

# Highfields

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### Government

Electoral Wards: Great North Road and Adwick  
Parliamentary Constituency: Doncaster North  
Member of Parliament: Ed Miliband

### Community Development

Neighbourhood Management Area: Greater Adwick  
Community Forum: North

### Schools

Highfields falls within the catchment area of North Doncaster College  
The primary school attended by most children in Highfields is:  
Highfields Primary School

(note: this information is approximate and varies from year to year)

### Sure Start / New Deal for Communities Projects

Highfields is included in the Bentley Central & Adwick Sure Start Project

### Health Visitors

Highfields is covered by the Woodlands team

### Nearest Young Peoples / Sexual Health Clinics

Choices at Tom Hill Youth Centre, Wadworth Street, Denaby Main  
Dearne Choices, Mexborough Youth Club, New Oxford Road, Mexborough

### GP Practices

The practices listed below serve at least 10% of Highfields's resident population:  
Dr A Anim-Addo & Partners, Bentley Health Centre, Askern Road, Bentley  
Dr SR Inman & Partners, Princess Medical Centre, Princess Street, Woodlands

### Public Health Intelligence Unit

The Doncaster Public Health Intelligence Unit provides analytical support to the public health directorates in Doncaster Central, Doncaster East, and Doncaster West Primary Care Trusts

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See the PHIU Website for the Interactive Community Database

[www.doncasterhealth.co.uk/phiu/communities](http://www.doncasterhealth.co.uk/phiu/communities)

# Doncaster Community Profiles, 2004

## Highfields

This profile of the health of the population of Highfields presents a range of indicators of health and the determinants of health. This is the first time that this information has been collected together for the 88 communities in Doncaster. It is hoped that these profiles, which are being published as part of the Doncaster Directors of Public Health 2004 Report, will be used to monitor local services.

Additional resources are available at: [www.doncasterhealth.co.uk/phiu/communities](http://www.doncasterhealth.co.uk/phiu/communities)

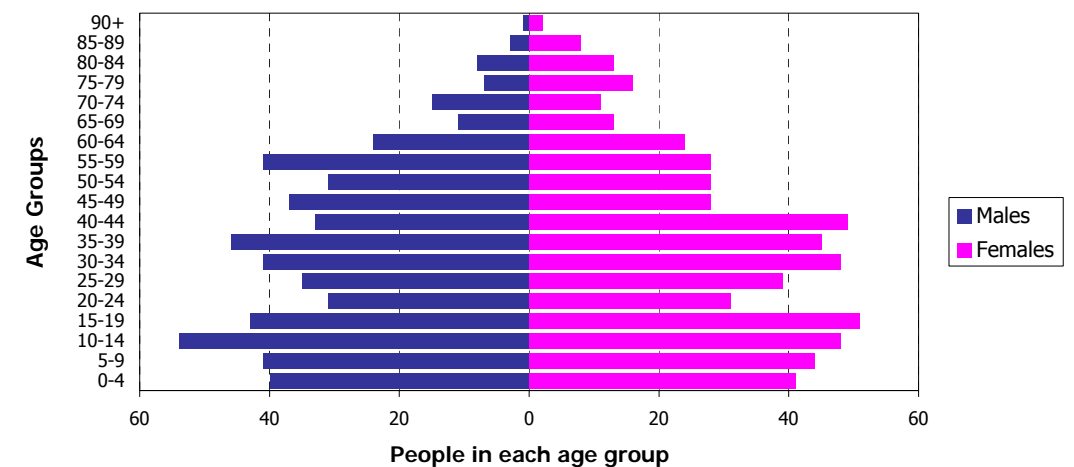


### Population and Demography

	Highfields	Doncaster
Total Population	1,113	286,862
Geographical Area	6.5km <sup>2</sup>	567km <sup>2</sup>
Population Density	172 people per km <sup>2</sup>	506 people per km <sup>2</sup>

