Addendum to Position Paper 1 Population and Growth – September 2019

This addendum replaces some of the figures stated in the original Paper 1 – Population and Growth due to the publication of new statistics by NISRA, Mid and East Antrim Borough Council and the Business Register and Employment Survey including:

- Settlement populations,
- Population and household projections,
- Local government election results, and
- Multiple deprivation Measure

It should be noted that the figures in this addendum refer to the existing settlements within the existing area plans rather than the proposed new settlement hierarchy. It should also be noted that when Ballymena, Carrickfergus and Larne are listed in the tables below it refers to the former Borough Council areas.

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1.0 POPULATION PROFILE

INTRODUCTION

1.1 The purpose of the planning system is to secure the orderly and consistent development of land to facilitate sustainable patterns of growth and development whilst protecting and, where appropriate enhancing the natural and man-made environment. To achieve this aim it is essential that the development needs of society are properly identified.

1.2 This paper therefore examines the existing population profile for the Mid and East Antrim Local Government District and for each of the former constituent boroughs; additionally, for the purposes of comparison, data for the whole of Northern Ireland is also included. The paper explores the groups identified in Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998, spatial deprivation and the urban/rural divide. Population trends and population projections up until 2030 are then examined.

1.3 Information has been derived from the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency (NISRA) and Mid and East Antrim Borough Council.

POPULATION OF MID and EAST ANTRIM

1.4 The Borough comprises all of the former boroughs of Ballymena, Carrickfergus and Larne save for a small area of the existing Carrickfergus Borough in the vicinity of Greenisland which was transferred to Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council. Unfortunately, it has not been possible to obtain reliable statistics for the area subject to the boundary change, therefore the data used includes this small area. At the 2011 Census, the Mid and East Antrim had a combined population of 135,338, distributed between the three former council areas as follows:

- 64,044 in Ballymena (47.3%)
- 39,114 in Carrickfergus (28.9%)
- 32,180 in Larne (23.8%)

Fig.1.1: Mid and East Antrim Borough

1.5 The Borough accounts for 7.5% of the total Northern Ireland population and extends to 104,570 hectares (1046 km^2) and this equates to a population density of 1.29 just below the Northern Ireland average of 1.34 (number of usual residents per hectare) (Appendix A: Table A2). In 2011, the Borough had 54,314 households. The majority of usual residents lived in a household (99.09%); the remaining 0.91% were in a communal establishment which is below the Northern Ireland average of 1.24%.

Fig.1.2: Population in Mid and East Antrim

Source: NISRA Census 2011

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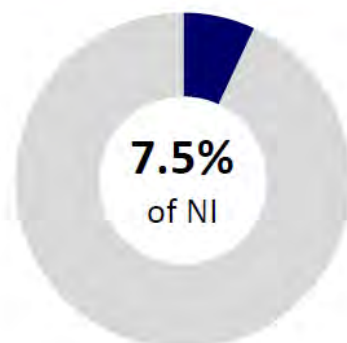
SECTION 75 GROUPS

1.6 The Northern Ireland Act 1998 places a statutory duty on public authorities to have due regard to the need to promote equality of opportunity between:

- persons of different religious belief, political opinion, racial group, age, marital status or sexual orientation;
- between men and women generally;
- between persons with a disability and persons without; and
- between persons with dependants and persons without.

In addition, without prejudice to the above obligations, public authorities are required to have regard to the need to promote good relations between persons of different religious belief, political opinion, racial group.

1.7 The principle of promoting equality of opportunity and good relations between people must be a key objective behind the plan and will be a central theme of the sustainability assessment. In land use planning terms this means ensuring everyone benefits from quality housing, employment, and access to public services and recreation facilities. This addendum identifies issues and needs facing different groups within our area over and above the general population, so that these can be considered at every stage of the plan making process. To help build a cohesive society it must also be recognised that this can only be achieved by "sharing space" and "accessing opportunities". Therefore, the paper also examines the extent to which segregation occurs and the pattern of multiple deprivation.

(A) AGE STRUCTURE

1.8 The age structure of a population has implications for planning. A growing young population will impact on the demand for and provision of childcare facilities, nursery, primary and secondary schools. A growing working age population would necessitate that planning provides adequate housing especially for those entering the housing market and employment opportunities. For a growing elderly population, adequate services and housing to meet their specific needs must also be considered.

Fig. 1.3: *Age Structure Northern Ireland and Mid and East Antrim - 2001*

NORTHERN IRELAND
Total population: 1,685,267

Mid and East Antrim (LGD 2014)
Total population: 127,101
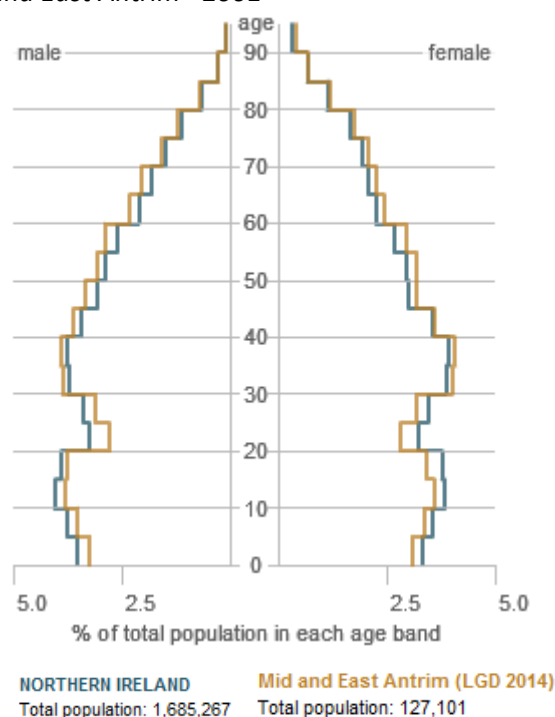
Source: NISRA Census 2001

Fig. 1.4: *Age Structure Northern Ireland and Mid and East Antrim - 2011*

NORTHERN IRELAND
Total population: 1,814,318

Mid and East Antrim (LGD 2014)
Total population: 135,338
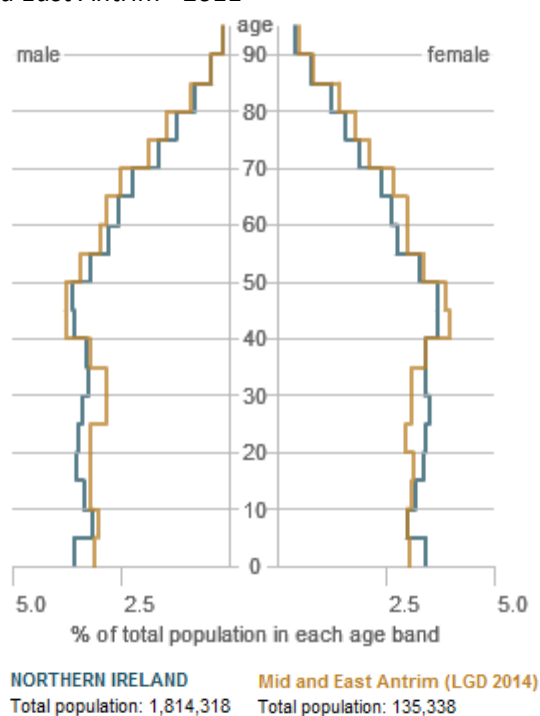
Source: NISRA Census 2011

1.9 Since 2001, in Northern Ireland the number of children under the age of 16 has slightly decreased while both the working age population and the number of pensioners have slightly increased (Tables 1.1 and 1.2 and

Appendix B). In Mid and East Antrim the number of children also declined slightly, but the overall proportion of children under the age of 16 remains just below the NI level. The working population has remained quite level since 2001 and is now slightly below the NI level. Since 2001, the number of pensioners in Mid and East Antrim has been above the NI average and numbers have increased and are also projected to rise by 13.2% between 2016 and 2030 (Appendix M: Table M1).

Table 1.1: Age Structure of Population- 2001

	0-15 years	16-64 years	65+ years
Northern Ireland	23.62%	63.13%	13.25%
Mid and East Antrim	22.13%	63.70%	14.18%
Ballymena	21.98%	63.58%	14.44%
Carrickfergus	22.62%	64.11%	13.27%
Larne	21.80%	63.41%	14.79%

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Usually Resident Population by broad age bands (administrative geographies)

Table 1.2: Age Structure of Population- 2011

	0-15 years	16-64 years	65+ years
Northern Ireland	20.95%	64.49%	14.56%
Mid and East Antrim	19.76%	63.69%	16.54%
Ballymena	20.08%	63.29%	16.64%
Carrickfergus	19.70%	64.31%	15.99%
Larne	19.21%	63.75%	17.04%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Usually Resident Population by broad age bands and sex (administrative geographies)

1.10 Closer examination of the Super Output Areas (SOAs) within Mid and East Antrim indicates that some have slightly older populations than the borough average and some have much younger populations. A higher proportion of children under 16 years can be found in Kilwaughter 1, Dunclug, Eden 1 and Northland. In contrast, the proportion of people aged 65 and over is significantly higher than

borough level in Gardenmore, Boneybefore, Academy, Ballyloughan, Central and Craigy Hill (Appendix J: Tables J1,J2,J3 and Map J4 and J5).

1.11 These variations between areas will require more targeted responses in regard to the type of services needed. The growing number of elderly is a key factor in declining average household size, projected to drop for Mid and East Antrim from 2.45 in 2016 to 2.37 in 2030 (NISRA Household Projections for Mid and East Antrim, Average Household Size Projections, 2016 - 2041).

1.12 In 2011, around one fifth of the population was under 16. Young people do not have independent use of a car. Therefore, safe and sustainable access to community and recreation facilities, including play parks and sports grounds is important.

(B) GENDER and LIFE EXPECTANCY

Table 1.3: Gender balance of Mid and East Antrim Population- 2011

	Males (%)	Females (%)
Northern Ireland	49.00%	51.00%
Mid and East Antrim	48.70%	51.30%
Ballymena	49.03%	50.97%
Carrickfergus	48.20%	51.80%
Larne	48.66%	51.34%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Sex: QS105NI (admin geographies)

1.13 The usual resident population in NI and Mid and East Antrim is broadly split on a 50/50 basis between men and women, with slightly more females in 2011. Within the former Boroughs, the trend is similar, with Carrickfergus having the highest percentage of females (Table 1.5 and Appendix C).

Fig.1.5: Illustration of gender balance in MEA

1.14 Life expectancy continues to improve for both males and females. Over the period 2001 - 2003 to 2011 - 2013, life expectancy for females improved at a slightly faster rate than for males in Mid and East Antrim, and the highest rate of change was in the former Larne Borough. The former Larne Borough also had the highest life expectancy of all three former Boroughs in 2011 - 2013 for both males and females. The gap between the two genders has slightly increased, and within Mid and East Antrim females live 4.5 years longer than males, a differential which is slightly above the N. Ireland level of 4.3 years (Table 1.4, Fig. 1.6 and Appendix C). In the UK by 2039 life expectancy at birth is projected to reach 84.1 years for males and 86.9 years for females, an increase of 4 years since 2014 (Office of National Statistics, Dec 2015), and it is anticipated that life expectancy will similarly increase in Mid and East Antrim.

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Table 1.4: Life Expectancy by Gender at birth- Mid and East Antrim Population- 2001 - 2003 and 2011 – 2013

	2001 - 2003		2011 - 2013	
	Males (years)	Females (years)	Males (years)	Females (years)
N. Ireland	75.6	80.5	78.1	82.4
Mid and East Antrim	76.1	80.3	78.5	83.0
Ballymena	76.3	80.9	78.3	83.0
Carrickfergus	77.2	79.4	78.2	81.8
Larne	75.0	80.6	78.9	84.0

Source: NISRA Demography-Life Expectancy 2001 – 2003 to 2011-2013 (published October 2015)

Fig.1.6: Life Expectancy by Gender- Mid and East Antrim Population
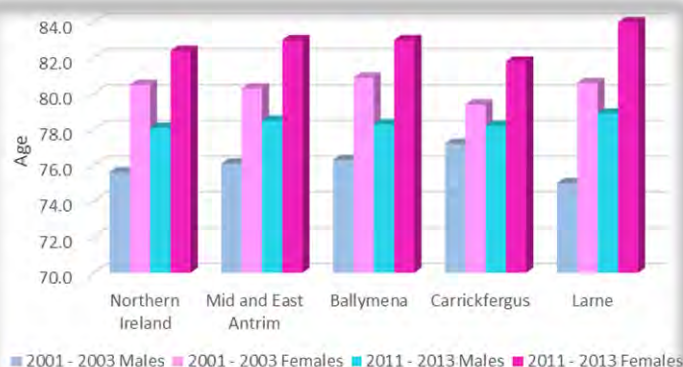
Source: NISRA Demography-Life Expectancy 2001 – 2003 to 2011-2013 (published October 2015)

(C) MARITAL STATUS

1.15 The marital status of the population influences the composition of households and therefore the demand for housing. Since 2001, there has been an increase in the percentage of divorced people, a decrease in the percentage of people married and an increase in the proportion of single people in N. Ireland. In Mid and East Antrim, the trend is similar but the proportion of married people is above the regional average and the number of single people is below this average (Table 1.5 and 1.6). However, whilst the statistics suggest a decline in the number of people who are married, it masks the number of couples (unmarried) who are co-habiting.

Fig.1.7: Marital Status change in Mid and East Antrim from 2001-2011
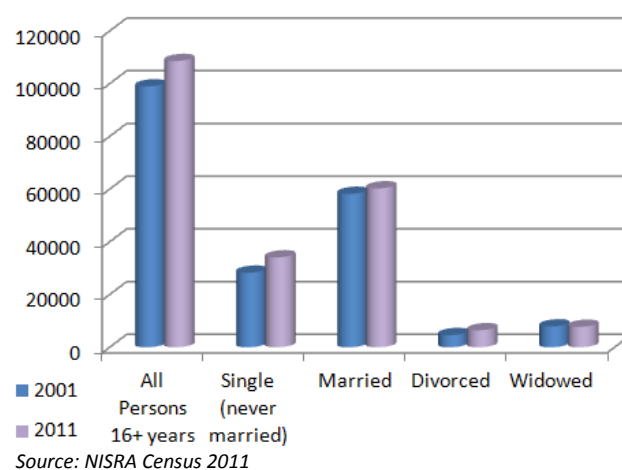
Source: NISRA Census 2011

Table 1.5: Marital Status- 2001

	All persons 16+ years	Single (never married) %	Married %	Divorced %	Widowed %
Northern Ireland	1,287,211	33.11%	54.96%	4.12%	7.81%
Mid and East Antrim	98,975	28.57%	58.80%	4.65%	7.97%
Ballymena	45,726	29.34%	58.78%	4.15%	7.73%
Carrickfergus	29,140	27.23%	59.58%	5.28%	7.90%
Larne	24,109	28.70%	57.92%	4.84%	8.54%

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Marital Status (administrative geographies)

Table 1.6: Marital Status- 2011

	All persons 16+ years	Single (never married) %	Married* %	Divorced %	Widowed** %
Northern Ireland	1,431,540	36.14%	51.62%	5.45%	6.78%
Mid and East Antrim	108,593	31.40%	55.52%	5.92%	7.16%
Ballymena	51,185	31.60%	56.07%	5.48%	6.85%
Carrickfergus	31,409	30.34%	55.74%	6.49%	7.43%
Larne	25,999	32.29%	54.18%	6.11%	7.42%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Marital and Civil Partnership Status: KS103NI (administrative geographies)
*2011 Married- This includes people who were remarried; those who are separated but still legally married; and those in a same-sex civil partnership. **2011 Widowed-includes surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership

(D) HOUSEHOLDS WITH OR WITHOUT DEPENDENT CHILDREN

1.16 A 'dependent child' is defined as 0-15 years or aged 16-18 who is a full-time student and living in a family with his or her parent(s) or grandparent(s) (Census 2011). In both, Northern Ireland and Mid and East Antrim the proportion of households (including lone parent households) with dependent children has declined since 1981 (Table 1.7 and Appendix D).

Table 1.7: Percentage of Households with Dependent Children 1981 and 2011

Households	% with dependent children 1981	% with dependent children 2011
Northern Ireland	45.98%	33.86%
Mid and East Antrim	46.86%	32.14%
Ballymena	47.04%	32.54%
Carrickfergus	48.80%	32.52%
Larne	44.60%	30.95%

Source: NISRA Census 1981 and 2011

1.17 A closer examination of the Super Output Areas within each borough reveals that many have much higher proportions of households with children than the borough level. In the former Ballymena Borough these include Ahoghill 2 (40.97%), Grange (40.16%), Glenravel (39.61%) and Dunclug (38.53%). In the former Carrickfergus Borough these include Bluefield 2 (51.02%), Eden 1 (46.98%), Woodburn (39.98%) and Clipperstown (38.99%). In the former Larne Borough, Kilwaughter 1 (47.73%) and Carnlough (36.34%) are amongst those SOAs with significantly higher proportions than the borough average (Appendix J: Tables J1, J2, J3 and Map J6).

1.18 Since 1981, the average household size has steadily declined in N. Ireland and this trend is reflected in Mid and East Antrim. In 1981, the average household size in Mid and East Antrim was 3.15 and this decreased to 2.47 in 2011, which is below the NI average (Appendix D: Tables D2 and D3). This has been due to a

decrease in the percentage of households with dependent children and a move towards more single adult and mature single person households as well as households comprising two people. By 2011, over 50% of all households in N. Ireland and Mid and East Antrim were composed of 1 or 2 person households (Fig. 1.8 and Appendix D).

