

The Health of
the People of
Portsmouth City, 2001



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ALL CANCERS

Mortality from all cancers, people aged under 75

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality per 100,000 persons			
City	151	159	153
IoW, P&SEH HA	136	135	130
Health Region	129	127	124
England & Wales	140	137	134
Number of deaths			
City	785	818	777

LUNG CANCER

Mortality from lung cancer, people of all ages

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Standardised mortality rate (E&W = 100)			
City	108	112	115
Health Region	n/a	85	85
England & Wales	100	100	100
Number of deaths			
City	351	356	352

BREAST CANCER

Mortality from breast cancer, women aged 50-69

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality per 100,000 women			
City	77	98	100
IoW, P&SEH	76	85	85
Health Region	77	75	76
England & Wales	78	75	73
Number of deaths			
City	38	48	49

SUICIDE

Mortality due to suicide and undetermined injury, people of all ages

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality per 100,000 persons			
City	9.7	10.3	10.7
IoW, P&SEH HA	8.9	8.7	9.8
Health Region	9.0	9.0	8.8
England & Wales	9.1	9.2	9.4
Number of deaths			
City	53	57	61

FRACTURED HIPS

Hospital episodes for fractured hip, people aged 65 and over

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99
Hospital episodes per 100,000 persons			
City	927	1,053	1,046
Health Region	607	624	618
England	591	615	652
Number of hospital episodes			
City	356	423	402

ACCIDENTS

Mortality due to accidents, people of all ages

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality per 100,000 persons			
City	15	11	11
IoW, P&SEH HA	12	11	10
Health Region	20	16	15
England & Wales	20	17	17
Number of deaths			
City	84	86	83

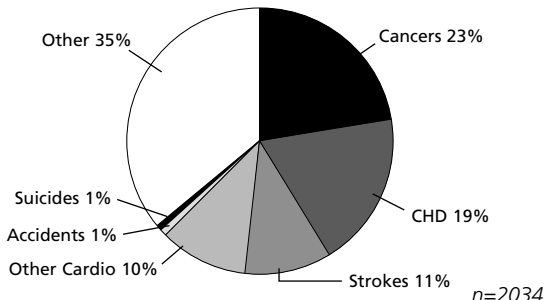
LIFE EXPECTANCY

Life expectancy at birth (yrs) 1995-1997

	MALES	FEMALES
City	74.1	79.1
Local Govt Region	75.9	80.6
England	74.7	79.8

MAJOR CAUSES OF DEATH

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This Pocket Profile summarises the most recent comparative indicators of the health of the residents of Portsmouth City. It includes details of fertility, morbidity and causes of mortality.

Information sources

Public Health Common Dataset, 2001
Dept of Health High Level Performance Indicators
P&SEH Health and Lifestyle Surveys
Office of National Statistics
Hampshire County Council

More information

More information about health in the City can be found in "How Healthy Are We?", available from the Public Health Department from August 2001. I hope you find this Pocket Profile useful and welcome your comments.

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RESIDENT POPULATION, 2001

ELECTORAL WARD	MEN	WOMEN	PERSONS
Charles Dickens	9,463	6,823	16,287
Copnor	7,686	7,776	15,462
Cosham	6,198	6,454	12,652
Drytn & Farlington	6,101	6,582	12,683
Fratton	7,385	7,479	14,864
Havelock	6,550	6,757	13,307
Highland	7,518	7,587	15,104
Hilsea	8,202	8,303	16,505
Milton	6,792	6,756	13,548
Nelson	7,839	7,769	15,609
Paulsgrove	7,823	7,856	15,679
St Jude	6,459	6,371	12,831
St Thomas	8,300	8,568	16,867
TOTAL	96,316	95,081	191,398

TEENAGE CONCEPTIONS

	1995-1997	1996-1998
Conceptions per 1,000 girls aged under 16		
City (number)	103	109
City (rate)	11.8	12.0
Health Region (rate)	7.0	7.1
England & Wales (rate)	9.0	9.1
Conceptions per 1,000 girls aged under 18		
City (number)	517	546
City (rate)	n/a	62.1
Health Region (rate)	n/a	37.4
England & Wales (rate)	n/a	46.4

PERINATAL MORTALITY (*)

	1997	1998	1999
Number of perinatal deaths			
City	23	17	19
Health Region	635	703	704
England & Wales	5,381	5,231	5,113

	1997	1998	1999
Perinatal mortality per 1,000 live and stillbirths			
City	9.7	7.5	8.5
Health Region	8.4	6.8	6.9
England & Wales	8.3	8.2	8.2

(*) Includes stillbirths and deaths in the first week of life

LIFESTYLES: SMOKING, 1999

Percentage of secondary school children smoking, Portsea Island Primary Care Group	
Boys	13
Girls	24
TOTAL	21

Percentage of adults smoking, City	
Men	35
Women	30
TOTAL	32

COVERAGE OF SCREENING SERVICES(*)

	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00
Breast screening			
P&SEH	68	71	72
Health Region	69	71	71
England	66	68	69
Cervical screening			
P&SEH	85	83	83
Health Region	86	86	86
England	85	84	84

(*) Percentage of eligible women screened

CORONARY HEART DISEASE

	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality from coronary heart disease, people of all ages			
Standardised mortality rate (E&W = 100)			
City	95	95	104
Health Region	n/a	87	87
England & Wales	100	100	100
Number of deaths			
City	1,359	1,301	1,340

BIRTHS

General fertility rate and number of births			
	1997	1998	1999
Live births per 1,000 women aged 15-44			
City	58.6	55.9	55.2
Health Region	57.4	58.8	57.2
England & Wales	59.7	59.0	57.6
Number of births			
City	2,357	2,247	2,217

ABORTIONS

Portsmouth & SE Hampshire HA (*)			
	1997	1998	1999
Number of abortions in each age group			
11-15 yrs	37	41	42
16-19 yrs	285	311	337
11+ yrs	1,595	1,604	1,534
Abortions per 1,000 women per age group			
11-15 yrs	2.3	2.4	2.4
16-19 yrs	22.4	23.9	26.2
11+ yrs	11.2	11.3	10.9

* Abortion data not available at Local Authority level

INFANT MORTALITY (*)

	1997	1998	1999
Number of infant deaths			
City	17	20	12
Health Region	436	462	497
England & Wales	3,795	3,560	3,586

	1997	1998	1999
Infant mortality per 1,000 live births			
City	7.2	8.9	5.4
Health Region	5.8	4.5	4.9
England & Wales	5.9	5.6	5.8

(*) Deaths in the first year of life

LIFESTYLES: DRINKING ALCOHOL

Percentage of children who drink, drinking alcohol above sensible limits	
Portsea Island PCG area, 1999	7.1
England, 1994-1996	n/a

Percentage of adults who drink, drinking alcohol above sensible limits	
City, 1999	39
England, 1994-1996	21.9

CIRCULATORY DISEASE

Mortality from all circulatory disease, people aged under 75			
	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Mortality per 100,000 population			
City	156	150	152
IoW, P&SEH HA	133	126	122
Health Region	118	112	107
England & Wales	141	135	128
Number of deaths			
City	851	797	786

STROKE

Mortality from stroke, people of all ages			
	1995-1997	1996-1998	1997-1999
Standardised mortality rate (E&W = 100)			
City	110	108	104
Health Region	n/a	96	96
England & Wales	100	100	100
Number of deaths			
City	751	715	669