

Leicester Health & Wellbeing Survey 2015

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Overview



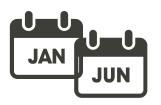
- Purpose of the survey
- How the survey was carried out
- Key messages from the survey

Background and methodology





Ipsos MORI undertook a face-to-face survey of 2,321 residents in Leicester aged 16+. Interviews were conducted in the home using Computer Assisted Personal Interviewing (CAPI)



Fieldwork took place between 26 January and 7 June 2015



Respondents were selected for interview randomly in pre-assigned sample points across Leicester

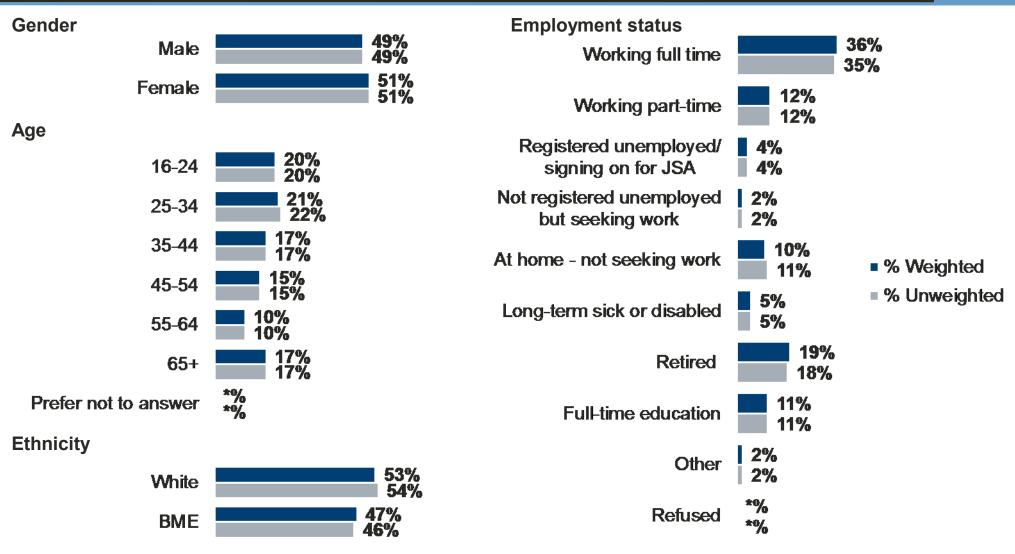


Quotas set by age, gender, ethnicity and work status to ensure demographic representativeness, with data weighted to the known profile of the Leicester adult population to mitigate non-response bias



Leicester profile: younger and more ethnically diverse





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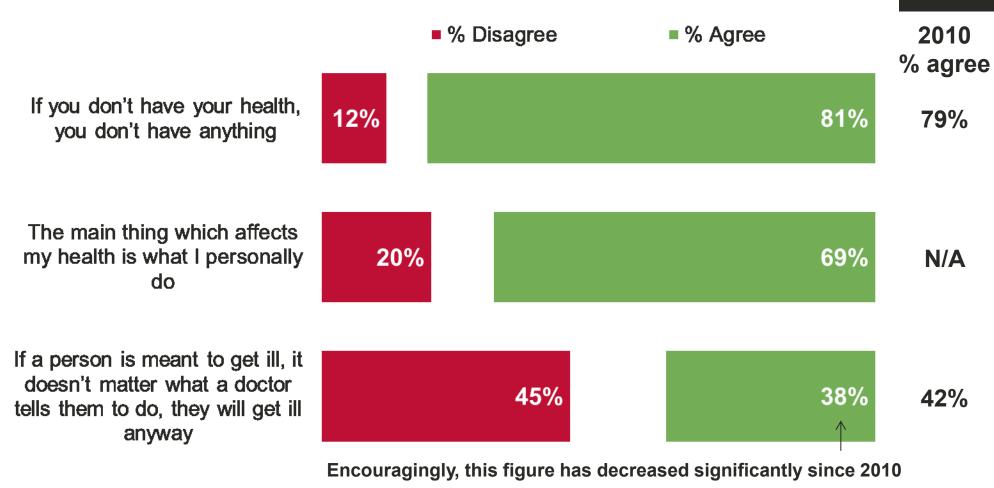
Source: Ipsos MORI



Most Leicester residents feel strongly about their personal health (and their responsibility), but not all



Q11. I am going to read out some things that people have said about health in general. Please could you tell me how much you agree or disagree with each one?



