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Community Capacity									
1	Demographics								
1.1	Total population (place of usual residence)	number	2011	12,496	41,860	17,591	5,354,042	1	no
			2016	12,995	46,100	18,761	5,926,624		
1.2	Median age of population	years	2011	48	41	47	37	1	no
			2016	50	42	49	37		
1.3	Median age of Indigenous population	years	2011	26	25	25	22	1	no
			2016	24	25	33	23		no
1.4	Fertility rates	Ave number	2013	2.3	2	2.1	2	18	no
1.5	Couple families with children	%	2011	33.8	49.3	36.7	46	1	no
			2016	31.3	48.8	35.3	46.3		
1.6	Families headed by one parent	%	2011	18	12	17	16	1	yes
			2016	19.8	11.9	16.1	15.3		no
1.7a	Families headed by one parent (Females)	%	2016	83.4	79.9	78.9	82.2	1	no
1.7b	Families headed by one parent (Males)	%	2016	16.6	20.1	21.1	17.8	1	no
1.8	Babies & pre-schoolers (0-4)	%	2011	5.5	6.5	4.6	6.4	1	no
			2016	4.5	6.3	4.5	6.3		
1.9	Age at death_males	median	2009-12	78	77.5	79	79	13	no
			2017	78	78	79.5	80	57	no
1.10	Age at death_females	median	2009-12	83	85	84	84	13	no
			2017	86.5	85	85	85	57	no
2	Diversity								
2.1	Proportion of Indigenous population	%	2011	1.2	0.5	1.2	0.7	1	no
			2016	1.5	0.6	1.1	0.8		no
2.2	Migration stream	numbers	2010-15	<5	<5	<5	na	43	no
2.3	Humanitarians new settler arrivals	numbers	2010-15	83	386	119	na	43	no
		% of new settler arrivals	2014-15	0	0	0	9.3	7	yes
2.4	Not born in Australia	%	2011	8.5	12.9	10.8	26.2	1	no
			2016	18	20.2	20.4	35.1		no
2.5	New settler arrivals	rate/100,000 pop	2012	65	191	196	1415	7	no
			2014-15	55.5	64.9	5.5	682.5	51	yes
2.6	Population born in non-english speaking country	%	2011	3.1	5.5	4.5	20.9	1	no
2.7	Tolerance of diversity (yes, definitely)	%	2011	38	46.8	59	50.9	14	no
			2014	44.9	49.4	72.1	55.4	14	yes
3	Community connection								
3.1	Feels part of the community	%	2011	78.5	77	77	72	8	no
3.2	high or very high level of social isolation	%	2014	25.5	9.9	17.3*	17.3	14	yes
3.3	Lived more than 10yrs in current neighbourhood (town)	%	2011	65.6	66.8	65.6	58.6	14	no
			2014	62.5	62.8	65	56.2		yes
3.4	Feeling valued by society (yes definitely)	%	2011	55.8	52.4	62.6	53.6	14	yes
			2014	49.7	46.4	47.2	51.4	14	yes
3.5	People who agreed that most people could be trusted	%	2011	44.5	41.2	45.4	39	14	yes
			2014	38	48.8	50.8	38.2	14	yes
3.6	People can be trusted (agree)	%	2015	76.3	86.6	85.9	71.9	8	yes
3.7	Social support - get help from social sources	%	2011	90.6	93	94	92	8	no
3.8	Able to get help from neighbours (yes, definitely)	%	2011	60.9	58.7	59.8	54.4	14	no
			2014	54.5	56.2	71.7	51.2	14	yes
3.9	Able to get help from family (yes, definitely)	%	2014	70.8	81.9	86.4	81.6	14	yes
3.10	able to get help from friends (yes definitely)	%	2014	73.6	75.2	79.2	79.7	14	yes
3.11	People are willing to help each other (agree)	%	2015	80.2	90.6	89.2	74.1	8	yes
3.12	This is a close knit neighbourhood (agree)	%	2015	71	77.9	76.4	61	8	yes
3.13	Students who feel socially connected & get along with their peers (yr 5&6)	%	2015	59.2	70.8	71.6	69.4	29	yes
3.14	Students who feel socially connected & get along with their peers (Yr 7-9)	%	2015	37.3	56.2	58	54.6	29	no
3.15	Persons who share a meal with family at least 5 days per week	%	2011	70	78	77	66	8	yes
3.16	attended a support group meeting in the previous 2 years	%	2011	7.9	8.8	11.3	9.1	14	yes
3.17	Participation in art and cultural activities	%	2011	54	66	69	64	8	no
3.18	Membership of a sports group	%	2011	32.3	25.9	41.2	26.5	14	yes
			2014	30.8	23.6	25.6	25.7	14	yes
3.19	Membership of a school group	%	2011	17.9*	14.6	14.3	12.4	14	yes
			2014	9.5	19.4*	18.7*	13.7	14	yes
3.20	Membership of a other community/action group	%	2011	20.1	23.6	32.3	18.7	14	yes
			2014	27.9	32	29.4	19.4	14	yes
3.21	Attendance at a local community event within the past six months	%	2011	69	61.8	81.5	55.2	14	yes
			2014	66.9	68.7	85.4	58.7	14	yes
3.22	Rating of local neighbourhood for community and support groups (good or very good)	%	2011	76.7	58.8	73.7	61.2	14	yes