Fig.1.8: *% Household Composition Northern Ireland and Mid and East Antrim - 2011*
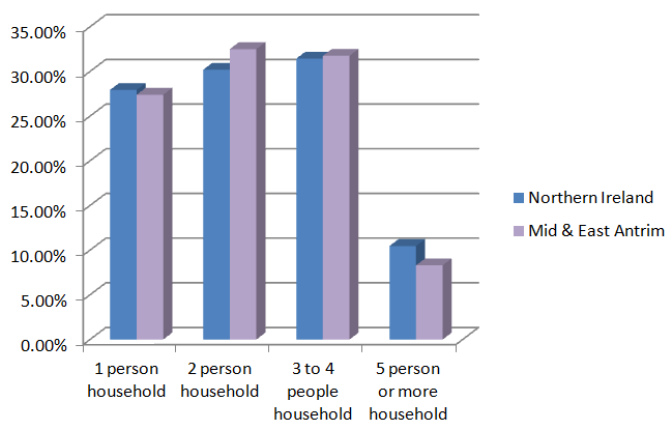
Source: NISRA Census 2011

1.19 The Local Development Plan has a role in providing a range of houses types to meet the needs of different household sizes and to provide policy to facilitate those wishing to expand their houses to meet changing needs, providing it does not harm other interests of acknowledged importance.

(E) RACIAL GROUP and ETHNICITY

1.20 In 2001, 9% of Northern Ireland's population were born outside the region and this was similar to former Carrickfergus Borough however both the former Ballymena and Larne Boroughs had smaller percentages (6% and 7% respectively) (Appendix E: Table E1). By 2011, this proportion had increased to 11.16% for N. Ireland compared to 9.12% of the Mid and East Antrim population. The majority of non-indigenous people were born either in the rest of the UK or the rest of the EU. The remainder comprises of people born in the Republic of Ireland and countries outside the EU (Table 1.8 and Figure 1.9 and Appendix E: Table E2).

Table 1.8: *Country of Birth Mid and East Antrim-2011*

	N. Ireland (%)	Rest of UK (%)	Rep of Ireland (%)	Rest of EU (%)	Outside EU (%)
Northern Ireland	88.84%	4.57%	2.09%	2.51%	1.99%
Mid and East Antrim	90.88%	4.75%	0.81%	2.19%	1.37%
Ballymena	90.57%	3.84%	0.79%	3.48%	1.31%
Carrickfergus	90.41%	5.77%	0.85%	1.20%	1.77%
Larne	92.05%	5.33%	0.77%	0.83%	1.02%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Country of Birth: QS207NI (administrative geographies)

Fig.1.9: *Country of Birth Mid and East Antrim-2011*
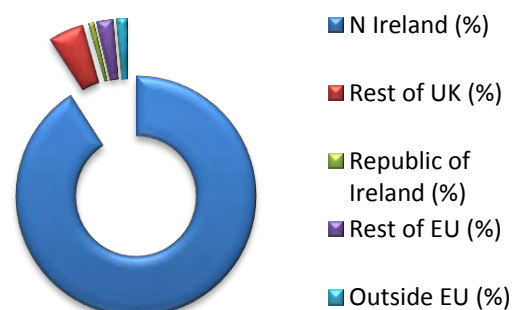
Source: NISRA Census 2011

1.21 Racial ethnicity remains predominantly 'white' with 98.97% in the borough described in this category. Other ethnic groups including Mixed, Asian, Chinese and Black comprise very small numbers (Appendix E: Table E3) and as a consequence it is unlikely that the Local Development Plan will have a particular impact on these groups, however, it is important to monitor changes over time as this may have implications particularly in relation to equality of access to homes and jobs.

1.22 An exception may be Irish Travellers who have been described as a different ethnic group. Their needs can be distinctive in terms of providing sites or supported housing for travellers. The housing needs assessment undertaken by the NIHE addresses this matter and is considered in Technical Supplement 3: Housing.

(F) SEXUAL ORIENTATION

1.23 There are no specific figures available on how many people may be Gay, Lesbian, Bi-sexual or Trans-gender or Trans-sexual in Mid and East Antrim. People in this group often feel neglected or marginalised in society. More importantly, they can also fall victim of discrimination and threat of physical violence from the less tolerant in society. Whilst the Plan is unlikely to bring forward specific proposals and policies for them, it is anticipated that many

of the measures in a Local Development Plan aimed at providing a range of house types, creating employment and accessible services as well as improving safety and security will benefit this group. Within Mid and East Antrim Borough Council local government statistics indicate 65 civil partnerships between 2008-2017 out of a NI total of 963 (ranking 4th in NI). At the time of the 2011 Census 0.08% of the population were in a civil partnership.

(G) DISABILITY and HEALTH

1.24 A person is described as having a limiting long-term health problem if they have a health problem or disability which limits their daily activities an which has lasted, or expected to last, at least 12 months. This includes problems that are due to old age (Census 2011). In 2017/18, 6% of children in Northern Ireland were disabled compared to 20% of adults of working age and 49% of adults over State Pension age (DSD, Family Resources Survey report 2017-2018, Carers and Disability, released September 2019). Overall the health of the area is improving but around one in five people in Mid and East Antrim suffer from some form of limiting illness and this proportion has slightly increased since 2001 (Tables 1.9 and 1.10 and Appendix F).

Table 1.9: Health in Mid and East Antrim- 2001

	Limiting long-term illness (%)	Good General Health (%)	Persons providing unpaid care (%)
N. Ireland	20.36%	70.00%	10.98%
Mid and East Antrim	18.36%	71.43%	10.58%
Ballymena	17.70%	72.63%	9.66%
Carrickfergus	18.90%	70.36%	11.38%
Larne	19.00%	70.47%	11.33%

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care

Table 1.10: Health in Mid and East Antrim- 2011

	Limiting long-term illness (%)	Good or Very Good General Health (%)	People providing unpaid care (%)
N. Ireland	20.69%	79.51%	11.82%
Mid and East Antrim	20.01%	80.17%	11.91%
Ballymena	19.00%	81.27%	11.15%
Carrickfergus	20.95%	79.20%	12.70%
Larne	20.90%	79.14%	12.46%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care: KS301NI

1.25 Areas within towns tend to have more elderly people and people with a long term illness e.g. Sunnylands and Killycrot in Carrickfergus, Craigy Hill in Larne and Moat, Castle Demesne and Harryville in Ballymena (Appendix J: Tables J1,J2,J3 and Maps J1 and J2). In general, where there are higher levels of long term limiting illness, there are lower levels of people who described their health as being good or very good and vice versa.

1.26 An alternative way of measuring disability is to consider the number of recipients of Disability Living Allowance and Multiple Disability Benefit. Within Mid and East Antrim in 2011, the percentage of persons receiving these disability benefits was just under 2.5% lower than the NI average and equated to around 8% in the borough receiving Disability Living Allowance and around 13% receiving Multiple Disability Benefit (Appendix F: Table F3). Whilst Table F3 shows a drop in the number of disability living allowance claimants from 2011 to 2018, since June 2016 Personal Independence Payment (PIP) has replaced DLA

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for people aged 16-64 and there have been no new working age claimants to DLA from this date. Within Mid and East Antrim as of May 2019 there was a total of 8,050 PIP (new and reassessed) claims, which equated to 6% of claims within Northern Ireland. (DfC, PIP Statistics – May 2019, published August 2019).

1.27 In 2011/2012, 6% of the population were informal carers and that figure included 7% of working age adults, 9% of State Pension age adults and 1% of children. Some 62% of reported carers are women. The time spent caring varies from 42% of adult carers providing care for less than 20 hours per week, to 22% caring for 50 hours or more per week. (DSD, 2013). In Mid and East Antrim just over one in ten people describe themselves as providing unpaid care for others with the former Carrickfergus and Larne Boroughs above the NI level (Tables 1.9 and Table 1.10 and Appendix F). There are also areas with slightly higher proportions of people providing unpaid care including in Boneybefore, Craigy Hill, Glynn,

Milebush, Burleigh Hill 2, Knockagh and Greenisland (Appendix J: Tables J1,J2,J3 and Map J3).

1.28 The link between health and wealth is well rehearsed as is the relationship between mobility and health. Therefore, as with other groups planning has a role in accommodating accessible housing, employment and services. Planning also has a role in helping to improve the health and well-being of people by avoiding development which would result in a deterioration in air or water quality; safeguarding and facilitating open space, sport and outdoor recreation; managing the adverse impacts of noise and nuisance by influencing the location, layout and design of new development. Planning also has a role in recognising and facilitating development to meet the needs of carers, by facilitating houses for those with special circumstances or extension of homes to include "granny annexes".

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(H) RELIGION

1.29 The designation of settlements and provision of development opportunities needs to be carefully considered against the needs and spatial distribution of people of different religion or political opinion to prevent prejudice of any religious or political group and thus meet the requirements of Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act.

1.30 The Mid and East Antrim population has a predominantly Protestant/Other Christian background, amounting to a little over 70%, much higher than the percentage for the region as a whole (Table 1.11 and Appendix G: Table G2). However, some SOAs within the borough are predominantly Catholic (Appendix J: Tables J5, J7, J9 and Map J7). Care needs to be taken when examining mix across the wide area as this can conceal the stark differences between neighbourhoods in towns and villages. The 2011 Census indicated that the religion of the boroughs population mirrored that of religion brought up in. However, in the case of each religious group the actual number was less, with a corresponding increase in the number of people indicating they have no religion.

Table 1.11: Percentage of People and Religion belonging to or Religion in which they were brought up- 2011

	All persons	% Catholic	% Protestant and Other Christian	% No religion
N. Ireland	1,810,863	45.14%	48.36%	5.59%
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	19.34%	72.88%	6.97%
Ballymena	64,044	22.55%	71.36%	5.24%
Carrickfergus	39,114	9.56%	79.27%	10.26%
Larne	32,180	24.87%	68.16%	6.40%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion or Religion Brought Up In: KS212NI (administrative geographies)

Table 1.12: Religious composition- 2011

	% Catholic	% Protestant and Other Christian	% No Religion
N. Ireland	40.76%	41.56%	10.11%
Mid and East Antrim	17.02%	63.56%	12.64%
Ballymena	20.41%	63.29%	9.28%
Carrickfergus	7.56%	67.20%	18.03%
Larne	21.78%	59.68%	12.03%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion: KS211NI (administrative geographies)

(I) POLITICAL OPINION

1.31 In Northern Ireland, political opinion is viewed as being closely associated with religious belief in that Catholics will usually vote for Nationalist parties while in general Protestants vote for Unionist parties. Fig. 1.10 and Appendix H illustrates that 66.6% of the first preference votes cast in 2019 in Mid and East Antrim where for Unionist parties, this high percentage is consistent with the percentage of the population in the Borough who are Protestant/Other Christian. Within the Borough only 8.2% of the votes were for Nationalist parties and 25.2% were for Alliance/Greens/DVP or Independent candidates.

1.32 Care needs to be taken when making comparisons between communities of different religious/political persuasion as this can be extremely divisive and can unravel the definite progress made in bringing the two communities together.

Fig.1.10: *Mid and East Antrim Local Government Election Results- 2019*
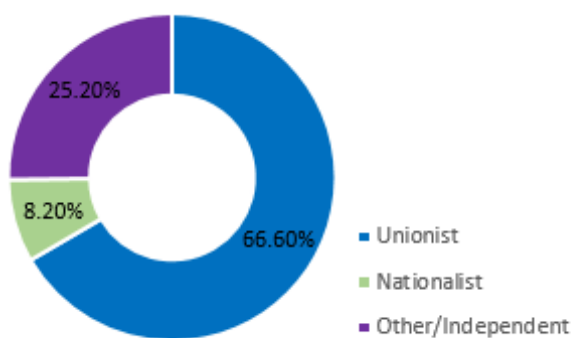
Source: Mid and East Antrim Borough Council
(1st preference votes in each DEA)

SPATIAL DEPRIVATION

1.33 Planning is required to be undertaken having regard to the need to promote equality of opportunity and to promote good relations. An important means to promoting good community relations and equal opportunity is to tackle social deprivation and inequalities in the labour market and public health. The Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measure (NIMDM) 2017, uses Super Output Area geography to identify small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across Northern Ireland, and updates and replaces the NIMDM 2010 as the official measure of deprivation in Northern Ireland.

1.34 The NIMDM 2017 provides a *relative* measure of deprivation in small areas across Northern Ireland. The main NIMDM 2017 results are presented at the Super Output Area geography which contain an average of 2,000 people. There are 890 Super Output Areas in Northern Ireland which are ranked from most deprived (Rank 1) to least deprived (Rank 890). Many of these SOAs coincide with existing ward boundaries particularly the rural wards.

1.35 The NIMDM 2017 is constructed from 38 different indicators relating to seven domains of deprivation: Income, Employment, Health, Education, Access to Services, Living Environment and Crime and Disorder. Each of the seven domains are attributed a different weight and combined to create the overall measure of multiple deprivation. The domains of Income and Employment are attributed the highest weight (25%) with Living Environment and Crime and Disorder attributed the lowest weight (5%).

1.36 Out of the 890 Super Output Areas in Northern Ireland, 65 are located within Mid and East Antrim Borough Council. Appendix I Tables I1 to 12 provide details of the ranking of these SOAs in both the Mid and East Antrim and Northern Ireland context. However, whilst the NIMDM 2017, updates the 2010 measure, it is not possible to directly compare across the two

time periods to make a judgement on whether an area has become more or less deprived over time. This is because the measure provides a spatial ranking at a single point in time and due to changes to the methodology. Within the NI context three of the 100 most deprived Super Output Areas are located within Mid and East Antrim (Fig. 1.11). These are Northland in Carrickfergus (65th), Ballee in Ballymena (85th) and Moat in Ballymena (91st).

Fig.1.11: *Number of 100 most deprived SAOs in NI by Local Government District*
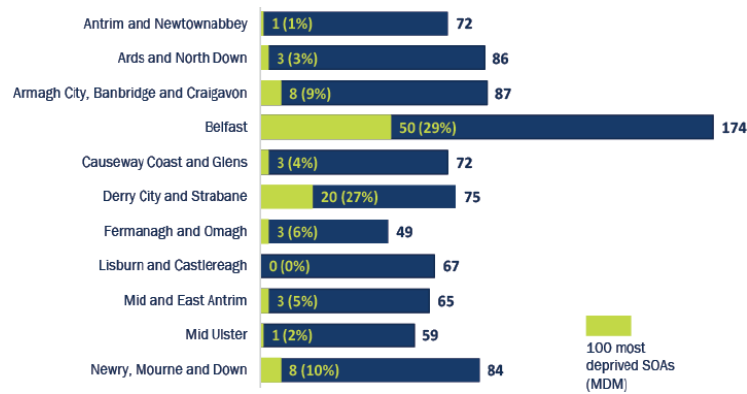
Source: NISRA, Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measure 2017

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1.37 The advantage of this spatially led approach is that it identifies disparities between urban and rural areas and adjoining neighbourhoods. As the NIMDM is a relative measure of deprivation it is possible to say that one area is more or less deprived than another, but it is not possible to say how much more or less deprived it is than another. Generally speaking, the urban centres of Ballymena, Carrickfergus and Larne have the most deprived SAOs. The most deprived areas in Ballymena and Carrickfergus are noted above, in Larne the most deprived areas are Ballyloran and Antiville.

1.38 A closer examination of the domains of deprivation reveals further disparities between areas. The highest concentrations of deprivation with regards to Access to Services (i.e. fastest travel time by public and private transport and proportion of population with broadband below a certain speed) occur in Glenarm, Islandmagee, Kilwaughter_2, Carnlough and Ballycarry in Larne and Slemish, Grange, Glenwhirry, Glenravel and Dunminning in Ballymena.

1.39 For the Living Environment domain which contains indicators on housing quality, physical environment including the state of roads and percentage of properties in flood risk areas, the top ten most deprived SAO's are within Larne and Ballymena, both within the settlements themselves and within rural area. Glenarm and Islandmagee are the most deprived of the rural SAOs in Larne along with Craigywarren and Dunminning in Ballymena. Within Larne town the Central and Town Parks wards are some of the most deprived in this regard along with Park and Harryville in Ballymena. Across NI the most deprived SAOs for crime and disorder are in urban areas, this is also generally reflected within Mid and East Antrim. In Ballymena four SAOs are in the top NI 100 in this regard; Castle Demense, Harryville, Moat and Dunclug. Central in Larne ranks 41st in NI in terms of Crime and Disorder with Killycrot in Carrickfergus ranking at 110.

1.40 In Mid and East Antrim, SAOs with high levels of income deprivation affected children more than older people. Deprivation in income, health and disability and education, skills and training is concentrated in Northland. Fig. 1.12 provides a full illustration of the 10 most deprived SAOs within Mid and East Antrim in relation to each of the domains and as well as the 10 most deprived SAOs in relation to the Northern Ireland context.