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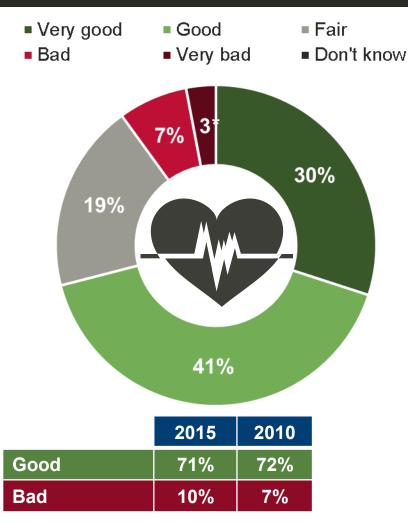
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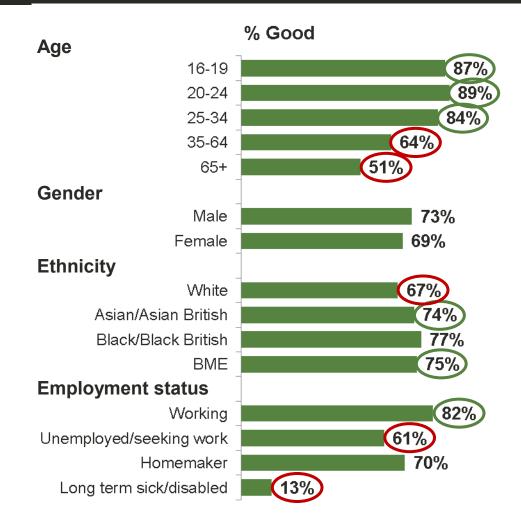
Health in general – seven in ten say theirs is good, in line with five years ago. Age a crucial factor



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Q1. How is your health in general? Would you say it is ...?





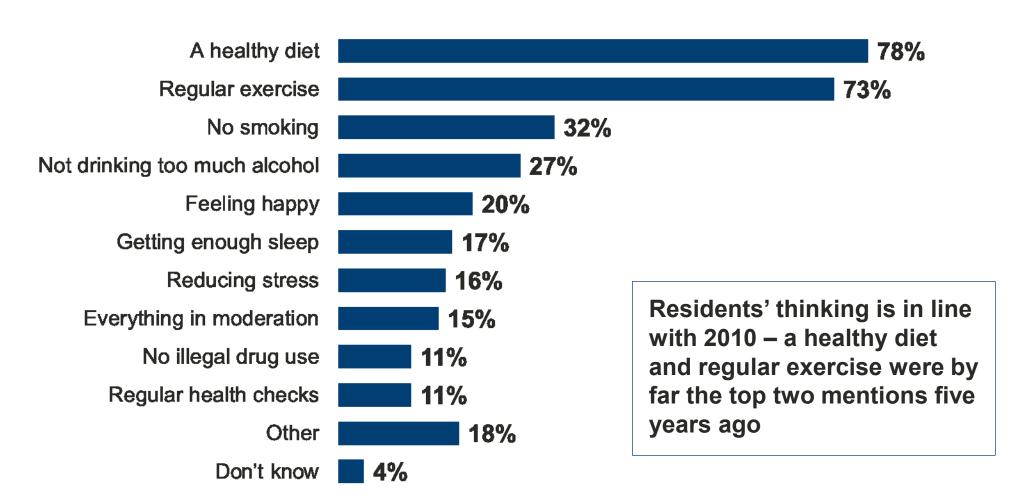
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But what does living healthily mean to residents?