3.23	Rating of local neighbourhood for being an active community (good or very good)	%	2011	72.5	68.1	81.5	58.5	14	yes

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3.24	Rating of the local area for being a pleasant environment (good or very good)	%	2011	86.8	83.3	86	80.5	14	yes
3.25	Households with broadband internet	%	2011	53	76.6	65	72.4	1	yes
3.26	Household internet access	%	2011	80.1	89.7	87.3	88.2	14	no
			2016	68.1	86.8	79.1	83.7	1	
3.27	Social networking used to organise time with family/friends	%	2011	21	30	24	35	8	yes
3.28	Received help from volunteer-based organisation	%	2011	6.4	4.6	3.9	5	14	yes
3.29	Satisfaction with appearance of public spaces	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	69	69	72	41	no
3.30	Satisfaction with community and cultural activities	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	68	72	69	41	no
4	Consumer/Community Engagement								
4.1	Participation in citizen engagement in last year	%	2011	57	69	73	51	8	yes
4.2	People who feel they have a say on important issues (yes, definitely)	%	2011	46.9	39.4	53.7	40.1	14	yes
			2014	35.1	34.6	27.6	34.1	14	
4.3	Adults who had taken action on behalf of the community in the past 2 years	%	2011	40.9	31.2	42.9	25.7	14	yes
4.4	Membership of a decision-making board or committee	%	2011	18	19.4	27.2	17.8	14	yes
4.5	Adults who were actively involved with their children's school as a proportion of the total population	%	2011	85.9	86.8	84.6	85.6	14	yes
4.6	People who help out as volunteers	%	2011	25	24	34	18	1	yes
			2016	22.6	26	29.8	19.2	1	
4.7	Adults who volunteer (yes definitely)	%	2014	24	25	36.1	23.2	14	yes
4.8	Perception of community involvement	%	2011	72.5	68.8	81.5	58.5	14	yes
4.09	Importance rating of local government community consultation and engagement	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	73	79	74	41	no
4.10	Satisfaction with local government community consultation and engagement	index score (out of 100)	2015	59	52	52	56	41	no
4.11	Importance rating of local government informing the community	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	75	78	75	41	no
4.12	Satisfaction with local government informing the community	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	57	55	61	41	no
Economic & Social									
5	Crime								
5.1	Total offences	rate/1,000 pop	2013-14	76.1	37.9	57	72	36	no
			2014-15	94.0	49.4	59.3	82.6		
5.2	Drug usage & possession offences	rate/1,000	2012-13	9.6	4	9.9	5.8	36	yes
			2014-15	5.1	5	4.8	5.1		
5.3	People who feel safe walking alone in daytime	%	2011	100	99.5	99	97	8	yes
5.4	People who feel safe walking alone after dark	%	2011	81	90.4	83	70	8	yes
b	men who feel safe walking alone after dark	%	2011	91	97	90	75.3	37	yes
5.5	Perception of safety -walking alone during the day (agree)	%	2015	97.7	94.9	94.6	92.5	8	yes
5.6	Perception of safety -walking alone after dark (agree)	%	2015	61.6	70.4	70.3	55.1	8	yes
5.7	Reported sexual offences where women are the victim	rate/10,000	2014	16.8	6.93	6.25	6.4	37	yes
5.8	Reported sexual offences, where men are the victim	rate/10,000	2014	7.2	2.63	3.98			
5.9	Reported stalking, harassment and threatening behaviour, where women are the victims	rate/10,000	2014	8	4.54	5.12	6.1	37	yes
5.10	Reported stalking, harassment and threatening behaviour, where men are the victims	rate/10,000	2014	12	3.11	5.68			
5.11	Victimisation rates	rate/100,00	2015-16	5,719.2	2,640.9	4,629.6	5,315	44	no
5.12	Crime where the offender is a child or young person (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2014-15	27.6	22.7	16.3	24.4	29	no
5.13	Crime where the victim is a child or young person	rate/1,000	2014-15	18.6	4.6	5.2	9.6	29	no
6	Family Violence								
6.1	Police attend family incidents	rate/100,000 pop	2014-15	2,270.00	865.6	1,006.1	1,191.50	44	no
			2015-16	2,395.60	938.9	1,081.3	1,285.0		
a	% change from 2013/14 to 2014/15	%	2014-15	14.90	-7.6	-8.0	na	44	no
b	Saftey notice/intervention Violence Order issued	rate/100,000 pop	2014-15	733	244.1	179.5	349.5	44	no
			2015-16	840.6	280.9	212.4	378.0		