	Highfields		Doncaster	
<b>Age Distribution</b>				
Age-band 0-4	81 (7.3%)	5.9%		
Age-band 5-14	187 (16.8%)	13.6%		
Age-band 15-64	735 (66.0%)	64.1%		
Age-band 65-74	51 (4.6%)	9.1%		
Age-band 75+	59 (5.3%)	7.3%		
<b>Ethnicity</b>				
White	1,133 (99.4%)	97.7%		
Mixed	7 (0.6%)	0.6%		
Asian/Asian British	0 (0.0%)	1.1%		
Black/Black British	0 (0.0%)	0.4%		
Chinese/Other	0 (0.0%)	0.3%		

### Highfields Population Pyramid



## Deaths and Life Expectancy

	Highfields	Doncaster
Male Life Expectancy at birth	74.4 (71.3, 79.2) 😞	74.5
Female Life Expectancy at birth	insufficient data for calculation	79.2
Across all ages there were 43 deaths of Highfields residents in 1998-2002. Of these it is estimated that 12 (29%) were caused by smoking.		
All Cause Mortality Rate	483.3 (292.7, 749.9) 😞	406.5
All Cancers	<5 deaths	143.2
Colorectal Cancer	<5 deaths	13.9
Lung Cancer	<5 deaths	39.1
Breast Cancer (females)	<5 deaths	24.9
Circulatory Disease	268.1 (131.8, 483.0) 😞	132.7
CHD	242.1 (114.0, 448.6) 😞 ●	87.4
Stroke	<5 deaths	22.8
Chronic Lung Disease	<5 deaths	22.9
Accidents (all ages)	<5 deaths	15.6

Death rates per 100,000 resident population per year, 1998–2002, directly standardised for age and sex with 95% confidence intervals (in brackets). Ages under 75 unless stated. 😊 ● and 😞 ● indicate, respectively, significantly lower and higher death rates than Doncaster average (p<0.05) and 😞 not significantly different from the average. ●●● or ●●●● indicate extremely high or low values (p<0.002). Where there are fewer than 5 deaths the number is not shown. Source: ONS Annual Death Extracts and 2001 Census populations.