Fig. 1.12: *Most Deprived Super Output Areas within Mid and East Antrim*

Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measures 2017

Most deprived SOAs within MID AND EAST ANTRIM LGD

INCOME

Rank	
50	Northland
55	Ballykeel
70	Ballyloran
90	Moat
126	Fair Green
146	Ballee
154	Portglenone 2
171	Castle Demesne
181	Dunclug
206	Town Parks

EMPLOYMENT

Rank	
85	Ballee
95	Love Lane
99	Moat
104	Craigy Hill
117	Antiville
129	Ballyloran
135	Northland
144	Ballykeel
166	Central
171	Sunnylands

HEALTH AND DISABILITY

Rank	
98	Northland
103	Ballee
127	Moat
134	Love Lane
141	Ballyloran
156	Craigy Hill
163	Sunnylands
177	Dunclug
187	Ballykeel
190	Clipperstown

EDUCATION, SKILLS AND TRAINING

Rank	
13	Northland
41	Ballee
54	Love Lane
83	Sunnylands
94	Castle Demesne
95	Moat
96	Dunclug
145	Craigy Hill
148	Killycrot
150	Ballyloran

ACCESS TO SERVICES

Rank	
3	Glenarm
34	Slemish
49	Grange
69	Island Magee
71	Glenwhirry
92	Glenravel
99	Kilwaughter 2
115	Carnlough
121	Dunminning
122	Ballycarry

LIVING ENVIRONMENT

Rank	
16	Glenarm
36	Central
51	Island Magee
71	Park
80	Town Parks
84	Craigywarren
106	Harryville
112	Dunminning
120	Castle Demesne
126	Kilwaughter 2

CRIME AND DISORDER

Rank	
41	Central
52	Castle Demesne
61	Harryville
79	Moat
89	Dunclug
106	Ballee
110	Killycrot
118	Antiville
157	Love Lane
158	Ballyloran

MDM — MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION

Rank	
65	Northland
85	Ballee
91	Moat
104	Ballyloran
110	Ballykeel
154	Dunclug
156	Antiville
173	Love Lane
183	Castle Demesne
192	Central

For each domain, as well as the overall multiple measure the 890 SOAs in NI are ranked from 1 (most deprived) to 890 (least deprived)

Source: NISRA, Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measures, 2017

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1.41 Deprivation is also reflected in economic activity. In 2011, the proportion of people who were economically active was slightly higher in Mid and East Antrim than the NI average (Table 1.13 and Appendix I: Tables I1, I2, I3) and conversely a slightly lower proportion than the NI average were economically inactive.

Table 1.13: Economic Activity of the Population (16-74 year olds)- 2011

	% Economically Active	% Economically Inactive	% Unemployed
N. Ireland	66.22%	33.78%	4.96%
Mid and East Antrim	68.57%	31.43%	4.17%
Ballymena	69.10%	30.90%	3.99%
Carrickfergus	68.38%	31.62%	4.45%
Larne	67.74%	32.26%	4.19%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Economic Activity: KS601NI (administrative geographies)

1.42 Below borough level, 26 of the 65 SOAs in Mid and East Antrim had levels of unemployment higher than the borough average, 20 of which were above the NI average. Love Lane (8.72%) and Dunclug (8.17%) had significantly higher proportions of unemployed persons (Appendix J: Table J10). In 2018 the Claimant Count in NI stood at 2.5% of the workforce. In the same year the claimant count in Mid and East Antrim was 2.3% (Appendix I: Table I6).

1.43 Whilst the largest percentage of jobs in Mid and East Antrim in 2011 were in the service sector which was similar to the N. Ireland trend, a significantly higher percentage of the jobs within the borough were in manufacturing than in N. Ireland as a whole (Table 1.14 and Appendix I: Table 1.7). This can be attributed to large companies such as Wrightbus, Michelin, JTI (Gallaher Group), Moy Park and FG Wilson which have factories within the borough. However, it is acknowledged that a number of these companies no longer operate, which will have an impact on the number of manufacturing jobs within the Borough (see Fig. 1.13). Also in Carrickfergus three large industrial estates vacated in the 1980s now house vibrant industrial zones, providing commercial and manufacturing facilities to both small indigenous businesses as well as globally recognised brands such as Schrader

International, Ryobi and Douglas and Grahame. The former Ballymena Borough also had a slightly higher percentage employed in the construction section than both the borough and NI level.

1.44 Of the total number of employee jobs in Mid and East Antrim in 2011, 14,739 (34.84%) were part-time. Women mainly in the Services sector occupied 77.87% of these part-time jobs. Of the female population that were economically active and living in Mid and East Antrim on Census day in 2011, 38.53% were in part-time employment, this compared to 8.95% of economically active males in the borough in part-time employment.

Table 1.14: Employee Jobs by Industry- 2011

	Total No. of Jobs	Jobs in Construction (%)	Jobs in Manufacturing (%)	Jobs in Services (%)
N. Ireland	681,641	4.83%	10.86%	83.06%
Mid and East Antrim	42,306	5.29%	21.02%	71.55%
Ballymena	25,602	6.67%	23.03%	69.56%
Carrickfergus	8,419	3.20%	13.34%	80.39%
Larne	8,285	3.17%	22.61%	68.75%

Source: NISRA Employee Jobs (administrative geographies)

1.45 The NI Business Register and Employment Survey (BRES) 2018 (published June 2019) shows a 3.71% drop in employment within the manufacturing sector from 21.02% in 2011 to 17.31% in 2018, which reflects the closure of a number of manufacturing employers within Mid and East Antrim (see Fig. 1.13).

Fig. 1.13: *Mid and East Employee Breakdown-2018*

- Construction
- Manufacturing
- Other
- Services
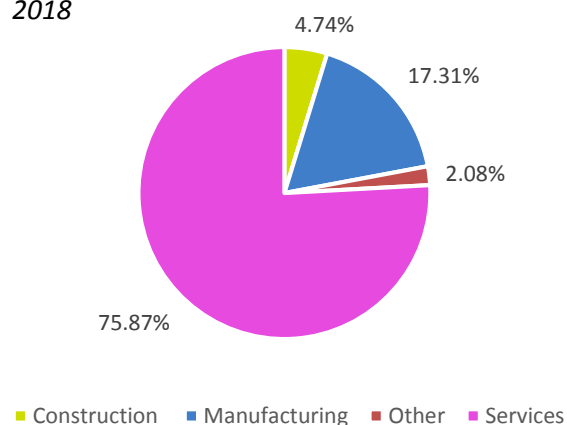
Source: Business Register and Employment Survey 2018 Excluding: agriculture (but includes animal husbandry service activities and hunting, trapping and game propagation, the self-employed, HM armed Forces, private domestic servants, homeworkers and jobskills trainees without a contract of employment (non-employed status)

1.45 Education has also an important role in promoting economic wellbeing. Better education improves access to employment opportunities and improves the quality of people's lives, leading to broad social benefits to individuals and society. Education raises people's productivity and creativity and promotes entrepreneurship and technological advances. In addition, it plays a crucial role in securing economic and social progress and improving income distribution.

Table 1.15: *Qualifications of Population over 16 years of age in Mid and East Antrim – 2011*

	Usual residents aged 16 and over	No or Low qualification (%)*	Degree or Higher qualification (%)
N. Ireland	1,431,540	**40.63%**	**23.65%**
Mid and East Antrim	108,593	**40.69%**	**22.11%**
Ballymena	51,185	**42.31%**	**22.00%**
Carrickfergus	31,409	**38.30%**	**23.32%**
Larne	25,999	**40.40%**	**20.85%**

*Source: NISRA Census 2011 Highest Level of Qualification by Age LC5101NI (administrative geographies) *No academic or professional qualifications or Level 1:1-4 O Levels/CSE/GCSEs, Entry Level, Foundation Diploma, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ, Basic/Essential Skills*

1.46 When compared with the N. Ireland level in 2011, Mid and East Antrim had a similar proportion of people aged 16 years old and over who had no or low qualifications and slightly lower proportions of those with a degree or higher qualification (Table 1.15 and Appendix I: Table I8). Educational achievement in parts of the main towns remains low, particularly Ballee, Ballykeel and Moat (Appendix J: Tables J11, J12, J13 and Map J8).

1.47 Whilst a Local Development Plan does not deliver educational services, it can assist in making such services more accessible either by facilitating new state-of-the-art facilities or providing travel options.

Fig.1.14: *Qualifications of Population over 16 years in Mid and East Antrim - 2011*
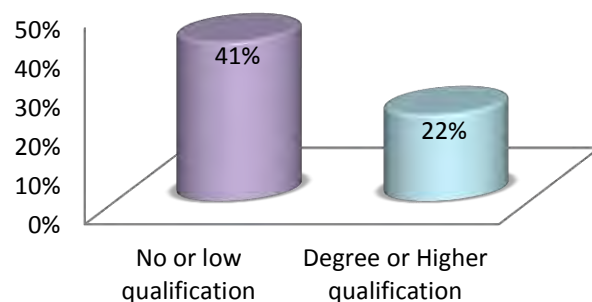
URBAN - RURAL POPULATION SPLIT

Table 1.16: Urban - Rural Population Split in Mid and East Antrim – 2011

	Former Ballymena Borough	Former Larne Borough	Former Carrickfergus Borough	Mid and East Antrim
Main Towns	29,467 46.0%	18,705 58.1%	27,903 71.3%	76,075 56.21%
Local Towns	n/a	n/a	9,270 23.7%	9,270 6.85%
Total Towns	29,467 46.0%	18,705 58.1%	37,173 95%	85,345 63.06%
Villages	12,858 20.1%	5,889 18.3%	n/a	18,747 13.85%
Small Settlements	813 1.2%	1,082 3.3%	136 0.3%	2,031 1.50%
Total Urban	43,138 67.4%	25,676 79.8%	37,309 95.4%	106,123* 78.41%
Rural Remainder	20,906 32.6%	6,504 20.2%	1,805 4.6%	29,215 21.59%
Borough Total	**64,044**	**32,180**	**39,114**	**135,338**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Census Headcount and Household Estimates for Settlements (published 26/03/15)
*Excludes 11 small settlements where the population and household totals were below the following thresholds: 20 or more households and 50 or more usual residents.

1.48 In 2011, Mid and East Antrim was predominantly urban with just under 80% of the population living in designated settlements while the remainder lived in the open countryside (Table 1.16). In the former Ballymena Borough 46% of the population lived in Ballymena town and overall just over two thirds of the population lived in a settlement, with the remainder living in the open countryside (see Fig. 1.15). The former Carrickfergus Borough had the highest percentage of population living in settlements, with only 4.6% living in the open countryside.

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Fig. 1.15: Urban/Rural Split of Mid and East Antrim and three former Boroughs - 2011

Source: 2011 census headcount and household estimates for settlements (published 26/03/15)

SECTION 2

POPULATION GROWTH and POPULATION PROJECTIONS

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2.0 POPULATION GROWTH and PROJECTIONS

INTRODUCTION

2.1 Population does not remain static, and while the Census 2011 provides us with a wealth of data regarding the profile of the Borough at that time, it cannot be used in isolation to determine the future needs of the area. It is therefore prudent to consider both past growth rates and projections for the future.

POPULATION TRENDS

2.2 An examination of past trends indicates that the population of Mid and East Antrim has increased by 27.8% over this 40 year period, almost 10% higher than the NI rate of growth (Table 2.1). However, growth has not been uniform by either time nor broad location. For example, the former Larne part of the Borough experienced a population decline of 2.7% between 1971 and 1981 and had a much lower rate of growth over the 40 year period than both the former Ballymena and Carrickfergus Boroughs.

2.3 The Mid-Year Population Estimates released in June 2019 by NISRA (see Fig. 2.1) indicate that since 2005 Mid and East Antrim has increased at a rate generally lower than the NI average, this can mainly be attributed to the former Larne and Carrickfergus Boroughs where there was population decreases during some years and only small increases in others.
Since 2001, the percentage change in mid-year population estimates for Ballymena have

frequently exceeded the regional figure (Fig.2.1 and Appendix L: Table L1).

At SOA level, the Mid-Year Population Estimates (June 2019) illustrate that within the Borough, the three SOAs which have had the largest percentage increase from 2001-2018 are Kilwaughter_1 (140.1%) due to considerable domestic housing development within Larne West, Ardeevin (60.14%) and Broughshane_2 (44.81%) (Appendix L: Tables L2, L3, L4).

2.4 Population changes occurs due to the combined effect of net migration (both in and out migration) and the level of natural increase which is the difference between the number of births and deaths. Migration has had a significant impact on the population of NI and to a lesser extent the population of Mid and East Antrim. After a long period through the 1970s and 1980s of emigration from Northern Ireland exceeding immigration and a period of balanced migration flows during the 1990s, the recent period since 2004 has seen significant population growth due to migration from the expanded EU. Thus, in 2011, some 2.19% of the new Council area's population (rising to 3.48% of the population in the former Ballymena Borough) were from EU countries, (other than Ireland). However, recent evidence suggests that since the economic downturn, the number of migrants has been declining and that natural growth is the main influence on population change (NISRA).

Table 2.1: Population Trends in the former Ballymena, Carrickfergus and Larne Boroughs 1971-2011

Year	Former Ballymena Borough	Former Carrickfergus Borough	Former Larne Borough	Mid and East Antrim	N.I
1971	48,998	27,044	29,897	105,939	1,536,065
1981*	54,814	28,625	29,076	112,515	1,532,196
1991	56,641	32,750	29,419	118,810	1,577,836
2001	58,610	37,659	30,832	127,101	1,685,267
2011	64,044	39,114	32,180	135,338	1,810,863
%change 1971-1981	+11.9%	+5.8%	-2.7%	+6.2%	-0.25%
%change 1981-1991	+3.3%	+14.4%	+1.2%	+5.6%	+3.0%
%change 1991-2001	+3.5%	+15.0%	+4.8%	+7.0%	+6.8%
%change 2001-2011	+9.3%	+3.9%	+4.4%	+6.5%	+7.5%
%change 1971-2011	+30.7%	+44.6%	+7.6%	+27.8%	+17.9%

*Source: NISRA Census 1971, 1981, 2001 and 2011 * 1981 figures, as revised, take account of non-response*

Fig. 2.1: *Percentage Change in Mid-Year Population Estimates 2001 - 2018*

Percentage Change in Mid Year Population Estimates 2001 - 2018

	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
NI	0.51%	0.44%	0.53%	0.80%	0.89%	1.07%	0.99%	0.80%	0.64%	0.53%	0.51%	0.33%	0.59%	0.60%	0.57%	0.47%	0.58%
Mid and East Antrim	0.65%	0.70%	0.58%	0.81%	0.79%	0.95%	0.67%	0.45%	0.28%	0.15%	0.35%	0.12%	0.47%	0.37%	0.49%	0.24%	0.45%
Ballymena	0.82%	0.90%	0.71%	0.93%	0.94%	1.14%	1.21%	0.76%	0.55%	0.63%	0.66%	0.33%	0.71%	0.59%	0.83%	0.37%	0.70%
Carrickfergus	0.78%	0.62%	0.73%	0.63%	0.64%	0.67%	0.07%	-0.19%	0.03%	-0.46%	-0.02%	-0.21%	0.25%	0.11%	0.15%	-0.04%	0.38%
Larne	0.16%	0.42%	0.14%	0.81%	0.70%	0.90%	0.38%	0.63%	0.08%	-0.05%	0.17%	0.09%	0.27%	0.24%	0.21%	0.31%	0.03%

Source: NISRA Mid-2018 Population Estimates (published June 2019)

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POPULATION PROJECTIONS

2.5 National population projections by age and sex are produced every two years for the UK and its constituent countries by the Office for National Statistics. NISRA produces official sub-national population projections for the areas within NI and these were mostly recently published in April 2018 (2016 based population projections). These population projections take into account a number of factors including migration and natural increase. The 2016-based projections took into account population growth as a result of mainly natural growth and an element of net migration, the latter reflecting the inward migration of people from other part of the European Union. The 2016 based projections highlight the population in each Local Government District (LGD) in Northern Ireland is projected to grow and age.

2.6 The 2016-based population projections for Northern Ireland indicate that between 2016 and 2030 natural growth is the driver of

projected population increase. The projected figure for Northern Ireland's population in 2030 is now 1.962M.

2.7 The key findings for the 2016-2030 population projections are that the population of Mid and East Antrim is expected to grow by around 3.1%. The number of children are expected to decrease by some 6.2%, which is a greater reduction than is projected for Northern Ireland which is a decrease of 2.9% for the same period. It is also projected that the number of working age persons will increase by 2.8% (compared with 5.3% for NI). The number of pensioners is projected to increase by 13.2%, which is lower than that projected for NI which is an increase of 15.5% for the same period (Appendix M: Table M1). Over the same period it is anticipated that the proportion of children will decline, the proportion of persons of working age will decline marginally whilst the proportion of pensioners will increase. (Fig. 2.2 and 2.3). These figures are based on the state pension age for the given years.