c	children present	rate/100,000 pop	2014-15	890.7	321.8	397	410.6	44	no
			2015-16	974.2	293.9	370	425.5		
d	charges laid	rate/100,000 pop	2014-15	898.6	350.7	500.3	490.7	44	no
			2015-16	1,186.3	386.8	544.7	511.5		
6.2	Prepared to intervene in a situation of domestic violence	%	2011	90.7	93.9	95.1	93.1	8	no
6.3	Maternal & Child Health: Referral for domestic violence	number	2014-15	2	2	0	na	38	no
6.4	Maternal & Child Health: Counselling for domestic violence	number	2014-15	0	11	2	na	38	no
6.5	Males earning \$1,000/week or more	%	2016		43.6	24.8	37	1	
	Females earning \$1,000/week or more	22.4			16.1	22			
6.6	Low gender equality score	%	2015	29.5	28.3	21	35.7	8	yes
7	Economic & employment								
7.1	Index of Relative Socio-economic disadvantage**	IRSD	2011	905	1055	983	1009.6	9	yes

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7.2	Unemployment (16-64yrs)	%	2017	10.2	2.8	5.7	4	54	no
7.3	18 years and over who had government support as their main source of income in the last 2 yrs	(ASR/100 pop)	2014	36	20.4	23.8	25.9	54	yes
7.4	Estimated number of people aged 18 years and over whose household could raise \$2,000 within a week (ASR/100 pop)	(ASR/100 pop)	2014	76.6	89	84.4	84.1	54	yes
7.5	Labour force participation (15-64yrs)	%	2011	62	75	67	72	1	no
7.6	Newstart recipients (21-64yrs 2011 or 22-64yrs 2016)	%	2011	4.1	2.8	5.4	4.2	30	yes
			2016	12.4	3.3	6.4	4.7	53	
7.8	Individuals with income less than \$400/week	%	2011	54	38	45	40	1	yes
7.9	Household income (weekly): median	\$	2011	685	1395	838	1,216	1	no
			2016	775	1,638	1,002	1,438	1	no
7.10	Household income (weekly) median_ indigenous	\$	2011	650	1,187	587	962	1	no
7.11	Household income (weekly) < \$650	%	2016	38.2	16.3	29.6	20.3	1	no
7.12	Household income (annual) <\$40,000	%	2014	29.4	16.6	22.4	18.7	14	yes
7.13	Total personal income: indigenous	\$/week	2011	280	363	342	390	1	no
7.14	Total personal income: non- indigenous	\$/week	2011	382	594	461	562	1	yes
7.15	Low income/welfare dependent families with children	% of all families	2012	14	6	10	9	13	yes
			2012-13	707	274	202	550	10	yes
7.16	Gaming machine losses per head of adults	dollars	2014-15	677	256	217	553	51	yes
			2012-13	707	274	202	550	10	yes
8	Food security and access								
8.1	Ran out of food in the previous 12 months and couldn't afford to buy anymore (yes)	%	2011	7.2	4	3.5	4.6	14	yes
			2011	25.5	14.7	22.6	21.3		yes
			2011-12	20.8	19.3	17.6	19.8		yes
			2011-12	7.9	7.8	6.3	9.3		yes
			2011-12	1.8	1.7	3	4.2		yes
			2011-12	7.1	5.8	4.9	5.8		yes
9	Housing & transport								
9.1	Homeless	rate/1,000 pop	2011	3.6	1.8	2.4	4	51	yes
9.2	Mortgage stress	%	2011	14	10	14	11	13	yes
			2016	12.6	7.8	12.2	10.2		
9.3	Mortgage repayments: median monthly	dollars	2016	975	1,733	1,300	1,728	1	no
9.4	Rental stress	%	2011	31	24	32	25	13	yes
			2016	36.1	28.8	36.8	27.2		no
9.5	Rent: median weekly	dollars	2016	195	328	250	325	1	no
9.6	Rental: affordable housing	%	2013	93.3	18.5	23.1	18.4	15	yes
			2015	97.5	17.3	42.1	19.1		
9.7	Housing affordability (rent/mortgage)	%	2011	13.8	16.2	15.9	20.4	1	
9.8	House prices (median)	dollars	2014	200,000	440,000	345,000	393,000	51	yes
9.9	Number of social housing	rate/1,000 pop	2011	284	305	240	17,692	16	yes
			2014	273	310	247	na	51	yes
9.10	Social housing	% of total dwellings	2014-15	4.4	1.9	2.9	3.9	51	yes
9.11	Dwellings with no motor vehicle	%	2011	8	3	6	9	1	no
			2016	6.8	2.5	4.9	8		no
9.12	Transport limitations	%	2011	26.4	23.4	28.1	23.7	8	yes
9.13	Often have difficulty or cannot get to places needed with transport, including housebound (18 and over)	ASR/100	2014	4.3	3.3	4	4.2	54	yes
9.14	Persons with at least 2 hour daily commute	%	2011	9	21	10	12	8	yes
9.15	Journeys to work which are by car	%	2013	69.4	68.4	64.2	66.2	51	yes
9.16	Journeys to work which are by public transport	%	2013	0.6	6.9	5.5	11.1	51	yes
10	Education								
10.1	Schools	number	2014	8	28	17	2238	5	no
10.2	Children with emotional or behavioural problems at school entry	%	2015	13.4	4.1	3.4	4.6	29	no