Q12. Thinking generally, how would you personally describe a 'healthy lifestyle'?



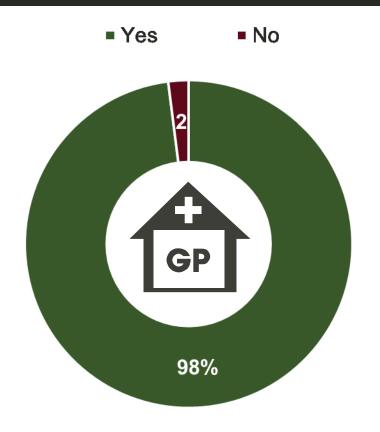
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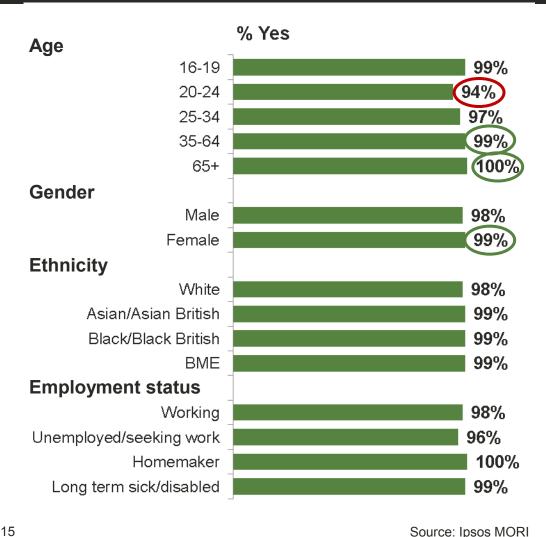


98% are registered with a GP, family doctor or health centre. Non-registration higher amongst those aged 20-24



Q2. Are you personally registered with a GP, family doctor or health centre?





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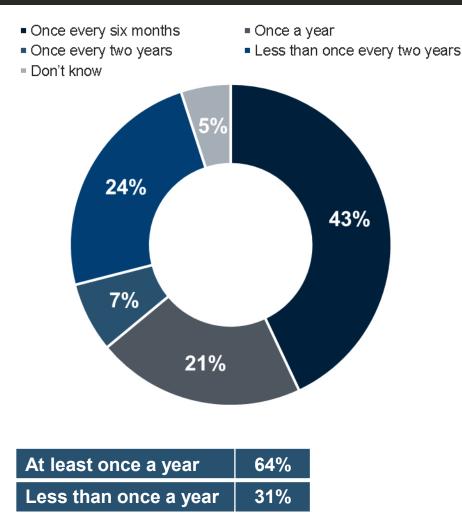


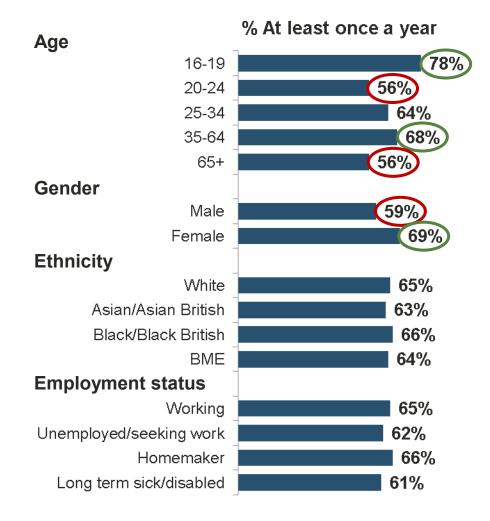
64% visit the dentist at least once a year. Groups less likely to visit this often are men, those aged 20-24 and those aged 65+



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Q3. On average, how often do you go to the dentist?