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Table 2.2: Population Projections 2016-2030

	2016	2018	2020	2026	2030
Northern Ireland	1,862,137	1,879,567	1,896,270	1,939,724	1,961,529
Mid and East Antrim	137,821	138,622	139,476	141,400	142,114
Ballymena	66,151	66,782	67,456	69,140	70,028
Carrickfergus	39,216	39,225	39,267	39,200	38,948
Larne	32,454	32,615	32,753	33,060	33,138

Source: NISRA 11 LGDs projection summary (2016-2041) and 26 former LGDs projection summary (2016-2041)

Table 2.3: Household Projections 2016-2030

	2016	2018	2020	2026	2030
Northern Ireland	725,127	732,597	740,528	768,472	784,580
Mid and East Antrim	55,641	56,040	56,608	58,380	59,225

Source: NISRA Household Projections (2016-based) published on 6 December 2018 based from HHP12_NI & HHP16_LGD2014

Fig. 2.2: Projected Change in Proportions of Mid and East Antrim Population 2016 - 2030

■ 0-15 ■ 16-64 ■ 65+
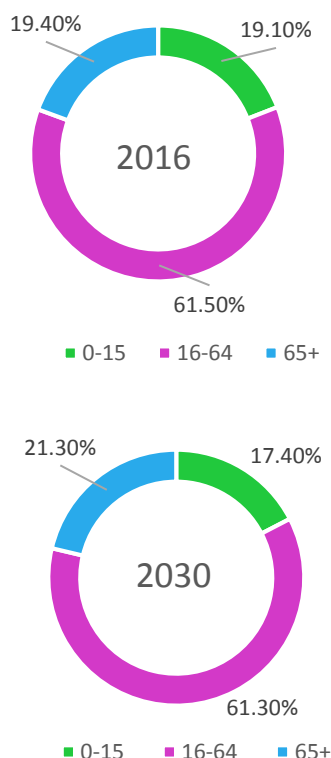
Source: NISRA Population projections 2016-2041, 11 LGDs projection summary

Fig. 2.3: Projected Change of Mid and East Antrim Population by Age 2016 - 2030

Children 0-15	-1,625 people	down 6.2%
Working Age 16-64	+2,388 people	up 2.8%
Aged 65 and over	+3,530 people	up 13.2%

Source: NISRA Population projections 2016-2041, 11 LGDs projection summary

2.8 However, it should be noted that in November 2018, State Pension Age was 65 for both men and women, and this is gradually increasing and will reach 67 by 2028. This will have the consequence of slightly increasing the proportion of working age figures and decreasing the proportion of pensioners.

2.9 The corresponding household projections for 2016-2030 which take account of population growth, a reduced size of household and the changing age structure of the population, could lead to an increase of 8.2% in the number of households between 2016 and 2030 in Northern Ireland. The main drivers for this growth are the population in Northern Ireland continuing to age and the tendency for the older population to live in either one or two adult households without children. In contrast the overall number of households with children is projected to decrease. The projected growth in households (8.2%) is greater than that of the population (5.3%), indicating a rise in the number of people living in smaller sized households between 2016 and 2030 in Northern Ireland. (Table 2.3 and Appendix N: Table N1).

2.10 The average household size in Northern Ireland has been projected to steadily decrease to 2.36 people per household in 2023. In Mid and East Antrim, the average size of households are predicted to remain below the NI average (2.35 Ballymena, 2.16 Carrickfergus and 2.19 Larne).

APPENDICES

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APPENDIX A **Population**

Table A1: Population break down of Mid and East Antrim District- 2011

Mid and East Antrim	Ballymena	Carrickfergus	Larne
135,338	64,044	39,114	32,180
	47.32%	**28.90%**	**23.78%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Usual Resident Population: KS101NI (administrative geographies)

Table A2: Population Density- 2011

	All usual residents	Area (hectares)	Population Density (number of usual residents per hectare)
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	1,356,233	1.34
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	104,570	1.29
Ballymena	64,044	62,978	1.02
Carrickfergus	39,114	8,098	4.83
Larne	32,180	33,495	0.96

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Population Density: QS102NI (administrative geographies)

Table A3: Number of Persons in Households/Communal Establishments- 2011

	All usual residents	Usually residents in a households	Usual residents in a communal establishment
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	1,788,339 **98.75%**	22,524 **1.24%**
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	134,102 **99.09%**	1,236 **0.91%**
Ballymena	64,044	63,403 **99%**	641 **1%**
Carrickfergus	39,114	38,785 **99.16%**	329 **0.84%**
Larne	32,180	31,914 **99.17%**	266 **0.83%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Usually Resident Population, Households and Average Household Size (administrative geographies)

Table B1: Age Structure of Population- 2001

	0-15 years	16-64 years	65+ years
Northern Ireland	398,056 **23.62%**	1,063,886 **63.13%**	223,325 **13.25%**
Mid and East Antrim	28,126 **22.13%**	80,957 **63.70%**	18,018 **14.18%**
Ballymena	12,884 **21.98%**	37,264 **63.58%**	8,462 **14.44%**
Carrickfergus	8,519 **22.62%**	24,143 **64.11%**	4,997 **13.27%**
Larne	6,723 **21.80%**	19,550 **63.41%**	4,559 **14.79%**

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Usually Resident Population by broad age bands (administrative geographies)

Table B2: Age Structure of Population- 2011

	0-15 years	16-64 years	65+ years
Northern Ireland	379,323 **20.95%**	1,167,820 **64.49%**	263,720 **14.56%**
Mid and East Antrim	26,745 **19.76%**	86,202 **63.69%**	22,391 **16.54%**
Ballymena	12,859 **20.08%**	40,531 **63.29%**	10,654 **16.64%**
Carrickfergus	7,705 **19.70%**	25,156 **64.31%**	6,253 **15.99%**
Larne	6,181 **19.21%**	20,515 **63.75%**	5,484 **17.04%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Usually Resident Population by broad age bands and sex (administrative geographies)

APPENDIX C **Gender and Life Expectancy**

Table C1: Males/Females- 2011

	All usual residents	Males	Females
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	887,323 **49%**	923,540 **51%**
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	65,909 **48.7%**	69,429 **51.3%**
Ballymena	64,044	31,398 **49.03%**	32,646 **50.97%**
Carrickfergus	39,114	18,851 **48.2%**	20,263 **51.8%**
Larne	32,180	15,660 **48.66%**	16,520 **51.34%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Sex: QS105NI (administrative geographies)

Table C2: Life Expectancy in years for Males/Females 2001-2003 and 2011-2013

	2001 - 2003		2011 - 2013	
	Males (years)	Females (years)	Males (years)	Females (years)
Northern Ireland	75.6	80.5	78.1	82.4
Mid and East Antrim	76.1	80.3	78.5	83.0
Ballymena Borough	76.3	80.9	78.3	83.0
Carrickfergus Borough	77.2	79.4	78.2	81.8
Larne Borough	75.0	80.6	78.9	84.0

Source: NISRA Demography-Life Expectancy 2001 – 2003 to 2011-2013 (published October 2015)

APPENDIX D **Households with or without Dependent Children**

Table D1: Households with Dependent Children Mid and East Antrim 1981 & 2011

	1981		2011	
	All households	Households with dependent children	All households	Households with dependent children
Northern Ireland	456,348	209,842 **45.98%**	703,275	238,094 **33.86%**
Mid and East Antrim	35,247	16,516 **46.86%**	54,314	17,459 **32.14%**
Ballymena	16,758	7,883 **47.04%**	24,817	8,075 **32.54%**
Carrickfergus	9,205	4,492 **48.80%**	16,200	5,268 **32.52%**
Larne	9,284	4,141 **44.60%**	13,297	4,116 **30.95%**

Source: NISRA Census 1981 Housing and Household Composition Report (Dependent Children in Household column-Total households with 1-5 or more dependent children in household added together, NI & Ballymena-Page160, Carrickfergus-Page 161, Larne-Page 162) & Census 2011 All Households with: No Adults in Employment; Dependent Children; and Persons with Long-Term Health Problem or Disability: KS106NI (administrative geographies)

Table D2: Household Composition- 1981

	Total Persons in households	All Households	1 person household (%)	2 person household (%)	3 to 4 persons household (%)	5 persons or more household (%)	Average household size
Northern Ireland	1,461,153	456,348	**18.68%**	**24.90%**	**34.29%**	**22.14%**	3.20
Mid and East Antrim	110,870	35,247	**17.71%**	**25.32%**	**36.66%**	**20.32%**	3.15
Ballymena	53,848	16,758	**16.33%**	**25.64%**	**36.51%**	**21.53%**	3.21
Carrickfergus	28,295	9,205	**18.06%**	**24.90%**	**38.80%**	**18.24%**	3.07
Larne	28,727	9,284	**19.85%**	**25.15%**	**34.81%**	**20.19%**	3.09

Source: NISRA Census 1981 Housing and Household Composition Report (NI-Page 1, Ballymena-Page 3, Carrickfergus-Page 5, Larne-Page 9)

Table D3: Household Composition- 2011

	Total Persons in households	All Households	1 person household (%)	2 person household (%)	3 to 4 person household (%)	5 person or more household (%)	Average household size
Northern Ireland	1,788,339	703,275	**27.93%**	**30.19%**	**31.44%**	**10.46%**	2.54
Mid and East Antrim	134,102	54,314	**27.43%**	**32.50%**	**31.76%**	**8.31%**	2.47
Ballymena	63,403	24,817	**25.71%**	**31.95%**	**32.48%**	**9.86%**	2.55
Carrickfergus	38,785	16,200	**28.85%**	**32.67%**	**31.86%**	**6.62%**	2.39
Larne	31,914	13,297	**28.90%**	**33.36%**	**30.28%**	**7.47%**	2.40

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Household Size: KS403NI (administrative geographies) & Usually Resident Population, Households and Average Household Size (administrative geographies)

APPENDIX E **Racial Group & Ethnicity**

Table E1: Country of Birth- 2001

	Northern Ireland	Rest of UK	Republic of Ireland	Rest of EU	Outside EU	Outside NI (%)
Northern Ireland	1,534,268 **91.04%**	81,389 **4.83%**	39,051 **2.32%**	10,355 **0.61%**	20,204 **1.20%**	**8.96%**
Ballymena	55,021 **93.88%**	2,259 **3.85%**	524 **0.89%**	272 **0.46%**	534 **0.91%**	**6.12%**
Carrickfergus	34,408 **91.37%**	2,127 **5.65%**	358 **0.95%**	215 **0.57%**	551 **1.46%**	**8.63%**
Larne	28,685 **93.04%**	1,484 **4.81%**	285 **0.92%**	122 **0.40%**	256 **0.83%**	**6.96%**

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Country of Birth: KS05 (administrative geographies) KS05

Table E2: Country of Birth- 2011

	Northern Ireland	Rest of UK	Republic of Ireland	Rest of EU	Outside EU	Outside NI (%)
Northern Ireland	1,608,853 **88.84%**	82,724 **4.57%**	37,833 **2.09%**	45,407 **2.51%**	36,046 **1.99%**	**11.16%**
Mid and East Antrim	122,993 **90.88%**	6,431 **4.75%**	1,090 **0.81%**	2,966 **2.19%**	1,858 **1.37%**	**9.12%**
Ballymena	58,007 **90.57%**	2,460 **3.84%**	509 **0.79%**	2,230 **3.48%**	838 **1.31%**	**9.42%**
Carrickfergus	35,363 **90.41%**	2,257 **5.77%**	332 **0.85%**	470 **1.20%**	692 **1.77%**	**9.59%**
Larne	29,623 **92.05%**	1,714 **5.33%**	249 **0.77%**	266 **0.83%**	328 **1.02%**	**7.95%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Country of Birth - Basic Detail: QS207NI (administrative geographies) Note: Channel Islands & Isle of Man are excluded from the above figures

Table E3: Ethnic Group- 2011

	All usual residents	White	Chinese	Irish Traveller	Asian	Black	Mixed	Other
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	1,778,449 **98.21%**	6,303 **0.35%**	1,301 **0.07%**	12,827 **0.71%**	3,616 **0.20%**	6,014 **0.33%**	2,353 **0.13%**
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	133,948 **98.97%**	275 **0.20%**	92 **0.07%**	469 **0.35%**	103 **0.08%**	341 **0.25%**	110 **0.08%**
Ballymena	64,044	63,350 **98.92%**	128 **0.20%**	81 **0.13%**	264 **0.41%**	47 **0.07%**	99 **0.15%**	75 **0.12%**
Carrickfergus	39,114	38,617 **98.73%**	93 **0.24%**	4 **0.01%**	159 **0.41%**	43 **0.11%**	169 **0.43%**	29 **0.07%**
Larne	32,180	31,981 **99.38%**	54 **0.17%**	7 **0.02%**	46 **0.14%**	13 **0.04%**	73 **0.23%**	6 **0.02%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Ethnic Group: KS201NI (administrative geographies)

Table F1: Health in Mid and East Antrim- 2001

Persons with:	Limiting long-term illness	General health: Good	Persons who provide unpaid care
Northern Ireland	343,107 **20.36%**	1,179,678 **70.00%**	1,850,66 **10.98%**
Mid and East Antrim	23,339 **18.36%**	90,794 **71.43%**	13,441 **10.58%**
Ballymena	10,366 **17.70%**	42,571 **72.63%**	5,664 **9.66%**
Carrickfergus	7,110 **18.90%**	26,495 **70.36%**	4,285 **11.38%**
Larne	5,863 **19.00%**	21,728 **19.90%**	3,492 **11.33%**

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care (administrative geographies)

Table F2: Health in Mid and East Antrim- 2011

Persons with:	Limiting long-term illness	General health: Very good health	General health: Good health	Good/ Very Good General Health	Persons providing unpaid care
Northern Ireland	374,646 **20.69%**	864,187	575,616	1,439,803 **79.51%**	213,980 **11.82%**
Mid and East Antrim	27,086 **20.01%**	62,311	46,183	108,494 **80.17%**	16,116 **11.91%**
Ballymena	12,167 **19.00%**	30,287	21,760	52,047 **81.27%**	7,140 **11.15%**
Carrickfergus	8,194 **20.95%**	17,696	13,283	30,979 **79.20%**	4,966 **12.70%**
Larne	6,725 **20.90%**	14,328	11,140	25,468 **79.14%**	4,010 **12.46%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care: KS301NI (administrative geographies)

Table F3: Disability Related Benefit Claimants in Mid and East Antrim- 2011, 2013 and 2018

	2011			**2013**		**2018***
	Disability Living Allowance Recipients	Multiple Disability Benefit Recipients	Limiting long-term illness	Disability Living Allowance Recipients	Multiple Disability Benefit Recipients	Disability Living Allowance Recipients
N Ireland	184,180 **10.17%**	273,864 **15.12%**	374,646 **20.69%**	192,640	281,550	159,050
Mid and East Antrim	10,399 **7.68%**	17,274 **12.76%**	27,086 **20.01%**	11,120	18,010	9,500
Ballymena	4,453 **6.95%**	7,706 **12.03%**	12,167 **19.00%**	4,760	8,040	3,970
Carrickfergus	3,342 **8.54%**	5,281 **13.50%**	8,194 **20.95%**	3,510	5,450	3,050
Larne	2,604 **8.09%**	4,287 **13.32%**	6,725 **20.90%**	2,850	4,520	2,480

Source: NISRA/DSD Analytical Services Branch, NISRA Disability Living Allowance Recipients 2011 - 2018 (administrative geographies & Census 2011 Long-Term Health Problem or Disability: QS303NI (administrative geographies)

*since 20 June 2016 Personal Independence Payment (PIP) has replaced DLA for people aged 16-64. There have been no new working age claimants to DLA from this date.

APPENDIX G **Religion**

Table G1: Religion Mid & East Antrim- 2011

	All persons	Catholic	Protestant/ Other Christian	Other religions	No religion	Religion not stated
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	738,033 40.76%	752,555 41.56%	14,859 0.82%	183,164 10.11%	122,252 6.75%
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	23,038 17.02%	86,021 63.56%	974 0.72%	17,113 12.64%	8,192 6.05%
Ballymena	64,044	13,071 20.41%	40,531 63.29%	492 0.77%	5,946 9.28%	4,004 6.25%
Carrickfergus	39,114	2,958 7.56%	26,284 67.20%	319 0.82%	7,296 18.03%	2,257 5.77%
Larne	32,180	7,009 21.78%	19,206 59.68%	163 0.51%	3,871 12.03%	1,931 6.00%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion: KS211NI (administrative geographies)

Table G2: Religion and Religion brought up Mid & East Antrim - 2011

	All persons	Catholic	Protestant/ Other Christian	Other religions	No religion
Northern Ireland	1,810,863	817,385 45.14%	875,717 48.36%	16,592 0.92%	101,169 5.59%
Mid and East Antrim	135,338	26,181 19.34%	98,639 72.88%	1,087 0.80%	9,431 6.97%
Ballymena	64,044	14,440 22.55%	45,700 71.36%	546 0.85%	3,358 5.24%
Carrickfergus	39,114	3,738 9.56%	31,005 79.27%	357 0.91%	4,014 10.26%
Larne	32,180	8,003 24.87%	21,934 68.16%	184 0.57%	2,059 6.40%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion or Religion Brought Up In: KS212NI (administrative geographies)

Table H1: Mid and East Antrim Local Government Election Results (1st Preference Votes)

DEA	Electorate	Votes cast	Spoiled	Valid	Seats	Quota	DUP	UUP	TUV	UKIP	PUP	All	SDLP	SF	Ind	DVP	Green
Ballymena	15,896	7,023	67	6,956*	7	870	1,898	485	1,051	143	0	578	848	521	1,412	0	0
Bannside	14,393	8,169	96	8,073	6	1,154	2,183	1,232	2,937	0	0	750	0	971	0	0	0
Braid	16,951	8,936	96	8,840	7	1106	3,331	1,884	1,774	0	0	703	0	631	517	0	0
Knockagh	12,289	5,762	59	5,703	5	951	1,183	1,406	328	0	185	1,173	0	0	798	0	0
Carrick Castle	13,323	5,721	68	5,653	5	943	2,022	1,258	0	104	119	1210	0	0	675	265	0
Coast Road	12,429	8,169	70	5,616	5	937	1,737	728	601	0	0	1,217	0	873	460	0	0
Larne Lough	13,129	6,086	100	5,986	5	998	1,972	1,547	435	0	0	1,776	0	0	0	0	256
Total	98,410	49,866	556	46,827	40	6,959	14,956	8,540	7,126	247	304	7,407	848	2,996	3,862	265	256

Source: Mid and East Antrim Borough Council, 2019
*For Ballymena total No. of Valid votes and total to each party do not tally (difference of 20 votes)