10.3	Children whose parents report one or more concerns with child speech or language on entry to primary school	%	2015	17.2	16	17.4	14.1	29	no
10.4	Proportion of children vulnerable on 2 or more domains (AEDC: 1st year of full time school)	%	2015	17.8	6.3	14.5	9.9	22	no
10.5	Children vulnerable on 1 or more domains (AEDC: 1st year of full time school)	%	2015	27.9	13.5	25.8	19.9	22	no
10.6	Children vulnerable on physical health & wellbeing (AEDC: 1st year of full time school)	%	2015	14.7	4.9	15.1	7.9	22	no
10.7	Children vulnerable on social competence (AEDC:1st year of full time school)	%	2015	16.3	6.2	11.9	8.7	22	no
10.8	Children vulnerable on emotional maturity (AEDC: School entry)	%	2015	15.5	5.2	9.4	8.0	22	no
10.9	Children vulnerable on language & cognitive skills (AEDC: 1st year of full time school)	%	2015	11.6	3.2	11.3	6.3	22	no

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10.10	Children vulnerable on communication skills & general knowledge (AEDC: 1st year of full time school)	%	2015	10.9	3.6	9.4	7.6	22	no
10.11	Average number of absence days per FTE Yr 9	number	2013	27	21.8	no data	21.5	29	
			2014	38.6	23.4	20.3	22.1		
10.12	Yr 9 students achieving minimum standards in numeracy	%	2014	92.5	96.6	94.2	94.8	29	no
			2015	93.6	94.1	96.8	95.6	29	no
10.13	Yr 9 students achieving minimum national standards in literacy	%	2014	91.6	93.3	89.4	93.3	29	no
			2015	85	91.2	93.5	93.5	29	no
10.14	Students that report feeling connected with their school (yr 5&6)	%	2011	79.9	87.9	84.3	84.7	29	no
			2015	82.5	85.2	86	84.8	29	no
10.15	Students that report feeling connected with their school (yr 7-9)	%	2011	50.5	49.1	44.2	60.5	29	no
			2015	46	64.3	63.3	62.3	29	no
10.16	Absent per FTE students for government secondary schools: year 11	average number of days	2014	35.9	21.6	24.1	17.5	29	no
10.17	Absent per FTE students for government secondary schools: year 12	average number of days	2014	32.9	14	19.5	15.1	29	yes
10.18	19 year olds who have attained year 12 or equivalent	%	2013	72.1	87.4	77.7	88.3	29	no
			2014	64	84.8	85.8	88.2		yes
10.19	Persons who completed a higher education qualification (cert III and higher)	%	2016	33.3	50.6	46.7	47.9	1	no
10.20	Bachelor or higher degree (excl. diploma & advanced diploma)	%	2011	2.44	19.1	18.7	20.8	19	no
			2016	7.4	22	22.4	24.3	1	
10.21	Early school leavers who are employed 6 months after leaving school	%	2012	13.3	18.8	na	15.6	29	no
10.22	population numbers of 15-19yr old	number	2011	787	3,043	1,049	na	1	no
10.23	15-19 yr old school leavers engaged full time (study/training/work)	%	2011	54.3	72.4	59.2	72	56	no
10.24	15-19 yr old school leavers disengaged (study/training/work)	%	2011	26.8	13.6	21.1	15	56	no
10.25	Parents are satisfied with the level of education their child receives from school	%	2014	85.3	84.3	84.8	86.6	29	no
Health & Wellbeing									
11	General health								
11.1	Subjective wellbeing	rating: 0-100 (ave)	2011	78.4	80.1	79	77.5	8	no
			2015	77.9	80.1	78.1	77.3	8	yes
11.2	Satisfaction with life as a whole	rating: 0-10 (ave)	2015	8	7.9	7.8	7.8	8	yes
11.3	Satisfaction with life	%	2014	93.4	94	93	92.4	14	yes
11.4	Persons reporting fair or poor health	%	2011	18	13	14	16	14	yes
			2014	23.5	13.7	26.6	20.3	14	yes
11.5	Females reporting fair or poor health	%	2011	15	13	9	16	14	yes
11.6	Males reporting fair or poor health	%	2011	22	14	18	16	14	yes
11.7	Female life expectancy	years	2007	82	85	84	84	26	yes
11.8	Male life expectancy	years	2007	76	80	79	80	26	yes
11.9	Persons sleeping less than 7 hours/day	%	2011	33	33	32	32	8	yes
11.10	Persons with adequate work-life balance	%	2011	45	54	39	53	8	no
11.11	Satisfaction with recreational facilities	index score (out of 100)	2015	na	70	71	72	41	
11.12	Median age at death (male)	years	2017	78	78	79.5			
	Median age at death (female)	years	2017	86.5	85	85			
12	Physical health conditions								
12.1	Persons reporting asthma	%	2011	10	11	16	11	14	yes
12.2	Persons reporting type 2 diabetes	%	2011	6	3	4	5	14	yes