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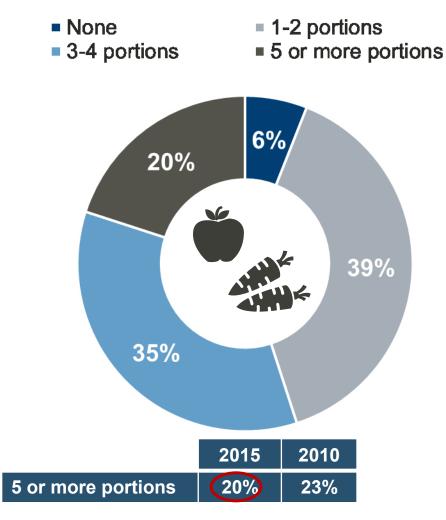
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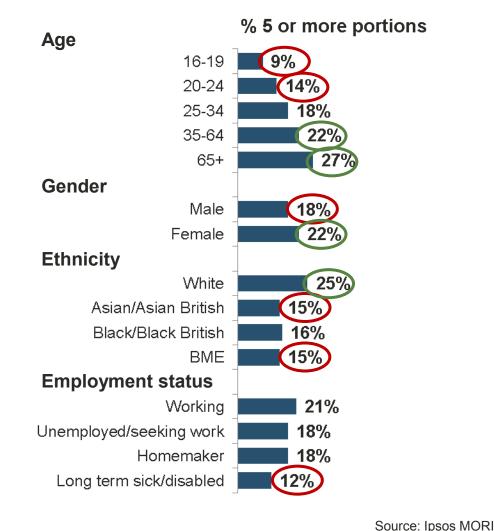
Just one in five eat five portions of fruit/veg per day – fewer than in 2010...



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Q17. How many portions of fresh, tinned, frozen or dried fruit and vegetables do you eat on average in a day?





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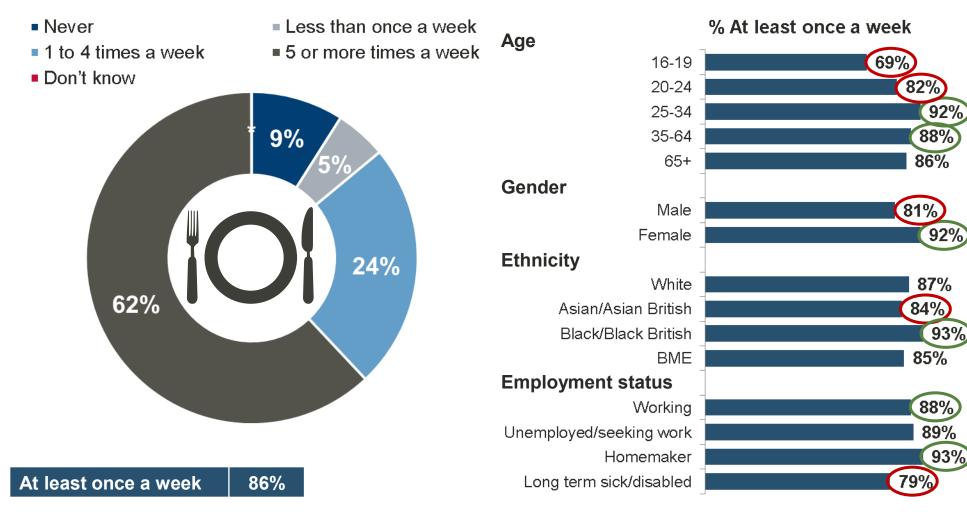


...despite the majority preparing meals for themselves / their family regularly



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Q18. How often do you cook or prepare a meal from basic ingredients for yourself or your family / household?