Table H2: Mid and East Antrim Local Government Election Results (1st Preference Votes) - May 2019

District Electoral Ward	Unionist		Nationalist		Other	
	No. of Votes	%	No. of Votes	%	No. of Votes	%
Ballymena DEA	3,577	51.6%	1,369	19.7%	1,990	28.7%
Bannside	6,352	78.7%	971	12%	750	9.3%
Braid	6,989	79.1%	631	7.1%	1,220	13.8%
Carrick Castle	3,503	62%	0	0%	2,150	38%
Knockagh	3,732	65.4%	0	0%	1,971	34.6%
Coast Road	3,066	54.5%	873	15.5%	1,677	30%
Larne Lough	3,954	66.1%	0	0%	2,032	33.9%
Borough Total	31,173	66.6%	3,844	8.2%	11,790	25.2%

Source: Mid and East Antrim Borough Council, 2019 (For the purposes of this table Alliance, Green, DVP and Independents have been included under 'Other')

APPENDIX I **Spatial Deprivation**

Table I1: Multiple Deprivation in Mid and East Antrim- 2010

Rank in Mid & East Antrim District	Super Output Area	District	Multiple Deprivation Measure score	Rank of Multiple Deprivation Measure Score (where 1 is most deprived)
1	Northland	Carrickfergus	43.84	93
2	Ballee	Ballymena	43.57	94
3	Ballyloran	Larne	40.09	113
4	Sunnylands	Carrickfergus	38.95	122
5	Antiville	Larne	38.32	128
6	Moat	Ballymena	37.65	131
7	Craigy Hill	Larne	37.51	135
8	Ballykeel	Ballymena	36.63	146
9	Love Lane	Carrickfergus	35.43	156
10	Dunclug	Ballymena	35.18	160
11	Castle Demesne	Ballymena	31.28	196
12	Fair Green	Ballymena	29.86	214
13	Killycrot	Carrickfergus	29.59	221
14	Central	Larne	27.37	247
15	Gortalee	Carrickfergus	26.46	264
16	Harryville	Ballymena	26.13	266
17	Clipperstown	Carrickfergus	25.27	285
18	Blackcave	Larne	25.15	286
19	Carnlough	Larne	24.69	297
20	Town Parks	Larne	19.37	396
21	Glenarm	Larne	17.97	419
22	Harbour	Larne	17.71	432
23	Cullybackey	Ballymena	17.42	440
24	Portglenone 2	Ballymena	17.11	448
25	Kells 1	Ballymena	16.69	455
26	Milebush	Carrickfergus	15.60	481
27	Victoria	Carrickfergus	14.88	512
28	Glenravel	Ballymena	14.06	537
29	Ahoghill 1	Ballymena	13.97	542
30	Gardenmore	Larne	13.55	553
31	Dunminning	Ballymena	13.06	569
32	Island Magee	Larne	12.95	573
33	Portglenone 1	Ballymena	12.86	575
34	Blackhead	Carrickfergus	11.63	614
35	Kilwaughter 2	Larne	11.42	620
36	Glenwhirry	Ballymena	11.17	630
37	Slemish	Ballymena	11.09	631
38	Grange	Ballymena	10.28	647
39	Ballycarry	Larne	10.23	649
40	Park	Ballymena	10.22	650
41	Glynn	Larne	9.70	665
42	Woodburn	Carrickfergus	9.12	682
43	Kilwaughter 1	Larne	8.86	687
44	Academy	Ballymena	8.83	689
45	Whitehead	Carrickfergus	8.78	692
46	Craigywarren	Ballymena	8.56	697
47	Eden 2	Carrickfergus	8.53	698
48	Summerfield	Ballymena	8.07	710
49	Broughshane 1	Ballymena	7.87	717
50	Greenisland	Carrickfergus	7.24	731
51	Kells 2	Ballymena	7.21	734
52	Galgorm 1	Ballymena	7.02	739
53	Burleigh Hill 1	Carrickfergus	6.95	741
54	Broughshane 2	Ballymena	6.61	749
55	Carncastle	Larne	5.95	766
56	Ahoghill 2	Ballymena	5.87	770
57	Burleigh Hill 2	Carrickfergus	4.99	806
58	Boneybefore	Carrickfergus	4.82	809
59	Ardeevin	Ballymena	4.61	820
60	Eden 1	Carrickfergus	4.58	822
61	Bluefield 2	Carrickfergus	3.78	849
62	Knockagh	Carrickfergus	3.72	852
63	Ballyloughan	Ballymena	3.53	860
64	Bluefield 1	Carrickfergus	3.04	870
65	Galgorm 2	Ballymena	2.89	871

Source: NISRA Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measure 2010 (statistical geographies)

Table I2: Multiple Deprivation in Mid and East Antrim- 2017

Rank in Mid and East Antrim	Super Output Area	Former coucil Borough	Rank of Multiple Deprivation Measure Score (where 1 is the most deprived)
1	Northland	Carrickfergus	65
2	Ballee	Ballymena	85
3	Moat	Ballymena	91
4	Ballyloran	Larne	104
5	Ballykeel	Ballymena	110
6	Dunclug	Ballymena	154
7	Antiville	Larne	156
8	Love Lane	Carrickfergus	173
9	Castle Demesne	Ballymena	183
10	Central	Larne	192
11	Craigy Hill	Larne	209
12	Fair Green	Ballymena	222
13	Harryville	Ballymena	228
14	Sunnylands	Carrickfergus	230
15	Killycrot	Carrickfergus	252
16	Gortalee	Carrickfergus	276
17	Glenarm	Larne	281
18	Clipperstown	Carrickfergus	286
19	Town Parks	Larne	292
20	Portglenone 2	Ballymena	342
21	Blackcave	Larne	367
22	Carnlough	Larne	369
23	Harbour	Larne	441
24	Slemish	Ballymena	484
25	Island Magee	Larne	514
26	Kells 1	Ballymena	518
27	Milebush	Carrickfergus	536
28	Park	Ballymena	537
29	Cullybackey	Ballymena	538
30	Glynn	Larne	555
31	Kilwaughter 2	Larne	568
32	Craigywarren	Ballymena	590
33	Dunminning	Ballymena	591
34	Gardenmore	Larne	595
35	Portglenone 1	Ballymena	596
36	Ahoghill 1	Ballymena	598
37	Blackhead	Carrickfergus	605
38	Victoria	Carrickfergus	609
39	Ballycarry	Larne	612
40	Eden 2	Carrickfergus	617
41	Glenwhirry	Ballymena	642
42	Woodburn	Carrickfergus	644
43	Grange	Ballymena	648
44	Glenravel	Ballymena	679
45	Academy	Ballymena	681
46	Broughshane 1	Ballymena	691
47	Kells 2	Ballymena	692
48	Whitehead	Carrickfergus	699
49	Broughshane 2	Ballymena	717
50	Kilwaughter 1	Larne	728
51	Carncastle	Larne	729
52	Summerfield	Ballymena	734
53	Eden 1	Carrickfergus	752
54	Bluefield 1	Carrickfergus	766
55	Burleigh Hill 1	Carrickfergus	774
56	Ahoghill 2	Ballymena	778
57	Greenisland	Carrickfergus	783
58	Boneybefore	Carrickfergus	791
59	Galgorm 1	Ballymena	794
60	Bluefield 2	Carrickfergus	810
61	Ardeevin	Ballymena	817
62	Burleigh Hill 2	Carrickfergus	829
63	Knockagh	Carrickfergus	865
64	Galgorm 2	Ballymena	869
65	Ballyloughan	Ballymena	874

Source: NISRA – Northern Ireland Multiple Deprivation Measure 2017 (NIMDM2017)

Map I1: Multiple Deprivation Measure (MDM) 2017

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council

MDM Rank in MEA
(Super Output Areas Deciles)

1 - 13 (Most Deprived)
14 - 26
27 - 39
40 - 52
53 - 65 (Least Deprived)

Source: NISRA, NI Multiple Deprivation Measure 2017

MEA Council Boundary
Settlement Development Limit

N

Larne

Carrickfergus

Ballymena

Carncas

Glenarm

Carnlough

Slemish

Glenravel

Broughshane_2

Broughshane_1

Dunminning

Craigywarren

Cullybackey

Portglenone_2

Portglenone_1

Ahoghill_1

Ahoghill_2

Grange

Glenwhirry

Kells_2

Kells

Kilwaughter_2

Glynn

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Causeway Cost and Glens Borough Council

Mid Ulster District Council

Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council

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Map I2: Multiple Deprivation Measure (MDM) 2017
Mid and East Antrim Borough Council
Ballymena Town

MDM Rank in MEA
(Super Output Areas Deciles)

1 - 13 (Most Deprived)
14 - 26
27 - 39
40 - 52
53 - 65 (Least Deprived)

Source: NISRA, NI Multiple Deprivation Measure 2017

MEA Council Boundary

Settlement Development Limit

Map 13: Multiple Deprivation
Measure (MDM) 2017

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council
Carrickfergus Town

MDM Rank in MEA
(Super Output Areas Deciles)

- 1 - 13 (Most Deprived)
- 14 - 26
- 27 - 39
- 40 - 52
- 53 - 65 (Least Deprived)

Source: NISRA, NI Multiple
Deprivation Measure 2017

MEA Council Boundary

Settlement Development Limit

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Map I4: Multiple Deprivation
Measure (MDM) 2017

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council
Larne Town

MDM Rank in MEA
(Super Output Areas Deciles)

1 - 13 (Most Deprived)
14 - 26
27 - 39
40 - 52
53 - 65 (Least Deprived)

Source: NISRA, NI Multiple
Deprivation Measure 2017

MEA Council Boundary
Settlement Development Limit

Island Magee

Harbour

Blackcave

Town Parks

Central_Larne

Gardenmore

Antiville

Craigy Hill

Ballyloran

Carncastle

Kilwaughter_1

Glynn

Glenarm

Kilwaughter_2

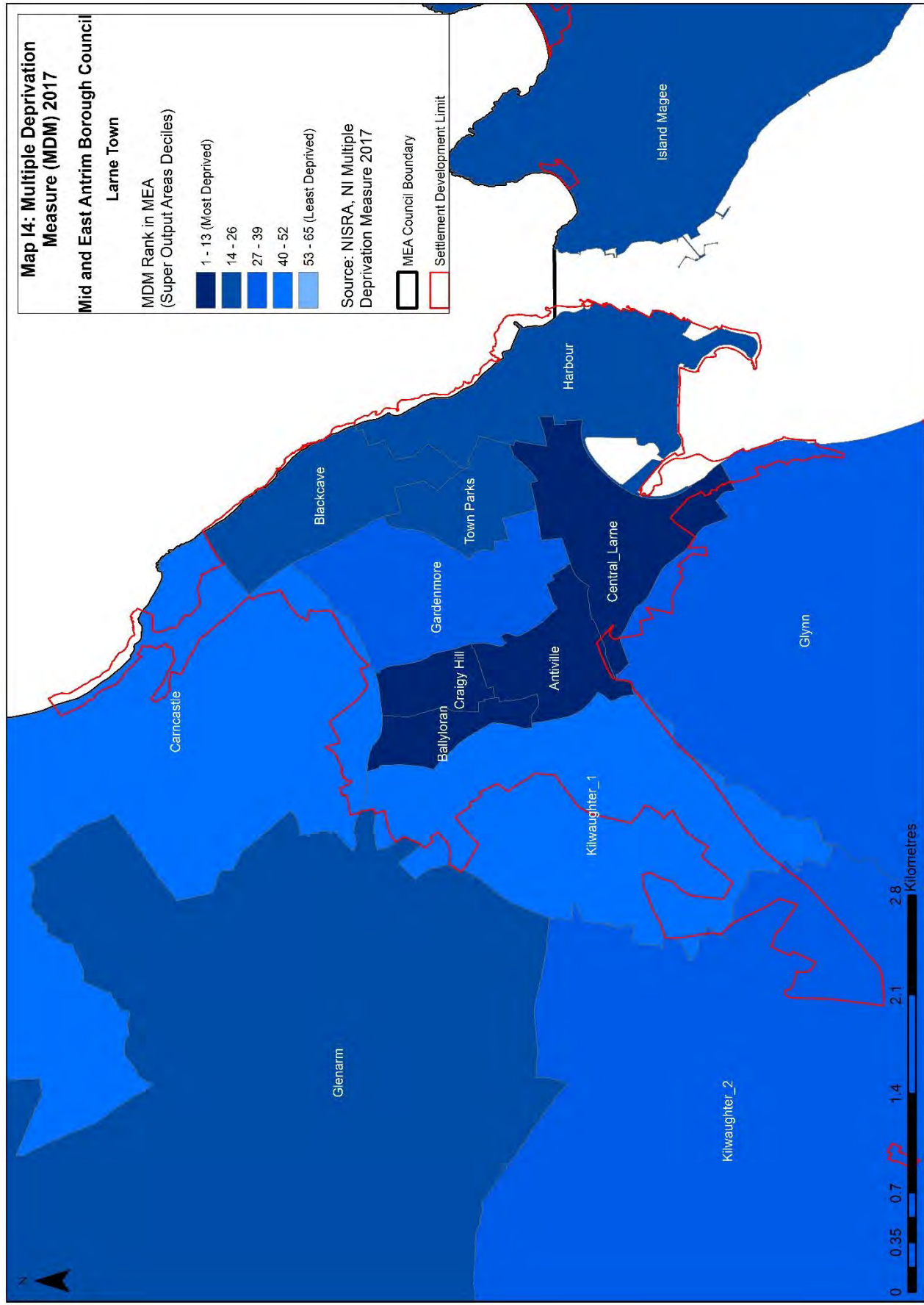0   0.35   0.7   1.4   2.1   2.8
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Table: I3: Economic Activity of the Population (16-74 year olds) - 2011

	All usual residents 16-74 years	Economically Active (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)		Economically Inactive (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)		Unemployed (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)		Long-term unemployed (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)		% of unemployed that are long-term unemployed
		Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	
Northern Ireland	1,313,420	869,767	**66.22%**	443,653	**33.78%**	65,196	**4.96%**	29,324	**2.23%**	**44.98%**
Mid & East Antrim	98,559	67,578	**68.57%**	30,981	**31.43%**	4,109	**4.17%**	1,807	**1.83%**	**43.98%**
Ballymena	46,337	32,020	**69.10%**	14,317	**30.90%**	1,847	**3.99%**	800	**1.73%**	**43.31%**
Carrickfergus	28,657	19,596	**68.38%**	9,061	**31.62%**	1,275	**4.45%**	606	**2.11%**	**47.53%**
Larne	23,565	15,962	**67.74%**	7,603	**32.26%**	987	**4.19%**	401	**1.70%**	**40.63%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Economic Activity: KS601NI (administrative geographies)

Table I4: Economically Active Population of Mid and East Antrim (16-74 year olds) - 2011

	All usual residents: Aged 16-74 years	Economically active: Total (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)	Employee: Part-time (% of economically active total)	Employee: Full-time (% of economically active total)	Self-employed (% of economically active total)	Unemployed (% of economically active total)	Full-time student (% of economically active total)
Northern Ireland	1,313,420	869,767 **66.22%**	172,138 **19.79%**	467,805 **53.79%**	116,666 **13.41%**	65,196 **7.50%**	47,962 **5.51%**
Mid & East Antrim	98,559	67,578 **68.57%**	13,473 **19.94%**	38,426 **56.86%**	8,618 **12.75%**	4,109 **6.08%**	2,952 **4.37%**
Ballymena	46,337	32,020 **69.10%**	6,354 **19.84%**	17,908 **55.93%**	4,622 **14.43%**	1,847 **5.77%**	1,289 **4.03%**
Carrickfergus	28,657	19,596 **68.38%**	3,985 **20.34%**	11,474 **58.55%**	1,865 **9.52%**	1,275 **6.51%**	997 **5.09%**
Larne	23,565	15,962 **67.74%**	3,134 **19.63%**	9,044 **56.66%**	2,131 **13.35%**	987 **6.18%**	666 **4.17%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Economic Activity: KS601NI (administrative geographies)

Note: NISRA Economically Active Definition: A person aged 16 to 74 is described as economically active if, in the week before the census, they were: • in employment, as an employee or self-employed; • not in employment, but were seeking work and ready to start work within two weeks; or • not in employment, but waiting to start a job already obtained and available. Full-time students who fulfil any of these criteria are classified as economically active and are counted separately in the 'Full-time student' category of economically active – they are not included in any of the other categories such as employees or unemployed.

Table I5: Economically Inactive Population of Mid and East Antrim (16-74 year olds) in 2011

	All usual residents: Aged 16-74 years	Economically inactive Total: (% of all usual residents 16-74yrs)	Retired (% of economically inactive total)	Student (inc full-time students) (% of economically inactive total)	Looking after home or family (% of economically inactive total)	Long-term sick or disabled (% of economically inactive total)	Other (% of economically inactive total)
Northern Ireland	1,313,420	443,653 **33.78%**	170,016 **38.32%**	81,158 **18.29%**	58,398 **13.16%**	95,480 **21.52%**	38,601 **8.70%**
Mid & East Antrim	98,559	30,981 **31.43%**	14,725 **47.53%**	4,769 **15.39%**	3,690 **11.91%**	5,550 **17.91%**	2,247 **7.25%**
Ballymena	46,337	14,317 **30.90%**	6,641 **46.39%**	2,243 **15.67%**	1,811 **12.65%**	2,482 **17.34%**	1,140 **7.96%**
Carrickfergus	28,657	9,061 **31.62%**	4,333 **47.82%**	1,453 **16.04%**	1,030 **11.37%**	1,672 **18.45%**	573 **6.32%**
Larne	23,565	7,603 **32.26%**	3,751 **49.34%**	1,073 **14.11%**	849 **11.17%**	1,396 **18.36%**	534 **7.02%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Economic Activity: KS601NI (administrative geographies)

Note: NISRA Economically Inactive Definition: A person aged 16 to 74 is described as economically inactive if, in the week before the census, they were not in employment but did not meet the criteria to be classified as 'Unemployed'. This includes a person looking for work but not available to start work within two weeks, as well as anyone not looking for work, or unable to work – for example retired, looking after home/family, permanently sick or disabled. Students who fulfil any of these criteria are also classified as economically inactive. This does not necessarily mean they were in full-time education and excludes students who were working or in some other way economically active.