			2014	10.2	4.1	5.4	5.3		yes
12.3	Persons reporting heart disease	%	2011	8	6	6	7	14	yes
			2014	8.2	5.9	6.7	7.2	14	yes
12.4	Persons reporting high blood pressure	%	2014	34.4	25.2	24.9	25.9	14	yes
12.5	Persons obese (>29kg/m2)	%	2011	25.5	18.2	17.2	17.3	14	yes
			2014	23.6	14.1	12.9	18.8	14	yes
12.6	Females obese	%	2011	21.8	17.2	11.8	17.2	14	yes
			2014	22.4	18.7	17.4	17.2		yes
12.7	Males obese	%	2011	28.1	18.8	21.4	17.4	14	yes
			2014	25	9.2	8.4	20.4		yes
12.8	Poor dental health (self rated)	%	2011	13.2	3.9	10.1	6	14	yes
12.9	Avoided or delayed visiting a dental professional due to cost (yes)	%	2011-12	32.8	38	42.1	29.8	14	no
12.10	Arthritis	%	2014	26.7	20.5	19.5	19.8	14	yes
12.11	Dementia Prevalence	%	2015	2.5	1.3	2.1	1.5	40	no
			est per 1,000 pop	2016	27.7	16.1	23.2	16.8	51
12.12	Cancer diagnosis	%	2014	6.3	9.3	7.2	7.4	14	yes

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12.13	Cancer incidence	rate/1,000 pop	2014	8.3	5.1	7.2	5.2	51	
12.14	Bowel Cancer: males 50-54yrs	%	2013	7.4	7.8	8.1	6.6	45	yes
12.15	Bowel Cancer: females 50-54yrs	%	2013	7.5	7.6	8.6	6.6	45	yes
12.16	Colorectal Cancer, premature mortality (0-74)	standardised ratio	2009-13	109	101	119	103	45	yes
12.17	Change in vision in previous 12 months	%	2014	45	51	35.2	38.9	14	yes
13	Mental health								
13.1	Persons with high/very high degree of psychological distress	%	2011	9	6.9	13	11.1	14	yes
			2014	20.3	13.5	17.2	12.6	14	yes
13.2	Resilience	range 0-8 (ave)	2015	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.4	8	no
13.3	Registered mental health clients	rate/1,000 pop	2012-13	18	9	16.0	11	27	yes
			2014-15	20.1	9.2	16.8	11.9	51	yes
			2015-16	20.7	8.4	15.7	11.4	52	
13.4	Est. population with mental & behavioural problem	rate/100 pop	2011-12	16	12	14	12.7	13	no
13.5	Rate of ambulance attendances	rate/100,000 pop (range)	2013 (jan-Dec)						yes
a	Suicide attempted-related			70-89	70-89	110-129	113	28	yes
b	Suicide ideation-related			60-89	90-119	150-199	127	28	yes
c	Suicide injury related			0-5	40-49	0-5	40	28	yes
d	Anxiety related			250-299	200-249	150-199	265	28	yes
e	Depression-related			90-109	70-89	110-129	104	28	yes
f	Psychosis-related			60-79	20-39	80-99	70	28	no
13.6	Emergency department presentations classified as intentional self harm	rate/100 pop	2010-11	0.07	0.05	0.04	0.11	39	no
13.7	Avoidable deaths at 0-74yrs: Suicide & self-inflicted injuries	average annual rate/100,000	2003-07	14.5	16.1	20.4	11	39	no
13.8	Suicide death rates: average age-sex-standardised	rate/100,000	2001-06	na	14.4	24.1	na	42	no
13.9	Suicide death rates: average age-sex-standardised	rate/100,000	2007-12	na	13.5	14.5	na	42	yes
13.10	Lifetime prevalence of depression and anxiety	%	2011	22.2	20.3	24.3	20	14	yes
			2014	33.7	19.6	39.9	24.2	14	yes
13.11	Sought professional help for a mental health related problem	%	2011	8.6	11.6	19.2	12.4	14	yes
			2014	28.2	21.1	24.8	16	14	yes
13.12	Preparation of Mental Health Plans by GPs	ASR/100,000	2009/10	7,712	12,090	9,581	10,085	13	yes
13.13	Adolescents who report being bullied recently	%	2013	26	19	20	18	20	no
13.14	Report being bullied (yr 7-9)	%	2015	23.9	19.3	15.7	18	29	yes
13.15	Psychiatric hospitalisation rate for adolescents (10-17yrs)	rate/1,000	2009-10	4.4	2.6	8.4	6.7	2	
13.16	The biggest concern raised by young people aged 5-25 calling Kids Help Line		2014-16	Dating & partner relationships	Mental health concerns	Suicide-related concerns	Mental health concerns	47	
14	Health behaviours								
14.1	Persons 18+ current smokers	%	2011	15.1	15.3	16.5	16	14	yes
			2014	20.8	8	10.6	13.1	14	yes
Alcohol & Other Drugs									
14.2	Alcohol culture - getting drunk (to the point of losing balance) every now and then is OK (agree)	%	2015	21.4	29.3	26.1	27.9	8	yes
14.3	Short term risk or high risk of alcohol related harm (males >11, females >7 standard drinks)	%	2011	45	55	54	45	14	yes
14.4	At risk of short-term harm each month	%	2015	25.2	31.4	23.9	29.4	8	yes
14.5	At very high risk of short-term harm each month	%	2015	n/a	n/a	n/a	9.2	8	yes