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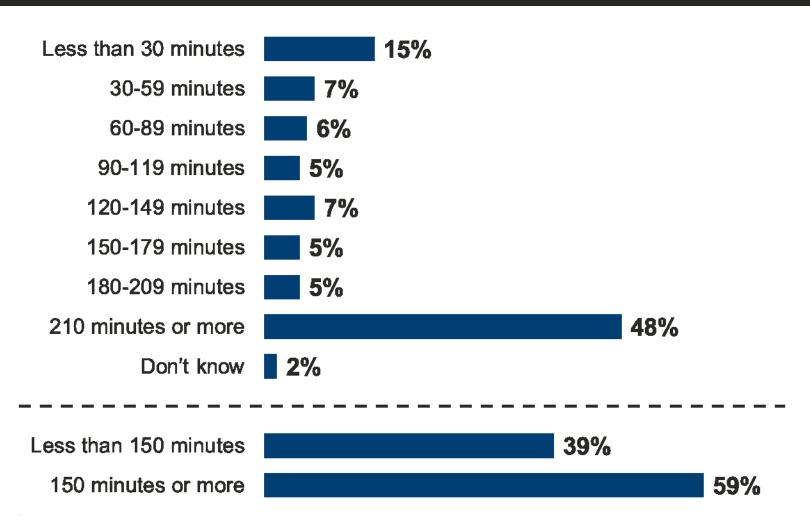


Three in five residents get the recommended 150 minutes or more of moderate physical activity per week



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Q21. How many minutes or hours would you say you do a week?



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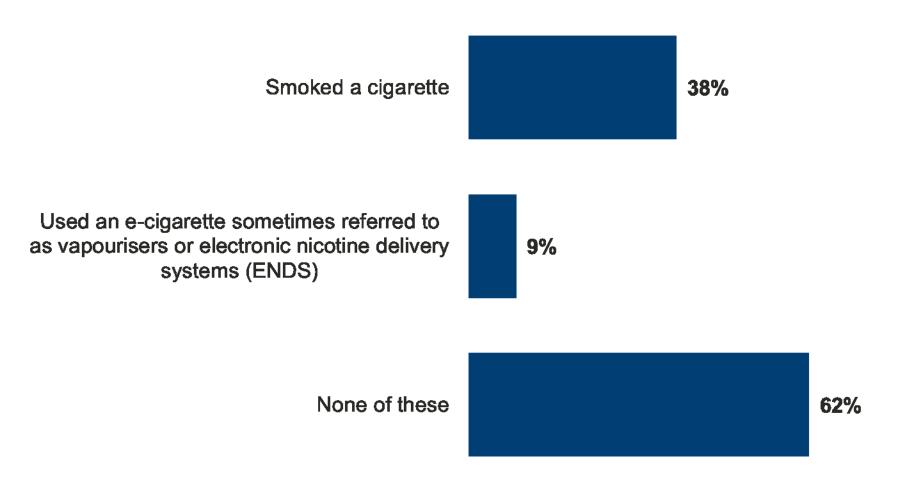


38% have ever smoked a cigarette, while 9% have smoked an e-cigarette. Three in five have smoked neither of these



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Q29. Have you ever done any of the following?



Source: Ipsos MORI





Base: Q29. All valid responses (2321): Fieldwork dates: 26th January - 7th June 2015

57% of those who have ever had a cigarette still smoke them, which is 21% of Leicester residents overall

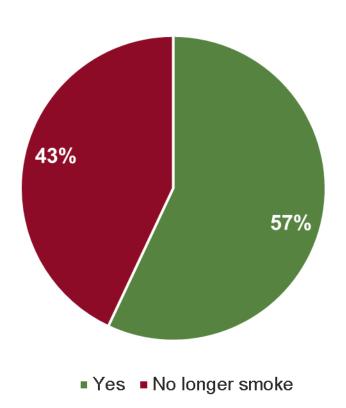


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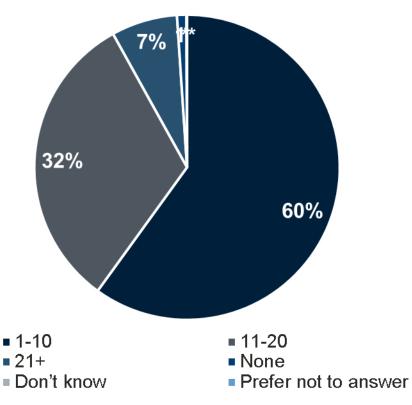
Q30. Do you smoke cigarettes at all nowadays?