Table I6: Claimant Count Unemployment rates- 2008 – 2018

	Claimant Count Annual Averages (%)										
	2018	**2017**	**2016**	**2015**	**2014**	**2013**	**2012**	**2011**	**2010**	**2009**	**2008**
Northern Ireland	2.5%	2.6%	3.1%	3.7%	4.6%	5.4%	5.4%	5.2%	5.0%	4.3%	2.4%
Mid and East Antrim	2.3%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%	3.7%	4.3%	4.2%	3.9%	3.8%	3.5%	1.8%

Source: NISRA Claimant Count Annual Averages Experimental (administrative geographies)

Note: The claimant count is an administrative data source derived from Jobs and Benefits Offices systems, which records the number of people claiming unemployment-related benefits. From 21st March 2018 NISRA changed the claimant count measure from one based solely on Jobseekers Allowance to an experimental measure based on Jobseeker's Allowance plus out-of-work Universal Credit claimants who were claiming principally for the reason of being unemployed. The definition of out-of-work Universal Credit Claimants is close to but not exactly the same as Jobseekers Allowance claimants. Out-of-work Universal Credit claimants have been added to the claimant count from September 2017.

Highest %
Lowest %

Table I7: Employee Jobs by Industry- 2011

	Total No. of Jobs	Jobs in Construction	Jobs in Manufacturing	Jobs in Services	Jobs Other
Northern Ireland	681,641	32,930 **4.83%**	73,997 **10.86%**	566,153 **83.06%**	8,561 **1.26%**
Mid & East Antrim	42,306	2,240 **5.29%**	8,891 **21.02%**	30,272 **71.55%**	903 **2.13%**
Ballymena	25,602	1,708 **6.67%**	5,895 **23.03%**	17,808 **69.56%**	191 **0.75%**
Carrickfergus	8,419	269 **3.20%**	1,123 **13.34%**	6,768 **80.39%**	259 **3.08%**
Larne	8,285	263 **3.17%**	1,873 **22.61%**	5,696 **68.75%**	453 **5.47%**

Source: NISRA 2011 Employee Jobs (administrative geographies)

Table I8: Qualifications of Population over 16 years of age in Mid and East Antrim District- 2011

	All usual residents aged 16 and over	No or Low qualification*	Degree or Higher qualification
N. Ireland	1,431,540	581,649 **40.63%**	338,544 **23.65%**
Mid & East Antrim	108,593	44,189 **40.69%**	24,010 **22.11%**
Ballymena	51,185	21,656 **42.31%**	11,263 **22.00%**
Carrickfergus	31,409	12,029 **38.30%**	7,325 **23.32%**
Larne	25,999	10,504 **40.40%**	5,422 **20.85%**

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Highest Level of Qualification by Age LC5101NI (administrative geographies)

*No qualifications: No academic or professional qualifications or Level 1: 1-4 O Levels/CSE/GCSEs (any grades), Entry Level, Foundation Diploma, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ, Basic/Essential Skills

APPENDIX J: **Data for SOAs in Mid and East Antrim**

Table J1: Disability, health, unpaid care provision, age structure and dependent children in Ballymena District (Super Output Areas- 2011)

SOA NAME	All persons	% Long term limiting illness	% Good/V. Good Health	%Who provide unpaid care	% Children under 16 years	% People aged 65 and over	% Households with dependent children
Academy	2099	19.87%	80.71%	11.91%	15.91%	26.16%	25.00%
Ahoghill 1	1453	19.82%	79.90%	10.19%	18.65%	16.52%	31.55%
Ahoghill 2	2435	13.92%	87.02%	10.92%	23.66%	10.80%	40.97%
Ardeevin	3503	15.59%	86.35%	10.71%	20.67%	17.27%	33.69%
Ballee	1926	24.56%	71.44%	11.06%	21.50%	15.47%	31.55%
Ballykeel	1739	22.20%	76.31%	10.87%	23.52%	9.72%	37.81%
Ballyloughan	2588	22.33%	79.52%	12.94%	14.37%	25.81%	27.22%
Broughshane 1	1596	22.12%	77.01%	12.09%	17.29%	23.75%	27.58%
Broughshane 2	1767	18.11%	82.74%	10.07%	21.34%	18.51%	32.37%
Castle Demesne	2126	27.61%	72.44%	10.25%	13.36%	20.04%	19.02%
Craigywarren	2590	16.45%	84.29%	11.54%	20.50%	17.34%	33.48%
Cullybackey	2805	20.71%	79.32%	10.70%	18.11%	18.40%	28.64%
Dunclug	2363	18.92%	80.19%	8.04%	27.30%	9.61%	38.53%
Dunminning	2610	17.97%	82.49%	11.42%	20.73%	16.93%	36.97%
Fair Green	1784	23.37%	77.75%	8.30%	19.56%	19.11%	28.88%
Galgorm 1	1603	15.91%	84.09%	10.54%	21.90%	15.66%	36.90%
Galgorm 2	1674	12.01%	88.89%	12.31%	19.47%	15.41%	34.60%
Glenravel	3451	13.94%	86.67%	10.81%	24.49%	11.56%	39.61%
Glenwhirry	2981	17.71%	82.99%	12.65%	20.56%	14.66%	34.84%
Grange	3461	15.23%	85.52%	10.46%	23.20%	13.58%	40.16%
Harryville	1885	26.63%	70.98%	12.20%	13.26%	23.98%	19.82%
Kells 1	1904	20.43%	78.68%	11.24%	22.69%	13.55%	38.11%
Kells 2	1460	18.56%	82.40%	13.97%	18.56%	17.12%	31.31%
Moat	1746	28.41%	71.36%	11.34%	17.41%	18.56%	23.49%
Park	2139	16.13%	83.45%	11.50%	18.47%	17.06%	30.64%
Portglenone 1	1555	20.32%	81.80%	10.03%	18.01%	16.40%	32.38%
Portglenone 2	1581	20.81%	79.32%	9.74%	21.32%	14.74%	34.67%
Slemish	2509	17.70%	83.86%	13.67%	19.21%	17.30%	35.64%
Summerfield	2711	16.82%	83.07%	11.36%	20.62%	13.61%	36.57%

*Source: NISRA Census 2011 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care: KS301NI (statistical geographies) * % Long term limiting illness is calculated from table KS301NI by adding Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a lot & Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a little, Age Structure: KS102NI (statistical geographies), Household Composition - Households: QS111NI (statistical geographies).*

Table J2: Disability, health, unpaid care provision, age structure and dependent children in Carrickfergus District (Super Output Areas - 2011)
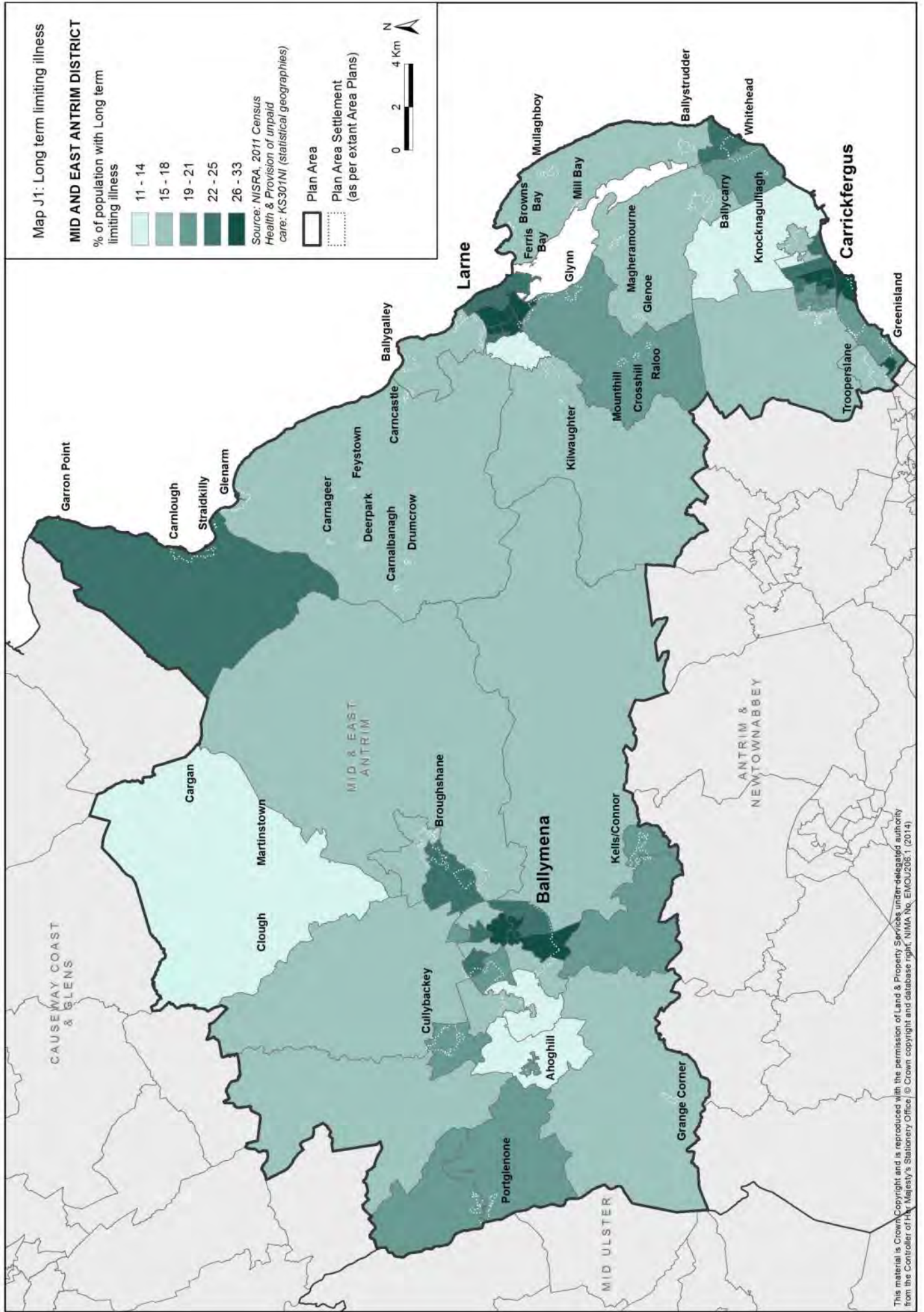
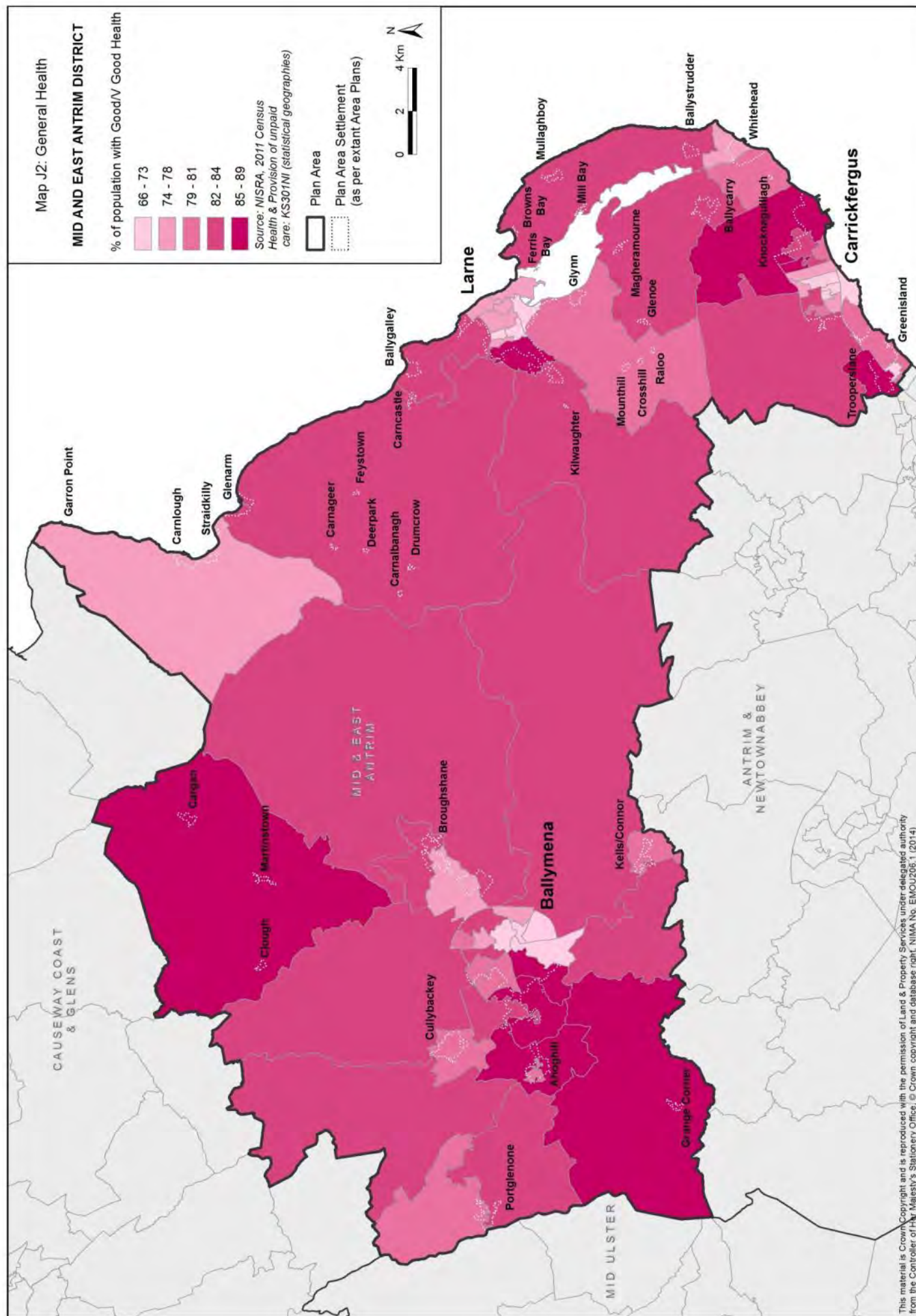| SOA NAME	All persons	% Long term limiting illness	%Good/ V. Good Health	% Who provide unpaid care	% Children under 16 years	% People aged 65 and over	% Households with dependent children
Blackhead	2059	24.28%	77.71%	13.11%	16.90%	23.85%	27.42%
Bluefield 1	1358	17.53%	82.92%	13.62%	19.88%	16.42%	36.02%
Bluefield 2	1604	13.34%	86.78%	12.53%	24.88%	6.05%	51.02%
Boneybefore	1663	24.41%	78.29%	16.84%	15.57%	27.06%	22.31%
Burleigh Hill 1	1709	19.66%	80.05%	13.75%	19.37%	11.76%	36.28%
Burleigh Hill 2	1358	19.88%	81.89%	14.43%	15.10%	15.02%	33.79%
Clipperstown	2171	21.19%	77.98%	10.55%	24.92%	11.33%	38.99%
Eden 1	2231	11.70%	87.49%	10.17%	25.82%	6.45%	46.98%
Eden 2	2566	15.90%	84.37%	12.31%	23.77%	9.66%	44.13%
Gortalee	1493	27.13%	72.94%	11.65%	17.35%	17.88%	24.97%
Greenisland	2619	19.59%	80.60%	14.01%	17.18%	18.48%	28.99%
Killycrot	2620	30.42%	70.15%	10.65%	12.18%	22.63%	17.85%
Knockagh	2489	15.11%	86.46%	14.10%	22.74%	14.95%	38.20%
Love Lane	1417	28.93%	70.08%	11.57%	19.34%	20.68%	28.55%
Milebush	1552	22.04%	78.03%	14.63%	19.33%	16.62%	30.67%
Northland	1407	23.45%	71.71%	11.16%	25.23%	10.66%	37.46%
Sunnylands	1530	32.88%	65.95%	11.96%	16.27%	22.09%	22.38%
Victoria (Carrickfergus LGD)	2630	23.73%	77.34%	12.21%	18.10%	16.39%	31.21%
Whitehead	2159	19.50%	81.29%	13.06%	18.16%	20.84%	29.55%
Woodburn	2479	15.33%	83.42%	12.99%	21.22%	12.63%	39.98%

