older People Index (IDAOP) % older people aged 60+	2025	-	21.1%	20.2%	16.9%		●	●
Dementia: Recorded prevalence (aged 65 years and over)	Nov 2025 snapshot	-	4.6%	4.8%	4.3%		●	●
Dementia: Recorded prevalence (all ages)	2024/25	-	0.7%	0.6%	0.8%		●	●
Sexual and Reproductive Health								
Teenage (<18) maternities as a % of all maternities ⁽⁶⁾	2022/23 - 2024/25	-	0.8%	0.7%	Note 2		●	n/a
GP-prescribed LARC (excluding injections), crude rate per 1,000 GP-registered female population aged 15-49 ⁽⁷⁾	2024/25	+	33.5	37.2	Note 2		●	n/a
Wider Determinants								
Emergency hospital admissions for ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS (all ages) - rate per 100,000 population	2023/24	-	101	96.9	Note 2		●	n/a
Number of people (aged 16-64) claiming out-of-work benefits, rate per 1,000 population	Nov-25	-	36.2	36.1	39.1		●	●
% who find it difficult to manage financially (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	10.4%	11.0%	Note 3		●	n/a
Percentage of households in Fuel Poverty	2023	-	9.7%	10.3%	11.4%		●	●
% households that used a 'food bank' during the last 12 months (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	2.4%	2.3%	Note 3		●	n/a
Domestic abuse recorded crimes, crude rate per 1,000 (aged 16+)	2024/25	-	20.6	17.2	Note 2		●	n/a
% whose fear of crime affects their day-to-day lives (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	25.9%	24.0%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who feel anti-social behaviour is a problem locally (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	45.4%	42.7%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who feel safe outdoors after dark (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	51.0%	56.4%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who feel drug use is a problem locally (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	34.7%	35.3%	Note 3		●	n/a
% satisfied with life (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	64.1%	64.1%	Note 3		●	n/a
% who rarely or never feel close to other people (QoL survey)	2024/25	-	14.8%	14.0%	Note 3		●	n/a
% comfortable using digital services (QoL survey)	2024/25	+	77.9%	81.1%	Note 3		●	n/a

* Polarity: +/- This shows whether a higher or lower figure is preferred i.e. do we hope to see a bigger/increasing or a smaller/reducing number. For example we would like to see higher vaccination coverage and a lower proportion of households with a smoker

Trend data - sparklines have been used to visually represent trend data using the most recent three years / periods

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Notes:

(1) Data is available at different geographic levels within England. For this profile we have used Lower-layer Super Output Area (LSOA) data which is small geographies of approximately 1,500 residents or 650 households, or ward data if not available. These do not fit exactly to locality or PCN boundaries but are the best match possible. The data in these locality profiles is only a small part of the full Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA), please see www.bristol.gov.uk/jsna

(2) Local data has been calculated from source but not yet published at national level. Not possible to benchmark against.

(3) The Quality of Life Survey is specific to Bristol and not comparable with other local authorities, or nationally.

(4) Trend data not available due to a change in the wording / definition of the question. 2024/25 data not directly comparable with previous years.

(5) Seasonal influenza vaccine uptake in GP Patients is an automated collection from a large sentinel group of 36 GP practices in Bristol.

(6) A maternity is a pregnancy resulting in the birth of 1 or more children (including stillbirths)

(7) Long-acting reversible contraception (LARC) is defined as contraceptive methods that require administration less than once per cycle or month. Included in the category of LARC for this indicator are subdermal implants and coils. Injections are not included.

Data sources:

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[Census 2021 results - Census 2021](#)

[Children in low income families: local area statistics - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)

[English indices of deprivation 2025 - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)

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[Nomis - Official Census and Labour Market Statistics \(nomisweb.co.uk\)](http://nomisweb.co.uk)

[Primary Care Mortality Database - NHS Digital](#)

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[Quality of life in Bristol](#)