Q31. On average, how many cigarettes or hand rolled cigarettes do you usually smoke a day?

Smoke nowadays?



How many cigarettes smoked per day?



Base: Q30. All valid responses who have ever smoked a cigarette (881); Q31. All valid responses who smoke cigarettes nowadays (500) Fieldwork dates: 26th January – 7th June 2015



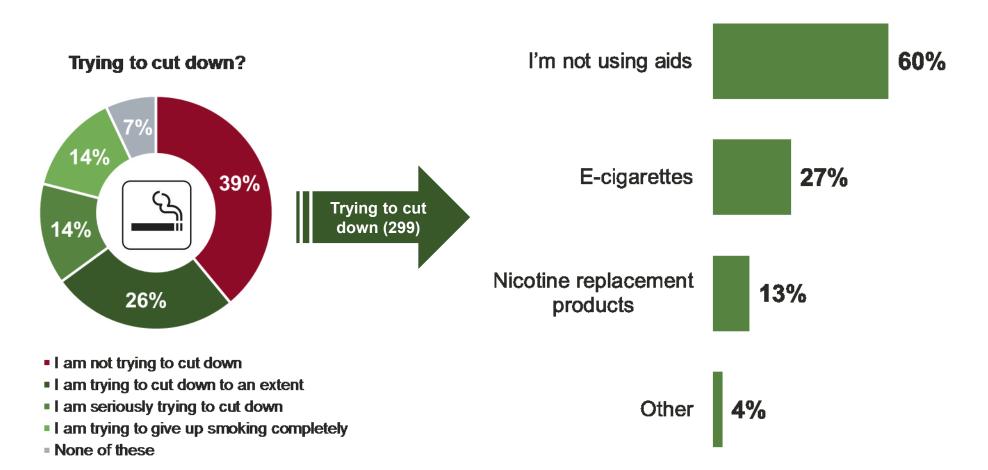


Most current smokers are either trying to cut down or quit completely. More than a quarter say they're using e-cigarettes



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Q39. Which of the following best applies to you? Q40. If you are trying to cut-down, which, if any, of the following aids are you using to help you cut down?



Base: Q39. All valid responses who currently smoke (553); Q40. All valid responses who currently smoke and are trying to cut down (299) Fieldwork dates: 26th January – 7th June 2015

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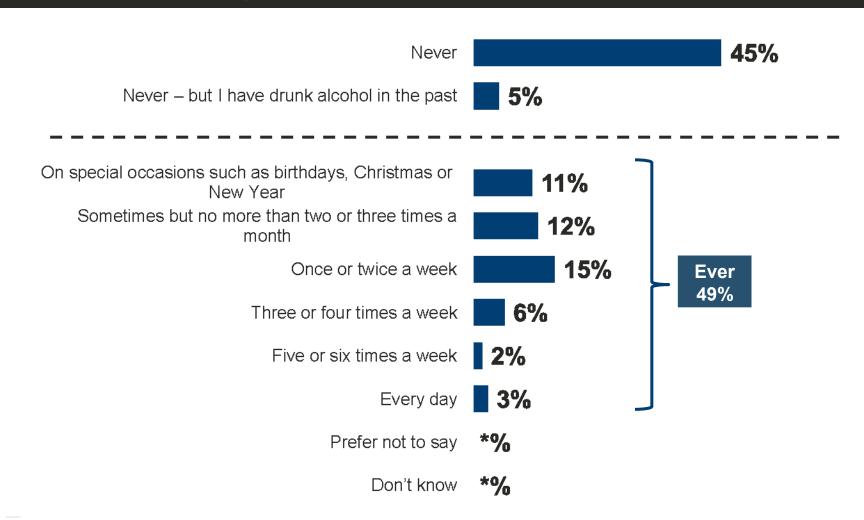


45% of residents say they have never drunk alcohol – a further 5% never drink alcohol nowadays but have done so in the past



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Q48. How often, if at all, do you drink alcohol?



