

## Statistical Summary

### Carlisle

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Carlisle has a population of 108,500; an increase of 1.4% over the last decade. 17.7% of the population are aged 0-15 years (lower than the national average of 19.2%), while 22.2% of the population are aged over 65 years (higher than the national average of 18.5%). Over the next decade the population of Carlisle is projected to increase by 0.5% (England +5%), while the district's age profile is projected to become older; with numbers of 0-15 and 16-64 year olds projected to decrease by 8.1% and 4.2% respectively (England -1.6% and +2.7%) as numbers of people aged 65+ are projected to increase by 20.7% (England + 19.6%).

There are 61,000 jobs at workplaces in Carlisle. Public administration, education and health accounts for the greatest proportion (26.2%). Wholesale and retail accounts for a further 18% followed by manufacturing (9.8%). Average annual earnings (full time) at workplaces in Carlisle are estimated to be £29,300, while average annual earnings for residents in the district are £29,200; both below the national average of £31,800. The overall level of unemployment is below the national average (Carlisle = 4.5%, GB = 5.5%). Unemployment amongst young adults (aged 18-24) is also below the national average (Carlisle = 6.7%, GB = 7.2%). 35.2% of residents in Carlisle are estimated to be qualified to level 4 or higher, below the national average (43.1%); this is in part due to the occupational profile of employed residents in the district.

Public Health England (PHE) report that average life expectancy in Carlisle is 78.4 years for males and 82.9 years for females; with male life expectancy significantly lower than the national average. The district also has significantly worse rates than the national average in relation to: mortality from all causes; mortality from cardiovascular diseases; mortality from cancer; killed and seriously injured (KSI) road casualties; hip fractures in people aged 65+; admission episodes for alcohol-related conditions; maternal smoking status at time of delivery; and breastfeeding initiation. However, the district performs significantly better than the national average in relation to hospital admissions for violence and TB incidence.

18.9% of children in Carlisle live in relative low income families. While this is similar to the national average (19.1%), there are some wards in the district where levels of child poverty are much higher than the national average; with the proportion of children in relative low income families in Botcherby & Harraby North ward 1.4 times the national average (26.6%). 4 communities (LSOAs) in Carlisle fall within the 10% most deprived areas in England; these communities are located within: Belle Vue; Upperby; Morton; and Botcherby. Generally, in these deprived areas unemployment and crime rates are high, while household incomes and educational attainment are low and health outcomes can be poor. Inversely, Carlisle has 5 LSOAs that are classified as being in the 10% least deprived of LSOAs nationally, these LSOAs are located in Wetheral, Stanwix Urban and Stanwix Rural.

A map plotting deprivation across the district can be found here:  
<https://www.cumbriaobservatory.org.uk/deprivation/map/>

A PHE local authority profile is provided for the district on the following page.

## Compared with England

● Better 95% ● Similar ● Worse 95% ○ Not applicable

Quintiles: Best ● ● ● ● Worst ○ Not applicable

\* a note is attached to the value, hover over to see more details

Recent trends: — Could not be calculated ➡ No significant change ↑ Increasing & getting worse ↑ Increasing & getting better ⬇ Decreasing & getting worse ⬇ Decreasing & getting better ↑ Increasing ⬇ Decreasing

Benchmark Value  
Worst/Lowest 25th Percentile 75th Percentile Best/Highest