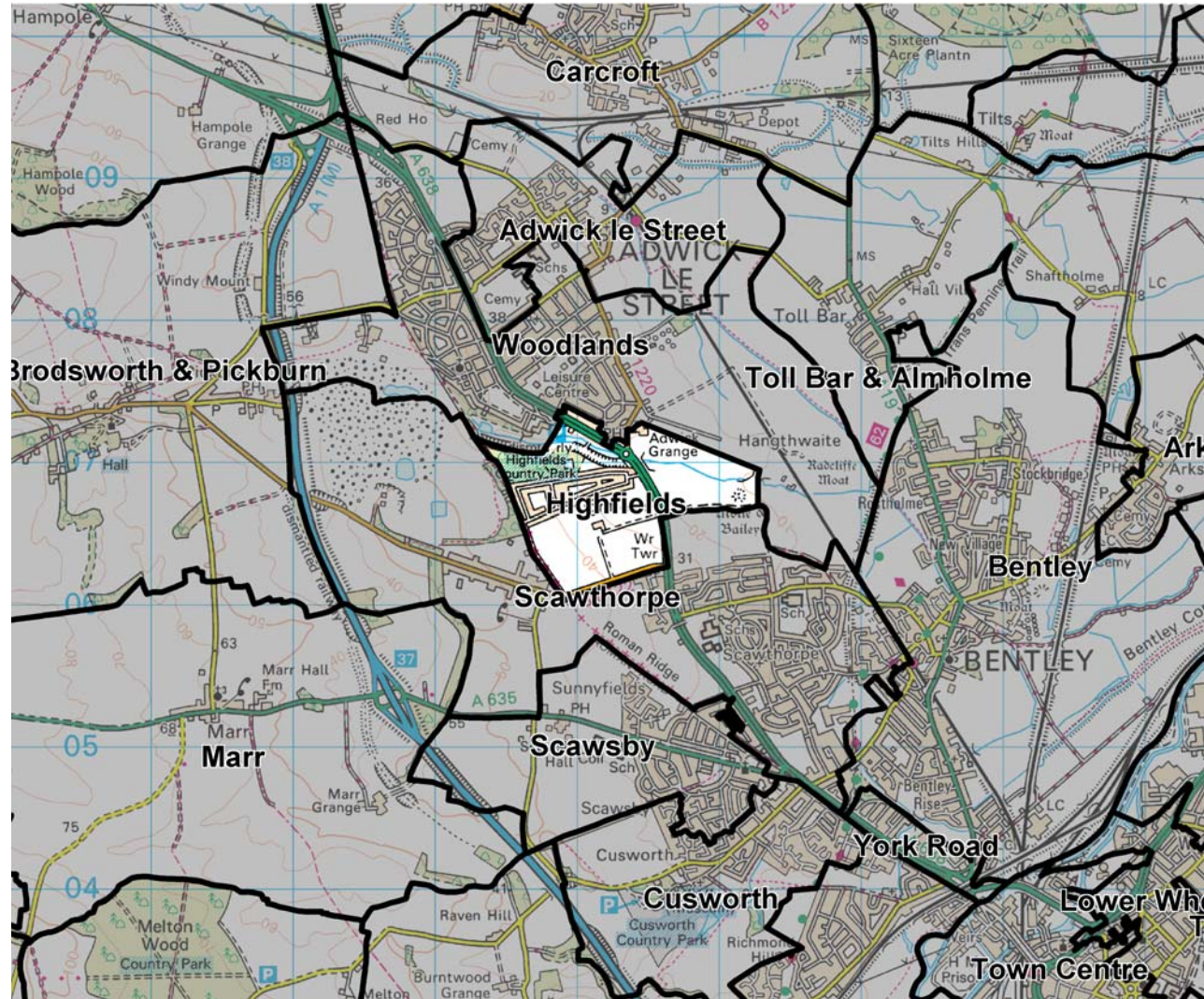
## Cancer Incidence Rates

	Highfields	Doncaster
All Cancers	441.5 (259.4, 700.9) 😞	386.6
Colorectal Cancer	<5 cases	47.7
Lung Cancer	141.6 (45.0, 332.5) 😞	65.1
Breast Cancer (females)	<5 cases	119.0
Prostate Cancer (males)	<5 cases	60.7
Skin Cancer	193.2 (83.6, 374.8) 😞	98.0

Cancer registration rates per 100,000 resident population per year, 1998–2002, directly standardised for age and sex with 95% confidence intervals (in brackets), for all ages. Symbols indicate significance as described for death rates above. Where there are fewer than 5 deaths the number is not shown. Source: Trent Cancer Registry registration data and 2001 Census populations.

## Cancer Screening

	Highfields	Doncaster
Cervical Cytology (Feb 2004)	77.0% (71.3%, 82.0%) 😞 ●	82.4%
Breast Screening (Mar 2004)	Not available at community level West PCT: 81.4%	82.4%



Map of Highfields Community Boundary

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## Population Health Indicators

	Number	% +/- average	Relative to Doncaster
People with limiting long-term illness	288	+ 46%	😞 ●●●
People with 'not good' general health	156	+ 51%	😞 ●●●

The percentages above/below average show comparisons with the Doncaster average. A positive score indicates that there are proportionately more people in Highfields with limiting long-term illness/disability or 'not good' health than expected. The comparative percentages have been standardised to take account of the age of the local population.