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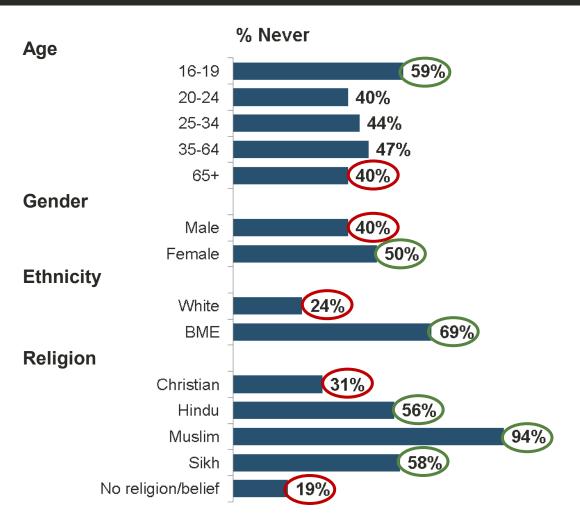


Muslims, Hindus and Sikhs are more likely say they never drink alcohol compared with Christians and non-religious residents



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Q48. How often, if at all, do you drink alcohol?







Work conducted by Ipsos MORI on behalf of Drinkaware suggests residents in Leicester are far less likely to drink at all than in Great Britain generally.

While 45% of Leicester residents say they have never drunk alcohol, the equivalent figure from this national telephone survey is 11%.

Base: All valid responses (2321): Fieldwork dates: 26th January – 7th June 2015 / Drinkaware: Adults 18-75 (2294 – By Telephone): Fieldwork dates: 17th November – 10th December 2014.





Certain groups of people are more likely to drink over the recommended limit



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Q50. Number of units drunk in a typical week



Among those most likely to drink <u>over</u> the recommended limit are...

- Smokers (15%)
- Those who report having a disability or limiting condition (15%)
- Men (13%)
- Those out of work (13%)
- Those with no religion/belief (13%)
- White residents (12%)
- Those without children in the household (12%)

Base: All valid responses who ever drink alcohol and name a drink at Q49 (1077): Fieldwork dates: 26th January – 7th June 2015

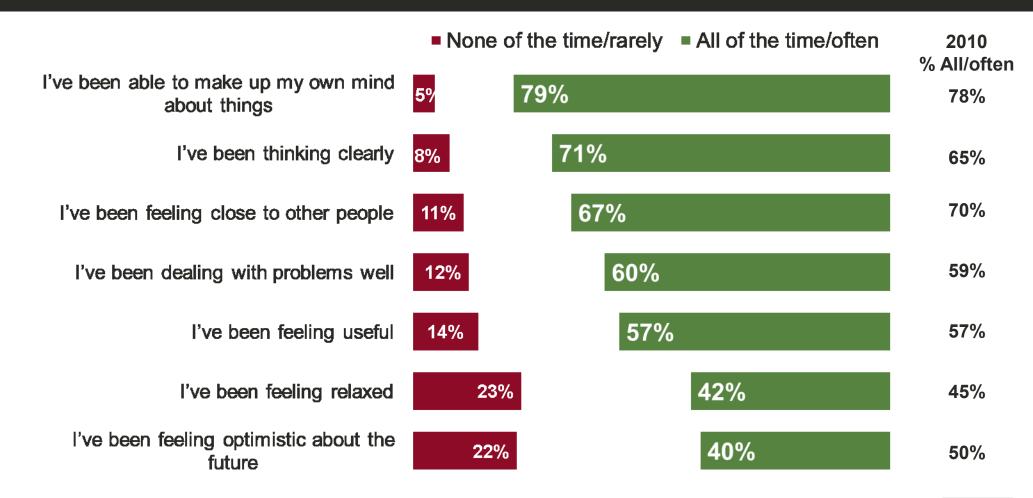


Residents are less likely than in 2010 to say they feel optimistic about the future often or all of the time



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Q44. Here are some statements about feelings and thoughts. Which best describes your experience of each over the last 2 weeks?