14.6	At risk of alcohol-related injury on a single occasion (>4 standard drinks)	%	2014	45.3	44.3	43.2	42.5	14	no
14.7	Long term risk or high risk of alcohol related harm (males >7/day, females >5/day)	%	2011	2.3	2.1	8.3	3.4	14	yes
14.8	Increased lifetime risk of alcohol-related harm (>2/day)	%	2014	59.7	59.3	55.3	59.2	14	no
14.9	Drug and alcohol clients	rate/1,000 pop	2012-13	10	4	10	6	27	yes
14.10	Alcohol related ambulance attendance rate (male)	rate/10,000 pop	2013-14	60.5	21.9	42	44.3	46	
			2014-15	43.1	20.4	47.4	47.4	48	
14.11	Alcohol related ambulance attendance rate (female)	rate/10,000 pop	2013-14	26.9	18.4	20.1	24.7	46	
			2014-15	28.4	16.4	27.7	26.7	48	
14.12	Any illicit drugs ambulance attendance rate	rate/10,000 pop	2013-14	6.3	2.5	4.4	12.2	48	
			2014-15	4	4.9	11	15.5	48	
Diet									
14.13	Persons who do NOT meet Fruit & Veg consumption guidelines	%	2011	66	53	38	51	14	yes
			2014	59.4	59.3	52.4	48.6	14	yes
14.14	Females who do NOT meet Fruit & Veg consumption guidelines	%	2014	50.3	49.6	53.6	43.4	51	yes
14.15	Males who do NOT meet Fruit & Veg consumption guidelines	%	2014	68.3	71.6	51.4	54	51	yes
14.16	Persons who meet fruit consumption guidelines (2 serves)	%	2011	27.3	27.2	31.1	28.1	14	
14.17	Persons who meet fruit consumption guidelines (2 or more serves)	%	2014	35.4	37.4	42.4	14.8	14	yes
14.18	Number of serves of fruit per day	average	2015	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.6	8	yes
14.19	Persons who meet vegetable consumption guidelines (5 or more serves)	%	2011	5.8	9.9	16	7.1	14	
			2014	10.5	10.4	15.1	7.4	14	yes

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14.20	Number of serves of vegetables per day	average	2015	2.3	2.5	2.6	2.2	8	yes
14.21	Adults who eat take-away 1-3 times/week	%	2014	5.5	5.5	7.9	9.9	14	
14.22	Eats take-away meals/snacks at least 3 times/week	%	2015	n/a	n/a	n/a	10.2	8	yes
14.23	No water consumed/day	%	2015	n/a	n/a	n/a	3.1	8	yes
14.24	number of cups of water consumed/day	average	2015	5	5.1	4.8	5.4	8	yes
14.25	Daily water consumption	litres/day	2011	1.12	1.25	1.16	1.25	14	yes
14.26	Persons who drink soft drink every day	%	2011	21	16	26	16	14	yes
			2014	21	11	12.1	11.2	14	yes
Physical Activity									
14.27	Persons who do <i>not</i> meet physical activity guidelines	%	2011	30	33	23	32	14	yes
			2014	52	53.3	61.3	54	51	
14.28	Females who do not meet physical activity guidelines	%	2014	48.8	41.2	64	56.1	51	yes
14.29	Males who do not meet physical activity guidelines	%	2014	53.7	64.9	58.2	52	51	yes
14.30	Sedentary behaviour (no physical activity & no muscle strengthening sessions)	%	2014	2.5	2.7	2	3.6	14	
14.31	Persons who sit for at least 7 hrs/day	%	2011	21	24	23	33	8	yes
14.32	Days walked for transport longer than 10min, in proceeding week 4 or more days/week	%	2014	13.8	19.5	25.6	18.1	14	no
14.33	0 days/week	%	2015	26.9	17.7	18.7	18.9	8	yes
14.34	4 or more days/week	%	2015	40.5	34.7	37.4	41.3	8	yes
14.35	Participation in any organised physical activity	%	2015	23.4	25.8	23.6	28.7	8	yes
14.36	Organised by a fitness, leisure or indoor sports centre	%	2015	n/a	n/a	4.4	9.2	8	yes
14.37	Organised by a sports club or association	%	2015	11.6	n/a	n/a	9.8	8	yes
14.38	Participation in any non-organised physical activity	%	2015	64.7	69.3	72.3	70.5	8	yes
14.39	Activity type: walking	%	2015	59.3	51.6	60.9	51.2	8	yes
14.40	Activity type: jogging/running	%	2015	n/a	11.8	n/a	14	8	yes
14.41	Activity type: cycling	%	2015	n/a	10.2	15	11.8	8	yes
14.42	Prodominately sitting at work among those employed	%	2014	22.6	33.7	50.9	49.6	14	yes
14.43	Time spent sitting on usual work day (Base: those aged 18-64yrs)	%	2015	2.28	4:34	3:14	4:29	8	yes
14.44	Sitting greater than 8 hours on a weekend day	%	2014	14.1	3.7	8.2	10.4	14	no
14.45	Persons who visit a green space at least once per week	%	2011	14	14	50	51	8	no
15	Health screening								
15.1	Breast cancer screening participation (50-69yrs)	%	2010-12	52	59	56	55	17	yes
