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This profile looks at the health profile of the population in Evington:

Evington at a glance

- The health of people in Evington is generally better than the England average
- Deprivation is lower than the Leicester average and an estimated 355 children live in poverty
- For men, life expectancy is 5.1 years higher than the Leicester average (75.4 years) and 1.9 years higher than the England average (78.6 years)
- For women, life expectancy is 1.7 years higher than the Leicester average (80.0 years) and similar to the England average (82.6 years)
- Over the past few years, death rates from all causes in Evington have fallen at a greater rate than in both Leicester and England. The ward rate is currently lower than both the England and Leicester average
- The two biggest causes of death are cardiovascular disease (CVD: heart disease and strokes), and cancer:
  - Early death rates (in under 75 year olds) from CVD have fallen at a faster rate than in both Leicester and England. The ward rate is lower than both the England and Leicester average
- For cancer, early death rates (in under 75 year olds) have increased. The ward rate is currently higher than both the England and Leicester average
- In this ward birth rates are lower than the England rate. Teenage conception rates are similar to the England average and infant mortality rates similar to England. Rates of smoking during pregnancy are similar to England, and initiation of breastfeeding similar to England the England average
- Of lifestyle factors which impact on health, levels of smoking, obesity, healthy eating and drinking alcohol are better than average while physical activity is worse than Leicester overall
Leicester is the 25th most deprived of 324 Local Authority areas based on the Index of Deprivation 2010. Deprivation is widespread in Leicester and overall 41% of Leicester’s population live in the fifth most deprived of areas (Q1 on map 1), compared with 20% of the population nationally.

Map 1 shows the extent of deprivation in Evington ward and Leicester, based on national quintiles of the Index of Deprivation 2010 by Lower Super Output Area (LSOA). 23 LSOAs in Leicester are within the 5% most deprived in England.

This chart shows the percentage of the population in Evington for each of the national quintiles of deprivation, compared with Leicester and England.

Map 2 shows differences in relative deprivation levels within Leicester itself and helps show where deprivation is particularly severe.

This chart shows life expectancy at birth for males and females (2006-2010) for each of the local quintiles of deprivation in Leicester.

95% confidence interval. These indicate the level of uncertainty about each value on the graph. Longer/wider intervals mean more uncertainty.
Main causes of death

These charts show how the main causes of death compare for this area and Leicester overall.

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The chart below shows how the health of people in Evington compares with the rest of Leicester and England.

The indicator results for Evington are shown as traffic light circles. For all indicators except 18-22, the red line shows the average rate for England and the grey bar shows the range of results for all areas in England. For Indicators 18-22 the red line represents the Leicester average, the grey bar represents the range of results for Leicester and the traffic light circles represent comparisons with the Leicester average.

### Limitations:

- **Data at small areas such as wards will be less reliable than for larger areas.** This is because small changes in numbers can result in larger changes in the indicator values (rates, percentages etc). Therefore, the local values are statistically tested to see whether they are significantly higher/lower or no different to the national values.
- **Due to technical reasons, if the ward value is higher or lower than the England range the circle may be outside the area of the graph and therefore will not be displayed.

**NB:** 5 indicators are better than the range for England; Deprivation, Proportion of children in poverty %, Violent crime, Deaths from COPD, Alcohol-related hospital admissions

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### Indicator Notes

1. **1% of people in this area living in 20% most deprived areas in England, Index of deprivation 2010**
2. **2% of children in families receiving means-tested benefits & low income 2010**
3. **3% achieving GCSE 5A*-C inc. English and Maths, 2011-12**
4. **4 Recorded violence against the person crimes, crude rate per 1,000 population 2011-12**
5. **5 Proportion of resident population aged 16-64 claiming Job Seekers allowance for previous 12 months, 2012**
6. **6 Life expectancy at birth for males 2008-10**
7. **7 Life expectancy at birth for females 2008-10**
8. **8 Directly age-standardised mortality rates from cardiovascular disease in under 75s, 2008-10**
9. **9 Directly age-standardised mortality rates from cancers in under 75s, 2008-10**
10. **10 Directly age-standardised mortality rates from Coronary Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, 2008-10**
11. **11 Number of deaths in infants under 1 year old per 1,000 live births 2007-11**
12. **12 Number of stillbirths and deaths under 7 days old per 1,000 total births 2007-11**
13. **13 Number of concepions in under 18s per 1,000 15-17 year olds 2008-10**
14. **14 Population who smoke (16+ years) 2010**
15. **15 % of adults spending 3+ days a week doing at least 30 mins exercise per week 2010**
16. **16 % of adults with a BMI > 30 2010**
17. **17 % of adults drinking above recommended daily units 2010**
18. **18 % of population who smoke (16+ years) 2010**
19. **19 Number of alcohol-related hospital admissions per 100,000, 2010-11**

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