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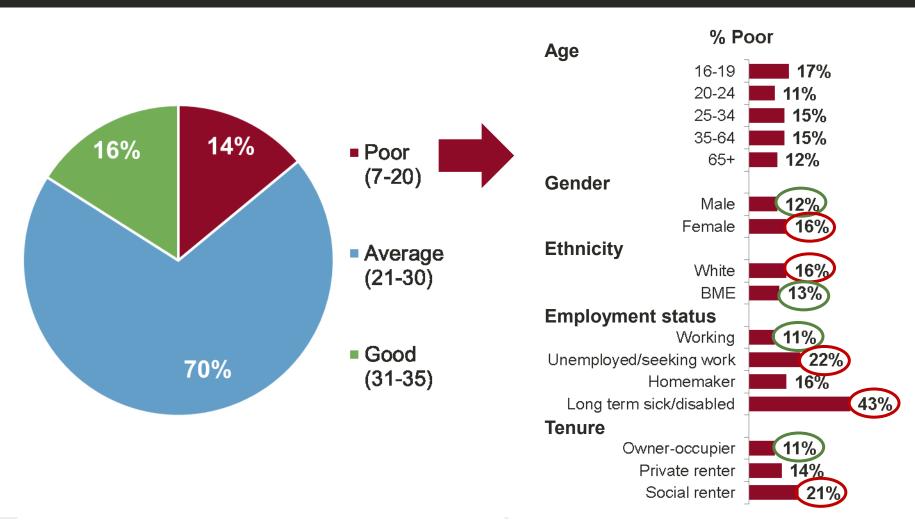


Groups more likely to have a poor mental wellbeing score include those with a disability, unemployed residents and social renters



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Mental health and wellbeing - mean calculations



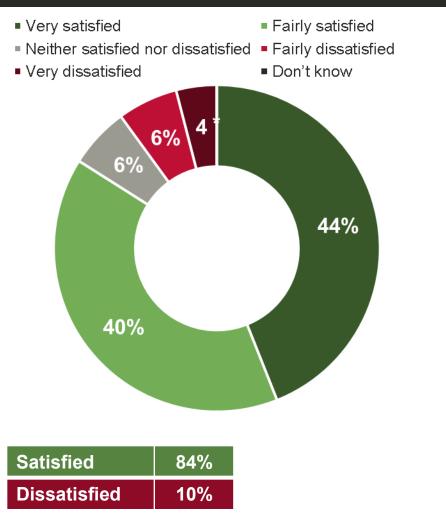
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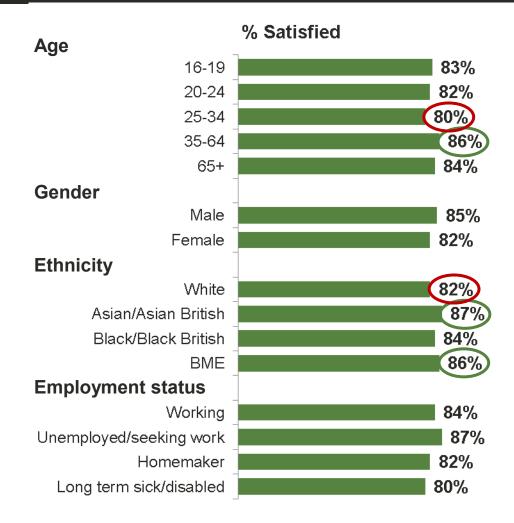


Satisfaction with the local area as a place to live is high



Q24. Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your local area as a place to live?





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