

Statistics, research and mapping for North Yorkshire and York

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STREAM is moving to Data North Yorkshire

After almost five years in its current home **STREAM** will be moving to become part of the new Data North Yorkshire web site in June. The new site is at www.datanorthyorkshire.org.



We will still be available to help you to access the information that you need and to provide support and advice on the most appropriate data for your projects but the new site will help to improve the way that we deliver information to you.

Data North Yorkshire will be easier to use than our existing system and you will no longer need to login to access information. We will be concentrating on providing more analysis and interpretation of key data sets. The information will also be available in open data format, allowing it to be used in more innovative ways.

The 2015 Indices of Deprivation are one of the first sets of data to be made available on the new site. You can explore the interactive maps and charts, which have been produced by the North Yorkshire County Council Business Intelligence team, and read some of our analysis of the deprivation statistics at https://www.datanorthyorkshire.org/JSNA/articles/indices-of-deprivation-summary/

If you have any questions or comments about the new system we would appreciate your feedback by email at stream@northyorks.gov.uk

Risk of loneliness at age 65 and over

Age UK have produced information at neighbourhood level which indicates the risk of loneliness among the population aged 65 and over.



Each Lower Super Output Area (LSOA) in England is given a rank for the risk of loneliness to its residents. This is based on 2011 Census data and the 2010-12 English Longitudinal Study of Ageing (ELSA).

Risk factors for loneliness identified in the study include poor health, limited activities of daily living, having eye conditions and being widowed. These are weighted to produce a relative risk of loneliness for each area.

The report found that being in poor health was by far the biggest factor associated with chronic loneliness. This is followed by

being widowed and living alone. Some factors normally assumed to be associated with loneliness, such as area deprivation, poverty and living in a rural area proved not to be significant.

The LSOA level information is available in **STREAM** and a PDF map covering North Yorkshire and York is available to download from http://www.streamlis.org.uk/QuickLink.aspx?id=1184. More detailed information is available from http://www.ageuk.org.uk/professional-resources-home/research/loneliness-maps/

Small area population estimates for mid-2014

Mid-year population estimates for 2014 have been released at small area level by the Office for National Statistics (ONS), updating the mid-2013 estimates.



The figures are in addition to the local authority level estimates which were released in June. They provide detailed information by age and sex for Lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs), Middle Super Output Areas (MSOAs), district council wards, Clinical Commissioning Groups and the national parks.

In addition North Yorkshire County Council have produced parish population estimates for mid-2013, together with estimates for the towns and large settlements within the county

The new population estimates are available to download from **STREAM** by selecting the **Themes** option from the homepage, then choosing the Population and the Demographics themes on the following screen.

New district council ward boundaries introduced



New ward boundaries were introduced in some North Yorkshire districts in 2015, following a review by the Local Government Boundary Commission for England. The local authorities affected included Hambleton and Selby as well as the City of York and parts of Craven district.

Although most data sets, such as those for 2011 Census, still relate to the previous ward boundaries, you will see 'Wards 2015' available in **STREAM**. Initially we have added Population Estimates for Small Areas into the system for the new boundaries, with plans to add more 2015 Ward level information as it becomes available.

Annual road casualty report

The Highways and Transportation team at North Yorkshire County Council have published their annual report on personal injury collisions and casualties in 2014 on public roads and footways in North Yorkshire, which became known to the police.

The figures used in the report are derived from the 'Stats 19' forms completed by the police officer who investigated the crash.

The report finds that a total of 40 people were killed in road collisions reported to the Police in 2014, down from 51 in 2013, while 391 road users were seriously injured in the county against 425 the previous year.

The report, which includes a detailed statistical breakdown, is available to download from http://www.roadwise.co.uk/using-the-road/statistics/