15.2	Breast cancer screening participation (50-74yrs)	%	2013-15	51.3	59.7	51.8	52	51	yes
15.3	Mammogram in previous 2 yrs (women 50-74)	%	2014	64.4	75.5	70.1	73	14	yes
15.4	Cervical cancer screening participation (20-69yrs)	%	2010-11	51	67	72	60	13	yes
			2013-14	55.2	69.5	76.3	61.5	51	yes
15.5	Bowel cancer screening participation (invited persons 50, 55 and 65)	%	2012	39	40	41	37	13	yes
			2013-14	39.8	39.6	43.1	37.6	51	yes
15.6	Examination for bowel cancer in previous 5 years (50+)	%	2014	52.2	55.1	44	46.1	14	yes
15.7	Blood pressure checked in previous 2 years	%	2014	80.7	72.5	62.4	79.9	14	yes
15.8	Cholesterol check in previous 2 years	%	2014	52.4	55.8	43.8	59.5	14	yes
15.9	Blood sugar or diabetes check in previous 2 years	%	2014	56.3	14.2	38.7	53.1	14	yes
15.10	Pap smear in previous 2 years	%	2014	70.3	77.5	73.1	72.1	14	yes
16	Children & young person								
16.1	Proportion of low birthweight babies <2500g	%	2009-11	7.6	4.6	2.2	6.6	13	yes
16.2	Smoking during pregnancy	%	2009-11	25.4	9.6	22.2	11.4	13	yes
16.3	Mother's Index	LGA ranking	2016	79	22	46	NA		
16.4	Breastfeeding fully at 3 months	%	2014-15	40.7	60.9	64.1	51.8	29	no
16.5	Children fully immunised at 1yr (12-15months)	%	2014	92.2	89.9	84.6	90.8	13	yes
			2017	95.7	95.6	92	94.2	54	
16.6	Children fully immunised at 2yr (24-27 months)	%	2014	94.4	88	86.1	91.6	13	yes
			2015	96.4	84.6	78.8	90.5	51	yes
			2017	91.1	90.4	86.1	90.9	54	
16.7	Notifications of Pertussis	rate/100,000	2015	47.6	154.3	105	80.9	51	yes
16.8	Maternal child health assessments (3.5 year visit)	%	2014-15	85.5	82	90.8	66.1	38	no
16.9	M&CH nurse referring for developmental issues	number	2013-14	9	36	15			
			2014-15	7	26	22	na	38	no
16.10	Kindergarten participation rate	%	2013	97.8	104.9	111.9	98.2	29	yes
			2014-15	85.2	90.3	111.6	98.1	51	yes
16.11	Proportion of children with high levels of family stress	%	2014	10.5	12.6	11.9	11	29	no
16.12	Substantiated child abuse (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2010-11	15.5	2.7	8	6.7	29	yes
16.13	Child protection Orders (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2010	15.1	2.9	5.8	5.4	29	yes
16.14	Out of home care (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2012	15.5	4.7	4	5	23	no
16.15	Child protection investigations completed (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2014-15	57	11.9	22.3	19.4	51	yes
16.16	Child protection substantiations (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2014-15	20.9	4	9.3	11.4	51	yes
16.17	Child First assessments (0-17yrs)	rate/1,000 pop	2014-15	26.4	7.6	11.6	10.1	51	yes
16.18	Rate of live births to women 15-19yrs	rate/1,000 pop	2012	36.9	5.2	13.9	10.4	29	no
16.19	Parenting payments (single)	%	2011	2.7	1.5	2	1.8	30	
			2016	207	283	156	54,572	53	

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16.20	Teenage fertility (women under 19yrs)	rate/1,000 live births	2012	36.9	5.2	13.9	10.4	51	yes
16.21	Volunteer (15-19yrs)	% of people 15-19yrs	2011	19.9	18.6	22.7	15.6	1	no
	Volunteer (15-19yrs)		2016	21.4	22	23	19.8	1	no
	a Volunteer (15-19yrs)- female		2016	20.6	23.8	24	22.1	1	no
	b Volunteer (15-19yrs)- male		2016	21.7	20.2	21.5	17.6	1	no
17	Disability								
17.1	People who need assistance with core tasks	%	2011	9	3.8	5	4.8	1	yes
17.2	People with severe & profound disability living in the community (all ages)	%	2011	7	3	5	4	13	yes
			2016	7.9	3.7	5.1	4.6		yes
17.3	People with severe & profound disability living in the community (aged 0- 65)	%	2011	5.4	2.1	3	2.3	13	yes
			2016	6.1	2.5	3.1	2.8		
17.4	People with severe & profound disability living in the community (aged 65 and over)	%	2011	13	10	11	14	13	yes
			2016	12.3	9.9	11.4	14.9		
17.5	Unpaid assistance to person with a disability	number	2011	1,407	4,034	1,957	490,096	1	yes
			2016	1,493	4,557	2,064	na		no
17.6	Disability support pension recipients	% persons aged 16-64 years	2017	16.2	4.1	8.6	4.9	54	no
			2017	1,170	1,179	983	na	54	
17.7	Health care card holders (16-65yrs)	%	2011	15.1	6.2	9.7	7.6	54	
18	Aged								
18.1	People aged 75+ who live alone	%	2011	40	34	40	36	1	no