## General Deprivation Indicators

	Highfields
Classification of Household Deprivation	42.2% deprived, ranked 3 of the 88 Doncaster Communities <b>Quintile 1 (most deprived quintile)</b>

Source: Census 2001 Table UV067

2004 Indices of Deprivation	Doncaster rank	Quintile ranking
Overall Deprivation Score	3 of 88	Quintile 1
Barriers to Housing & Services Domain	34 of 88	Quintile 1
Crime Domain	3 of 88	Quintile 1
Education, Skills & Training Domain	2 of 88	Quintile 1
Employment Domain	3 of 88	Quintile 1
Health & Disability Domain	6 of 88	Quintile 1
Income Domain	2 of 88	Quintile 1
Living Environment Domain	9 of 88	Quintile 1

In all the above domains, rank 1 is the most deprived community in Doncaster and quintile 1 contains the most deprived 20% of the population of Doncaster. Source: DETR Indices of Deprivation 2004

## Socio-economic Indicators

	Number	% +/- average	Relative to Doncaster
Children in households with no earner	142	+ 94%	😞 ●●●
Lone parents	242	+ 95%	😞 ●●●
Carers (providing unpaid care)	116	+ 3%	😞
People with no qualifications	411	+ 53%	😞 ●●●
People working over 48 hours a week	49	- 9%	😞
People not employed	302	+ 56%	😞 ●●●
People in low social grades	434	+ 72%	😞 ●●●
Households with no car	159	+ 27%	😞 ●
Overcrowded households	29	+ 75%	😞 ●
Households without central heating	32	+ 20%	😞
Vacant properties	<5 cases		

	Highfields	Doncaster
Housing Tenure		
Owned (including mortgaged)	43.1%	72.1%
Social rented (Council, housing assoc., etc)	45.2%	19.8%
Private rented	7.3%	5.7%
Living rent-free	4.4%	2.3%

The percentages above/below average show comparisons with the Doncaster average. A positive score indicates that there are proportionately more people or households in Highfields meeting the criteria than expected. The car ownership figure is standardised to take account of household composition and the qualifications figure is standardised for age. Housing tenure figures are percentages of population according to tenure of their household. Source: 2001 Census (except for Vacant properties - calculated by Rotherham MBC from Council Tax data).

## Hospital Admission Rates

	Highfields	Doncaster
Emergency Admissions (all ages)	131.8 (119.3, 145.3) 😞 ●●●	86.5
Emergency Admissions (over 75s)	231.6 (130.6, 377.0) 😞	309.5
Admissions for Serious Accidents	575.8 (331.1, 924.4) 😞 ●	314.9

Emergency admission rates per 1,000 resident population per year. Serious accident admission rates per 100,000 resident population per year. All rates for 2001/2–2003/4, directly standardised for age and sex, with 95% confidence intervals (in brackets). Symbols indicate significance as described for death rates. For small communities, the numbers of cases are too small to release. Source: Contract data sets from Acute Trusts and 2001 Census populations.

## Births and Child Health

There were 74 births in Highfields between 2001 and 2003. The general period fertility rate is 96.6 live births per 1,000 women aged 15–44, very significantly above the Doncaster average of 56.4 per 1,000.

	Highfields	Doncaster
% low birth weight	13.5% (6.7%, 23.5%) 😞	8.5%

Low birth weight babies (below 2.5kg) as a percentage of all live and still births with 95% confidence intervals (in brackets). Source: ONS Annual Birth Extracts, 2001–2003.

## Dental Health Data

The 2001/2 survey of 5 year-old school pupils gives the extent of dental decay:

	Highfields	Relative to Doncaster
Decayed, missing or filled teeth per child	2.48 % +/- average + 29%	😞

Number of decayed, missing or filled teeth per child with 95% confidence intervals (in brackets). Source: Doncaster 5 Year-Old School Survey, 2001/2.

## Modelled Prevalence Data

- Using national survey data, we can predict that, in Highfields:
- 178 adults (21.8% of the 16+ population) and 18 children (6.8%) are obese
  - 54 adults (6.6% of the 16+ population) have coronary heart disease
  - 15 males (2.7% of the population) and 21 females (3.6%) have diabetes