*Source: NISRA Census 2011 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care: KS301NI (statistical geographies) * % Long term limiting illness is calculated from table KS301NI by adding Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a lot & Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a little, Age Structure: KS102NI (statistical geographies), Household Composition - Households: QS111NI (statistical geographies).*
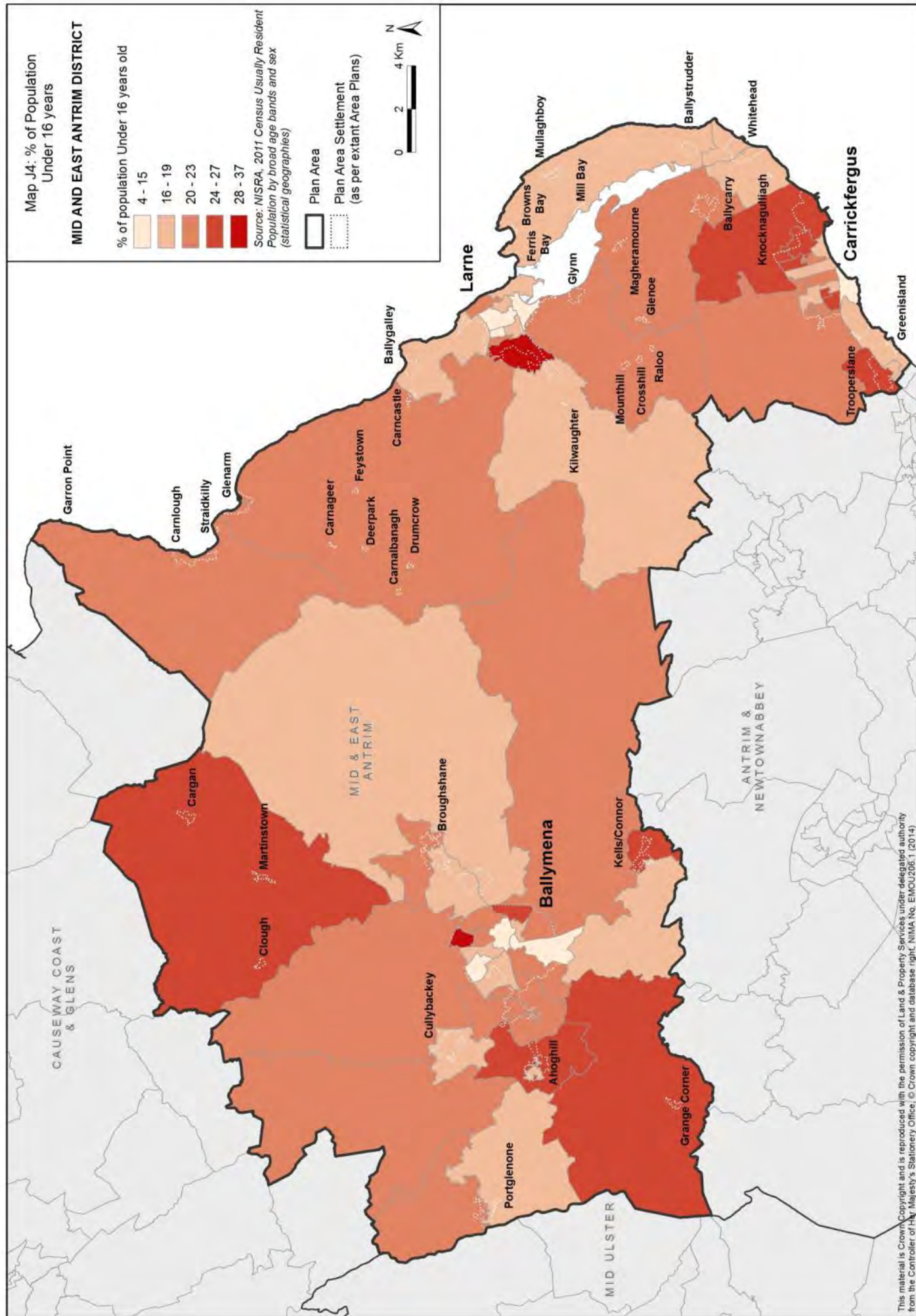
Table J3: Disability, health, unpaid care provision, age structure and dependent children in Larne District (Super Output Areas - 2011)

SOA NAME	All usual residents	% Long term limiting illness	% Good/V. Good Health	% Who provide unpaid care	% Children under 16 years	% People aged 65 and over	% Households with dependent children
Antiville	1483	29.67%	71.21%	13.42%	17.26%	21.17%	24.05%
Ballycarry	2582	16.11%	82.88%	12.35%	20.84%	12.74%	34.24%
Ballyloran	1096	25.27%	74.45%	11.22%	20.62%	18.89%	30.97%
Blackcave	1635	23.85%	75.35%	12.78%	20.37%	14.98%	32.51%
Carncastle	2875	17.18%	83.41%	12.97%	18.43%	17.74%	32.03%
Carnlough	2041	22.98%	76.83%	10.53%	21.46%	15.68%	36.34%
Central (Larne LGD)	1817	29.11%	68.68%	11.12%	12.27%	24.77%	18.72%
Craigy Hill	1455	32.23%	67.35%	15.05%	14.91%	24.33%	22.06%
Gardenmore	1916	28.29%	74.01%	12.89%	12.89%	30.11%	22.20%
Glenarm	1851	17.07%	84.33%	11.35%	21.72%	14.80%	34.88%
Glynn	2027	18.99%	81.45%	14.85%	20.03%	16.28%	33.12%
Harbour	1811	24.24%	76.59%	12.09%	15.85%	21.20%	27.44%
Island Magee	2568	17.83%	82.55%	13.32%	18.50%	15.50%	31.91%
Kilwaughter 1	3660	11.39%	88.01%	11.20%	27.70%	5.00%	47.73%
Kilwaughter 2	1770	17.18%	83.95%	13.79%	18.93%	16.61%	31.22%
Town Parks	1593	23.85%	74.45%	11.17%	15.94%	19.77%	23.39%

*Source: NISRA Census 2011 Health and Provision of Unpaid Care: KS301NI (statistical geographies) * % Long term limiting illness is calculated from table KS301NI by adding Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a lot & Long-term health problem or disability: Day-to-day activities limited a little, Age Structure: KS102NI (statistical geographies), Household Composition - Households: QS111NI (statistical geographies).*
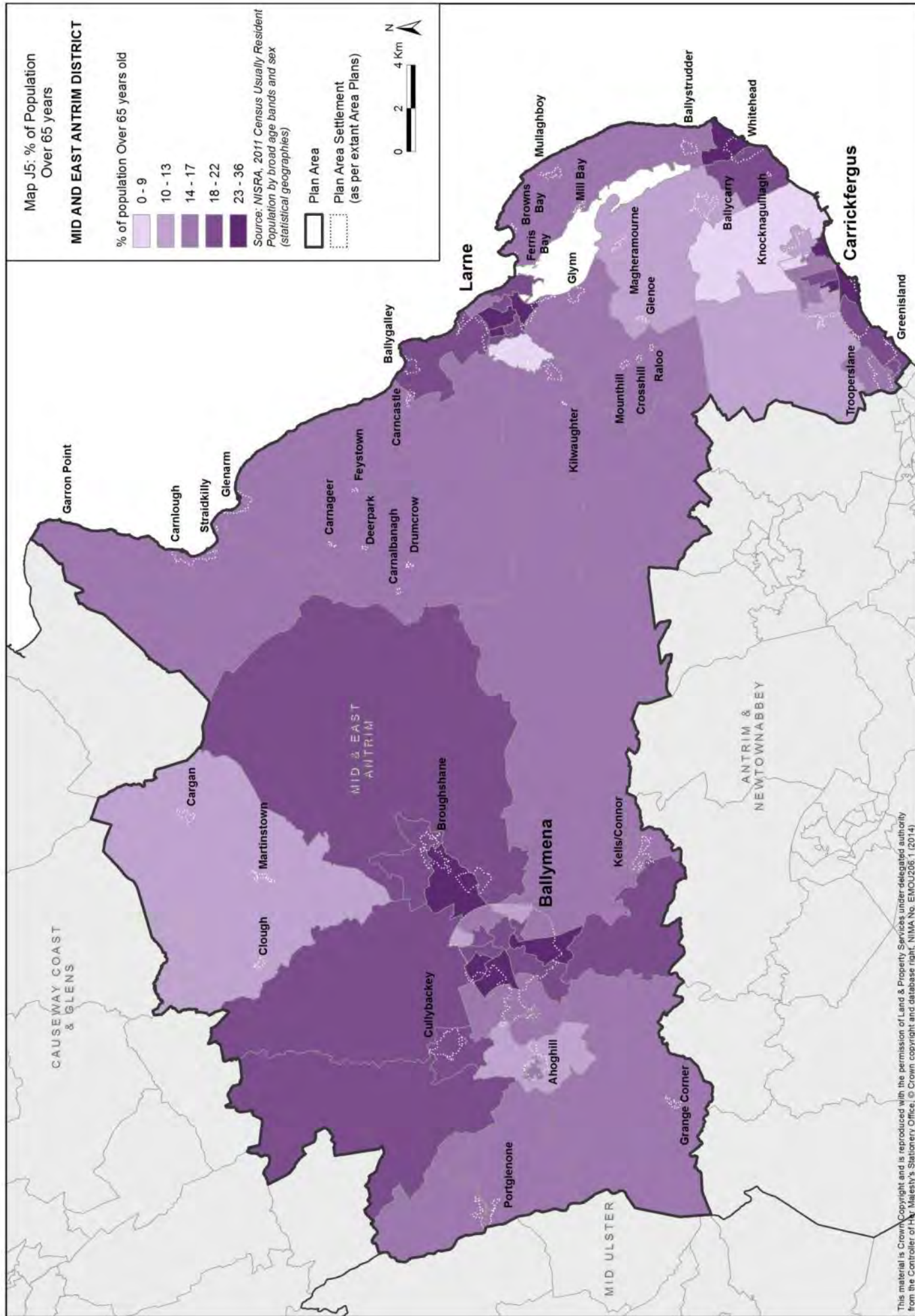
Map J1: Long term limiting illness

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% of population with Long term limiting illness

11 - 14
15 - 18
19 - 21
22 - 25
26 - 33

Source: NISRA. 2011 Census
Health & Provision of unpaid
care: KS301NI (statistical geographies)

Plan Area

Plan Area Settlement
(as per extant Area Plans)

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Map J2: General Health
MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% providing unpaid care

- 8 - 10
- 11 - 12
- 13
- 14
- 15 - 17

Source: NISRA, 2011 Census Health & Provision of unpaid care: KS301NI (statistical geographies)

Plan Area

Plan Area Settlement (as per extant Area Plans)

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Larne

Carrickfergus

Ballymena

Ballystrudder

Whitehead

Mullaghboy

Browns Bay

Ferris Bay

Mill Bay

Glynn

Magheramourne

Glenoe

Ballycarry

Knocknagulliagh

Greenisland

Troopersiane

Kilwaughter

Ballygalley

Carncastle

Feystown

Carnageer

Deerpark

Carnalbanagh

Drumcrow

Garron Point

Carnlough

Straidkilly

Glenarm

Cargan

Martinstown

Broughshane

MID & EAST ANTRIM

Kells/Connor

Clough

Cullybackey

Ahoghill

Grange Corner

Portglenone

CAUSEWAY COAST & GLENS

ANTRIM & NEWTOWNABBEY

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Map J4: % of Population
Under 16 years

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% of population Under 16 years old

4 - 15
16 - 19
20 - 23
24 - 27
28 - 37

Source: NISRA, 2011 Census Usually Resident
Population by broad age bands and sex
(statistical geographies)

Plan Area

Plan Area Settlement
(as per extant Area Plans)

N

0   2   4 Km

Garron Point

Carnlough
Straidkilly
Glenarm

Ballygalley

Larne

Ferris
Bay
Browns
Bay
Mill Bay
Glynn

Mullaghboy

Ballystrudder
Whitehead

Carrickfergus

Greenisland

Ballycarry
Knocknagulliagh

Troopersiane

Magheramourne
Glenoe
Raloo
Mounthill
Crosshill

Kilwaughter

Carncastle
Feystown
Carnageer
Deerpark
Carnalbanagh
Drumcrow

MID & EAST
ANTRIM

Broughshane

Kells/Connor

Ballymena

Cargan
Martinstown

Clough

Cullybackey

Ahoghill

Grange Corner

Portglenone

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Map J5: % of Population
Over 65 years

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% of population Over 65 years old

- 0 - 9
- 10 - 13
- 14 - 17
- 18 - 22
- 23 - 36

Source: NISRA, 2011 Census Usually Resident
Population by broad age bands and sex
(statistical geographies)

- Plan Area
- Plan Area Settlement
  (as per extant Area Plans)

N

0   2   4 Km

Garron Point
Carnlough
Straidkilly
Glenarm
Carnageer
Feystown
Deerpark
Carnalbanagh
Drumcrow
Carncastle
Ballygalley
Larne
Ferris Bay
Browns Bay
Mullaghboy
Glynn
Mill Bay
Magheramourne
Glenoe
Mounthill
Crosshill
Raloo
Kilwaughter
Ballystrudder
Whitehead
Ballycarry
Knocknagulliagh
Trooperslane
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Map J6: Households with Dependent Children

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% of households with dependent children

- 18 - 24
- 25 - 30
- 31 - 35
- 36 - 41
- 42 - 51

Source: NISRA, 2011 Census
Household Composition: KS105NI
(statistical geographies)

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Plan Area Settlement
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Table J4: Religious composition (Religion) in Ballymena (Super Output Areas - 2011)

SOA	All persons	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Academy	2099	302	14.39%	1480	70.51%
Ahoghill 1	1453	36	2.48%	1206	83.00%
Ahoghill 2	2435	143	5.87%	1957	80.37%
Ardeevin	3503	501	14.30%	2270	64.80%
Ballee	1926	95	4.93%	1397	72.53%
Ballykeel	1739	67	3.85%	1244	71.54%
Ballyloughan	2588	476	18.39%	1684	65.07%
Broughshane 1	1596	83	5.20%	1240	77.69%
Broughshane 2	1767	70	3.96%	1450	82.06%
Castle Demesne	2126	709	33.35%	883	41.53%
Craigywarren	2590	154	5.95%	2100	81.08%
Cullybackey	2805	79	2.82%	2297	81.89%
Dunclug	2363	1225	51.84%	609	25.77%
Dunminning	2610	373	14.29%	1904	72.95%
Fair Green	1784	878	49.22%	481	26.96%
Galgorm 1	1603	43	2.68%	1286	80.22%
Galgorm 2	1674	154	9.20%	1278	76.34%
Glenravel	3451	1981	57.40%	1127	32.66%
Glenwhirry	2981	349	11.71%	2207	74.04%
Grange	3461	1318	38.08%	1746	50.45%
Harryville	1885	112	5.94%	1394	73.95%
Kells 1	1904	64	3.36%	1565	82.20%
Kells 2	1460	83	5.68%	1150	78.77%
Moat	1746	91	5.21%	1283	73.48%
Park	2139	663	31.00%	1004	46.94%
Portglenone 1	1555	513	32.99%	881	56.66%
Portglenone 2	1581	529	33.46%	901	56.99%
Slemish	2509	266	10.60%	1873	74.65%
Summerfield	2711	1714	63.22%	634	23.39%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion: KS211NI (statistical geographies)

Table J5: Religion or Religion brought up in Ballymena (Super Output Areas- 2011)

SOA	All persons	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Academy	2099	334	15.91%	1648	78.51%
Ahoghill 1	1453	54	3.72%	1326	91.26%
Ahoghill 2	2435	175	7.19%	2139	87.84%
Ardeevin	3503	590	16.84%	2601	74.25%
Ballee	1926	128	6.65%	1635	84.89%
Ballykeel	1739	100	5.75%	1479	85.05%
Ballyloughan	2588	536	20.71%	1889	72.99%
Broughshane 1	1596	96	6.02%	1388	86.97%
Broughshane 2	1767	87	4.92%	1586	89.76%
Castle Demesne	2126	823	38.71%	1123	52.82%
Craigywarren	2590	169	6.53%	2295	88.61%
Cullybackey	2805	107	3.81%	2494	88.91%
Dunclug	2363	1336	56.54%	826	34.96%
Dunminning	2610	407	15.59%	2082	79.77%
Fair Green	1784	1001	56.11%	654	36.66%
Galgorm 1	1603	62	3.87%	1422	88.71%
Galgorm 2	1674	177	10.57%	1398	83.51%
Glenravel	3451	2087	60.48%	1265	36.66%
Glenwhirry	2981	372	12.48%	2458	82.46%
Grange	3461	1380	39.87%	1953	56.43%
Harryville	1885	164	8.70%	1572	83.40%
Kells 1	1904	84	4.41%	1709	89.76%
Kells 2	1460	93	6.37%	1278	87.53%
Moat	1746	124	7.10%	1486	85.11%
Park	2139	744	34.78%	1216	56.85%
Portglenone 1	1555	551	35.43%	969	62.32%
Portglenone 2	1581	551	34.85%	988	62.49%
Slemish	2509	306	12.20%	2052	81.79%
Summerfield	2711	1802	66.47%	769	28.37%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion or Religion Brought Up In: KS212NI (statistical geographies)

Table J6: Religious composition (Religion) in Carrickfergus (Super Output Areas- 2011)

SOA	All usual residents	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Blackhead	2059	236	11.46%	1189	57.75%
Bluefield 1	1358	81	5.96%	972	71.58%
Bluefield 2	1604	79	4.93%	1180	73.57%
Boneybefore	1663	153	9.20%	1166	70.11%
Burleigh Hill 1	1709	123	7.20%	1173	68.64%
Burleigh Hill 2	1358	48	3.53%	1037	76.36%
Clipperstown	2171	93	4.28%	1508	69.46%
Eden 1	2231	114	5.11%	1627	72.93%
Eden 2	2566	154	6.00%	1820	70.93%
Gortalee	1493	80	5.36%	1010	67.65%
Greenisland	2619	308	11.76%	1588	60.63%
Killycrot	2620	335	12.79%	1542	58.85%
Knockagh	2489	209	8.40%	1686	67.74%
Love Lane	1417	70	4.94%	964	68.03%
Milebush	1552	60	3.87%	1044	67.27%
Northland	1407	44	3.13%	976	69.37%
Sunnylands	1530	105	6.86%	1008	65.88%
Victoria	2630	206	7.83%	1800	68.44%
Whitehead	2159	346	16.03%	1184	54.84%
Woodburn	2479	114	4.60%	1810	73.01%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion: KS211NI (statistical geographies)

