

Arbury & Stockingford

Arbury & Stockingford are characterised predominantly by a population of mainly young and middle aged individuals. 91.1% of the population is below the age of 70. The population below the age of 70 is fairly evenly distributed across the age groups. The locality has a population density of 13.4 persons per hectare, which is low for the part of the county in which the locality is located, although much of the area is rural. The proportion of the population who are of a non-White UK ethnicity is lower, at 8.0%, than the Warwickshire average.

The majority of the households in this locality are terraced homes, making up 36.7%, which is higher than the proportion of terraced homes in Warwickshire. The proportion of homes which are semi-detached is similar to the proportion of homes across Warwickshire which are semi-detached. The proportion of detached homes in this locality is lower than the proportion across Warwickshire. The proportion of homes which are owned outright or mortgaged is lower, at 67.7%, than the Warwickshire average, 70.0%. The proportions of homes that are rented from the local authority and rented privately are higher than their respective proportions at the county level. The average number of bedrooms is lower in the local area on average, 2.76, than across Warwickshire. The proportions of the population living in deprivation and of child poverty are both higher than the averages at a county and national level. Similarly, the percentage of older people living in deprivation was higher, at 22.2%, than both the county and national level figures.

The percentage of pupils achieving 5 or more A* - Cs in their GCSEs was lower, at 48.6%, than the county and national level figures. The proportion of the population who are unemployed is also higher, at 4.5%, than both the county and national level figures. The long term unemployment rate is also higher than the county and national level figures, at 7.1 per 1000 working age population.

Around 6.3% of the population reported to be in bad or very bad health, which is higher than the county and national level figures. The proportion of the population in the local area that provide at least one hour of unpaid care per week is similar to the proportion across Warwickshire. The proportion of the local population that provide at least 50 hours per week of unpaid care is slightly higher, at 2.9%, than the Warwickshire and national figures. The proportion of the population which eats healthily is lower in this locality than the county average and the national average. The proportion of the local population which is obese is also higher, at 31.6%, than the county and national figures.

Standardised ratios compare the actual rate with the expected rate, adjusting for age and sex. The standardised ratios have been calculated with the England value as the reference value, therefore it is inappropriate to directly compare the locality figures with the Warwickshire figures. The standardised admission ratio (SAR) for all causes of emergency admission is slightly low, at 92.8. However, the disease specific SARs for stroke, heart attacks and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) are slightly higher than the national figures. The SAR for self-harm suggests admissions for self-harm were higher than expected. The SARs for alcohol related harm, elective hip replacement and elective knee replacements are also slightly high. The standardised incidence ratios (SIR) for all cancer, breast cancer, colorectal cancer and lung cancer in this locality are higher than the national figures. All but one of the standardised mortality ratios (SMR) for all causes of mortality and premature mortality are higher than the national level figures. The only SMR to be lower than the national figure is for coronary heart disease (CHD), which is 90.3, suggesting there was less than expected mortality attributed to CHD.

The most important factors identified by local residents in making an area a good place to live, and the elements most in need of improvement are typical of the Warwickshire-wide response. The biggest issue in the local area was identified as being rubbish or litter lying around.

Overall, 75% of the population of Arbury and Stockingford is satisfied with the locality as a place to live.