a	proportion who are female	%	2011	68	73	72	74	1	no
b	proportion who are male	%	2011	32	27	28	26	1	yes
18.2	Aged care places (high care)	rate/1,000 eligib	2013	27	49	41	41	25	yes
18.3	Aged care places (low care)	rate/1,000 eligib	2013	58	14	40	44	25	yes
18.4	Aged care residential places (high & low)	number	2015	193	362	208	51,131	51	no
18.5	Recipients of Age pension	% persons aged 65yrs and over	2016	82.7	56.7	66.1	63.2	54	yes
18.6	HACC clients aged 75 and over	rate/1,000 eligib	2012-13	458	568.1	585.8	407.9	34	
19	Injury & mortality								
19.1	Unintentional injuries treated in hospital	rate/1,000 pop	2013	31.6	38.1	44.7	59.1	31	yes
			2014-15	38.5	43.5		61	51	yes
19.2	Intentional injuries treated in hospital	rate/1,000 pop	2013	1.7	2.1	2	3.1	31	yes
			2014-15	3.2	1.5		3	51	yes
19.3	Unintentional injuries due to falls	%	2013	40.2	36.7	30.7	37.3	31	yes
			2014-15	38.4	35.3	38.4	38.7	51	yes
19.4	Indirect standardised death rate	rate/1,000 pop	2013	7.9	5.6	5.8	5.6	31	yes
			2014	7.2	5.5	5.5	5.3	51	yes
19.5	Avoidable deaths 0-74yrs due to cancer	rate/100,000 pop	2013	61.2	57.8	46.8	61.4	31	yes
19.6	Avoidable deaths 0-74yrs due to cardiovascular diseases	rate/100,000 pop	2013	75.5	38	45.6	39.8	31	yes
19.7	Avoidable deaths 0-74yrs due to respiratory diseases	rate/100,000 pop	2013	19.7	5.7	15	8.4	31	yes
Service System									
20	Services & access								
20.1	People believe there are good facilities and services	%	2011	84.4	68.8	78.4	84.1	11	no
20.2	Families accessing Family & Community Support services	number	2012/13	107	121	81	na	27	yes
20.3	Access to community services and resources when needed	%	2011	90.3	85.1	92.1	84.9	14	yes
20.4	Last GP visit was 12 months or more ago	%	2014	10.3	10.5	18.9	10.4	14	yes
20.5	General practitioners	rate/1,000 pop	2012	0.9	1.4	1.5	1.2	3	yes
			2014	0.9	1.3	1.5	1.2	51	yes
20.6	GP clinics	rate/1,000 pop	2012	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.5	4	yes
			2015	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	51	yes
20.7	Dental Service sites	rate/1,000 pop	2012	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	4	yes
			2015	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.3	51	yes
20.8	Allied Health service sites	rate/1,000 pop	2012	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	4	yes
			2015	0.8	0.9	1.2	0.9	51	yes
20.9	Pharmacies	rate/1,000 pop	2012	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	4	yes
			2015	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	51	yes
20.10	population near to public transport	%	2012	48	14	27	74.2	6	yes
			2015	45.4	14.3	24.8	73.9	51	yes
21	Hospital utilisation								
21.1	hospital inpatient separations	rate/1,000 pop	2012-13	570.1	371.4	442.5	419.8	33	yes
			2014-15	644.8	397.3	439.3	441.6	51	yes
21.2	average length of stay, public hospital inpatients	days	2012-13	3	2.9	3.6	2.9	33	yes
			2014-15	2.8	3.1	3.6	3	51	yes
21.3	population with health insurance	%	2007-08	28.9	51.8	36	48	13	yes
21.4	emergency department presentations	rate/1,000 pop	2012-13	87.1	135.4	124.1	258.8	33	no

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21.4	Emergency department presentations	rate/1,000 pop	2014-15	112.7	150.6	136.7	263	51	yes
21.5	adolescents: hospital rates for injury & poisoning	rate/1,000 adol	2008-09	8	11.5	8.9	8.4	2	
22	Other service utilisation								no
22.1	GP attendances - total	rate/1000 pop	2013-14	6,356.7	5,886.8	5,249.1	5,889.0	51	
22.2	Consulted a GP	% of pop	2013-14	94.0	93.4	90.1	90.1	51	
22.3	GP attendances - female	rate/1000 pop	2013-14	7,068.0	6,686.4	6,056.3	6,740.9	51	
22.4	GP attendances - male	rate/1000 pop	2013-14	5,634.9	5,068.8	4,445.6	5,019.2	51	
22.5	GP attendance bulk billed	%	2013-14	85.8	73.6	79.9	82.8	51	
22.6	Practice nurse service under the MBS	ASR/100,000	2009-10	40,911.0	14,845.0	39,217	27,842	13	no
22.7	drug & alcohol clients	rate/1,000 pop	2012-13	9.6	4	9.9	5.8	35	
			2014-15	8.6	3.23	6.5	5	51	

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