Table J7: Religion and Religion brought up in Carrickfergus (Super Output Areas- 2011)

| SOA	All persons	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Blackhead	2059	306	14.86%	1478	71.78%
Bluefield 1	1358	100	7.36%	1110	81.74%
Bluefield 2	1604	96	5.99%	1349	84.10%
Boneybefore	1663	184	11.06%	1358	81.66%
Burleigh Hill 1	1709	154	9.01%	1371	80.22%
Burleigh Hill 2	1358	61	4.49%	1196	88.07%
Clipperstown	2171	127	5.85%	1772	81.62%
Eden 1	2231	140	6.28%	1861	83.42%
Eden 2	2566	194	7.56%	2092	81.53%
Gortalee	1493	102	6.83%	1214	81.31%
Greenisland	2619	396	15.12%	1940	74.07%
Killycrot	2620	403	15.38%	1891	72.18%
Knockagh	2489	261	10.49%	1954	78.51%
Love Lane	1417	86	6.07%	1141	80.52%
Milebush	1552	83	5.35%	1242	80.03%
Northland	1407	71	5.05%	1150	81.73%
Sunnylands	1530	147	9.61%	1215	79.41%
Victoria	2630	262	9.96%	2091	79.51%
Whitehead	2159	415	19.22%	1462	67.72%
Woodburn	2479	150	6.05%	2118	85.44%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion or Religion Brought Up In: KS212NI (statistical geographies)

Table J8: Religious composition (Religion) in Larne (Super Output Areas- 2011)

SOA	All usual residents	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant/Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Antiville	1483	274	18.48%	888	59.88%
Ballycarry	2582	78	3.02%	1979	76.65%
Ballyloran	1096	196	17.88%	657	59.95%
Blackcave	1635	400	24.46%	994	60.80%
Carncastle	2875	725	25.22%	1667	57.98%
Carnlough	2041	1509	73.93%	358	17.54%
Central	1817	452	24.88%	968	53.27%
Craigy Hill	1455	342	23.51%	875	60.14%
Gardenmore	1916	603	31.47%	982	51.25%
Glenarm	1851	692	37.39%	894	48.30%
Glynn	2027	110	5.43%	1533	75.63%
Harbour	1811	296	16.34%	1131	62.45%
Island Magee	2568	80	3.12%	1847	71.92%
Kilwaughter 1	3660	709	19.37%	2217	60.57%
Kilwaughter 2	1770	96	5.42%	1373	77.57%
Town Parks	1593	447	28.06%	843	52.92%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion: KS211NI (statistical geographies)

Table J9: Religion and Religion brought up in Larne (Super Output Areas- 2011)

SOA	All persons	Catholic	Catholic (%)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related)	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related) (%)
Antiville	1483	357	24.07%	1028	69.32%
Ballycarry	2582	120	4.65%	2235	86.56%
Ballyloran	1096	243	22.17%	767	69.98%
Blackcave	1635	440	26.91%	1092	66.79%
Carncastle	2875	805	28.00%	1905	66.26%
Carnlough	2041	1578	77.32%	425	20.82%
Central	1817	541	29.77%	1153	63.46%
Craigy Hill	1455	384	26.39%	984	67.63%
Gardenmore	1916	659	34.39%	1135	59.24%
Glenarm	1851	765	41.33%	1015	54.84%
Glynn	2027	151	7.45%	1716	84.66%
Harbour	1811	368	20.32%	1323	73.05%
Island Magee	2568	125	4.87%	2142	83.41%
Kilwaughter 1	3660	812	22.19%	2535	69.26%
Kilwaughter 2	1770	141	7.97%	1512	85.42%
Town Parks	1593	514	32.27%	967	60.70%

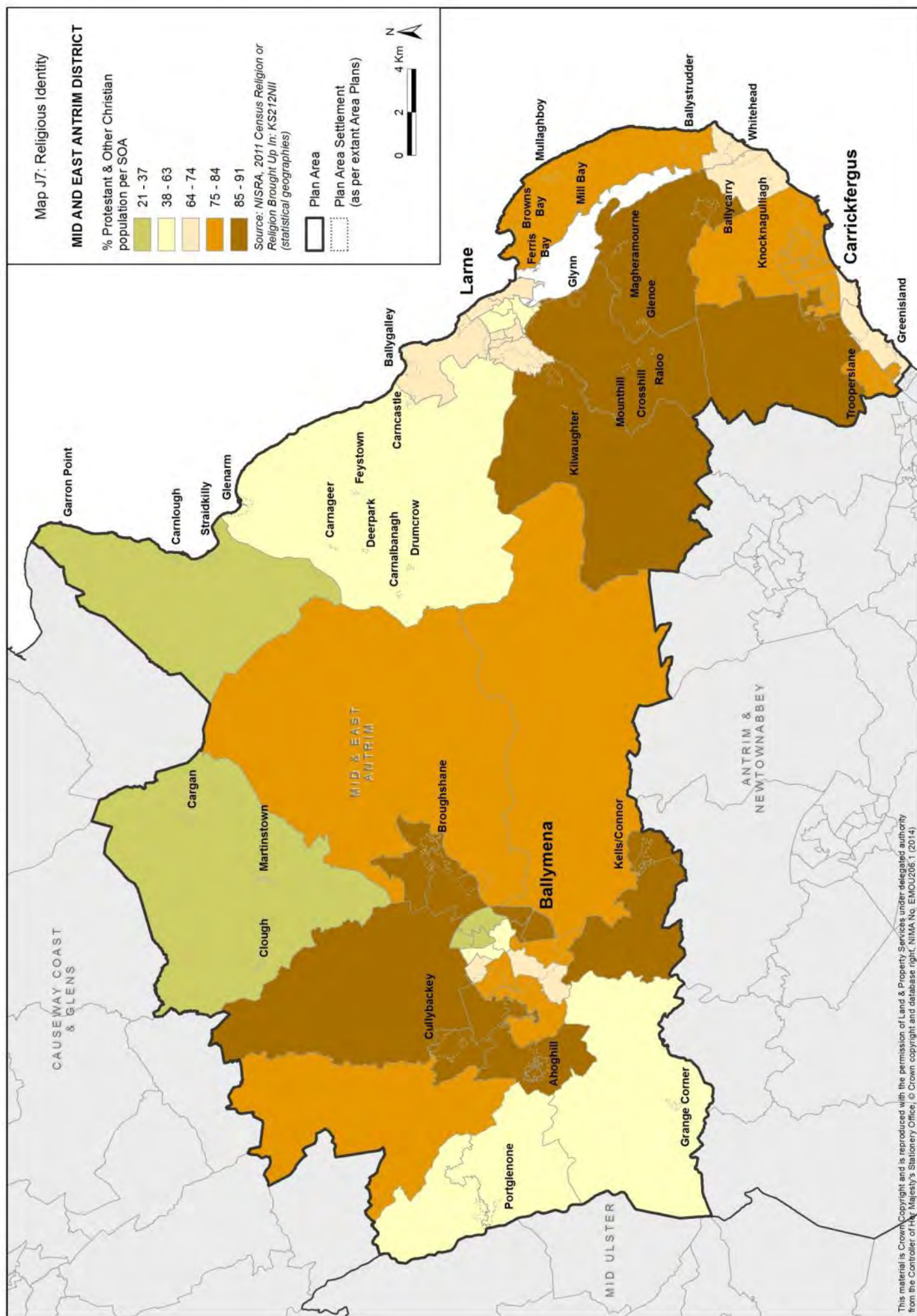*Source: NISRA Census 2011 Religion or Religion Brought Up In: KS212NI (statistical geographies)*

Map J7: Religious Identity

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% Protestant & Other Christian
population per SOA

21 - 37
38 - 63
64 - 74
75 - 84
85 - 91

Source: NISRA, 2011 Census Religion or
Religion Brought Up In: KS212NII
(statistical geographies)

Plan Area

Plan Area Settlement
(as per extant Area Plans)

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Table J10: Economic Activity of Mid & East Antrim SOAs- 2011

Rank in Mid & East Antrim (where 1 is % most unemployed)	SOA	District	All 16-74 years	Economically Active		Economically Inactive		Unemployed	
				Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
1	Love Lane	Carrickfergus	998	637	63.83%	361	36.17%	87	8.72%
2	Dunclug	Ballymena	1628	1055	64.80%	573	35.20%	133	8.17%
3	Northland	Carrickfergus	991	620	62.56%	371	37.44%	76	7.67%
4	Sunnylands	Carrickfergus	1128	654	57.98%	474	42.02%	86	7.62%
5	Moat	Ballymena	1296	773	59.65%	523	40.35%	98	7.56%
6	Clipperstown	Carrickfergus	1544	1009	65.35%	535	34.65%	114	7.38%
7	Ballykeel	Ballymena	1286	774	60.19%	512	39.81%	93	7.23%
8	Gortalee	Carrickfergus	1095	721	65.84%	374	34.16%	79	7.21%
9	Ballee	Ballymena	1377	824	59.84%	553	40.16%	99	7.19%
10	Blackcave	Larne	1208	786	65.07%	422	34.93%	84	6.95%
11	Ballyloran	Larne	788	466	59.14%	322	40.86%	53	6.73%
12	Fair Green	Ballymena	1262	813	64.42%	449	35.58%	81	6.42%
13	Antiville	Larne	1093	623	57.00%	470	43.00%	69	6.31%
14	Killycrot	Carrickfergus	1973	1216	61.63%	757	38.37%	121	6.13%
15	Castle Demesne	Ballymena	1596	1049	65.73%	547	34.27%	94	5.89%
16	Central	Larne	1362	831	61.01%	531	38.99%	79	5.80%
17	Harbour	Larne	1321	877	66.39%	444	33.61%	74	5.60%
18	Cullybackey	Ballymena	2073	1400	67.53%	673	32.47%	113	5.45%
19	Harryville	Ballymena	1403	899	64.08%	504	35.92%	76	5.42%
20	Carnlough	Larne	1467	929	63.33%	538	36.67%	74	5.04%
21	Milebush	Carrickfergus	1183	769	65.00%	414	35.00%	58	4.90%
22	Park	Ballymena	1579	1138	72.07%	441	27.93%	77	4.88%
23	Craigy Hill	Larne	1070	611	57.10%	459	42.90%	52	4.86%
24	Town Parks	Larne	1179	761	64.55%	418	35.45%	57	4.83%
25	Blackhead	Carrickfergus	1461	921	63.04%	540	36.96%	68	4.65%
26	Summerfield	Ballymena	1997	1422	71.21%	575	28.79%	87	4.36%
27	Glenravel	Ballymena	2459	1802	73.28%	657	26.72%	99	4.03%
28	Gardenmore	Larne	1363	819	60.09%	544	39.91%	53	3.89%
29	Ahoghill 2	Ballymena	1745	1350	77.36%	395	22.64%	67	3.84%
30	Whitehead	Carrickfergus	1556	1026	65.94%	530	34.06%	59	3.79%
31	Boneybefore	Carrickfergus	1194	728	60.97%	466	39.03%	43	3.60%
32	Victoria	Carrickfergus	1917	1358	70.84%	559	29.16%	69	3.60%
33	Kilwaughter 1	Larne	2578	2093	81.19%	485	18.81%	91	3.53%
34	Kells 1	Ballymena	1344	944	70.24%	400	29.76%	47	3.50%
35	Portglenone 2	Ballymena	1130	746	66.02%	384	33.98%	39	3.45%
36	Kells 2	Ballymena	1085	770	70.97%	315	29.03%	37	3.41%
37	Island Magee	Larne	1949	1346	69.06%	603	30.94%	66	3.39%
38	Eden 2	Carrickfergus	1865	1345	72.12%	520	27.88%	63	3.38%
39	Eden 1	Carrickfergus	1606	1299	80.88%	307	19.12%	53	3.30%
40	Ballyloughan	Ballymena	1870	1235	66.04%	635	33.96%	61	3.26%
41	Burleigh Hill 2	Carrickfergus	1073	740	68.97%	333	31.03%	35	3.26%
42	Galgorm 1	Ballymena	1134	806	71.08%	328	28.92%	36	3.17%
43	Woodburn	Carrickfergus	1859	1338	71.97%	521	28.03%	59	3.17%
44	Grange	Ballymena	2469	1815	73.51%	654	26.49%	78	3.16%
45	Broughshane 2	Ballymena	1238	860	69.47%	378	30.53%	39	3.15%
46	Glenarm	Larne	1326	939	70.81%	387	29.19%	41	3.09%
47	Burleigh Hill 1	Carrickfergus	1308	950	72.63%	358	27.37%	40	3.06%
48	Knockagh	Carrickfergus	1769	1285	72.64%	484	27.36%	54	3.05%
49	Ahoghill 1	Ballymena	1086	726	66.85%	360	33.15%	33	3.04%
50	Glynn	Larne	1481	1055	71.24%	426	28.76%	45	3.04%
51	Carncastle	Larne	2128	1469	69.03%	659	30.97%	64	3.01%
52	Greenisland	Carrickfergus	1947	1379	70.83%	568	29.17%	55	2.82%
53	Broughshane 1	Ballymena	1141	727	63.72%	414	36.28%	32	2.80%
54	Bluefield 1	Carrickfergus	1008	705	69.94%	303	30.06%	28	2.78%
55	Ballycarry	Larne	1938	1406	72.55%	532	27.45%	53	2.73%
56	Academy	Ballymena	1527	939	61.49%	588	38.51%	41	2.69%
57	Portglenone 1	Ballymena	1144	795	69.49%	349	30.51%	30	2.62%
58	Glenwhirry	Ballymena	2166	1615	74.56%	551	25.44%	56	2.59%
59	Kilwaughter 2	Larne	1314	951	72.37%	363	27.63%	32	2.44%
60	Bluefield 2	Carrickfergus	1182	896	75.80%	286	24.20%	28	2.37%
61	Slemish	Ballymena	1810	1354	74.81%	456	25.19%	42	2.32%
62	Craigywarren	Ballymena	1863	1329	71.34%	534	28.66%	43	2.31%
63	Dunminning	Ballymena	1857	1324	71.30%	533	28.70%	41	2.21%
64	Ardeevin	Ballymena	2537	1819	71.70%	718	28.30%	53	2.09%
65	Galgorm 2	Ballymena	1235	917	74.25%	318	25.75%	22	1.78%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Economic Activity: KS601NI (statistical geographies)

Table J11: Qualifications of Population over 16 years of age in SOAs in Ballymena District- 2011

SOA	All usual residents aged 16 and over	No or low (Level 1) qualifications	% with no or low (Level 1) qualifications	Degree or higher qualification	% with degree or higher qualification
Academy	1,765	643	36.43%	538	30.48%
Ahoghill_1	1,182	548	46.36%	174	14.72%
Ahoghill_2	1,859	682	36.69%	458	24.64%
Ardeevin	2,779	834	30.01%	921	33.14%
Ballee	1,512	961	63.56%	101	6.68%
Ballykeel	1,330	787	59.17%	105	7.89%
Ballyloughan	2,216	807	36.42%	587	26.49%
Broughshane_1	1,320	598	45.30%	291	22.05%
Broughshane_2	1,390	577	41.51%	324	23.31%
Castle Demesne	1,842	1,010	54.83%	235	12.76%
Craigywarren	2,059	808	39.24%	517	25.11%
Cullybackey	2,297	1,107	48.19%	376	16.37%
Dunclug	1,718	866	50.41%	250	14.55%
Dunminning	2,069	852	41.18%	453	21.89%
Fair Green	1,435	686	47.80%	272	18.95%
Galgorm_1	1,252	525	41.93%	283	22.60%
Galgorm_2	1,348	334	24.78%	541	40.13%
Glenravel	2,606	941	36.11%	681	26.13%
Glenwhirry	2,368	887	37.46%	579	24.45%
Grange	2,658	966	36.34%	748	28.14%
Harryville	1,635	864	52.84%	254	15.54%
Kells_1	1,472	646	43.89%	273	18.55%
Kells_2	1,189	463	38.94%	275	23.13%
Moat	1,442	891	61.79%	107	7.42%
Park	1,744	707	40.54%	354	20.30%
Portglenone_1	1,275	525	41.18%	297	23.29%
Portglenone_2	1,244	548	44.05%	250	20.10%
Slemish	2,027	801	39.52%	493	24.32%
Summerfield	2,152	792	36.80%	526	24.44%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Highest Level of Qualification by Age LC5101NI (statistical geographies)

Table J12: Qualifications of Population over 16 years of age in SOAs in Carrickfergus District- 2011

SOA	All usual residents aged 16 and over	No or low (Level 1) qualifications	% with no or low (Level 1) qualifications	Degree or higher qualification	% with degree or higher qualification
Blackhead	1,711	609	35.59%	487	28.46%
Bluefield_1	1,088	375	34.47%	266	24.45%
Bluefield_2	1,205	334	27.72%	321	26.64%
Boneybefore	1,404	510	36.32%	397	28.28%
Burleigh Hill_1	1,378	483	35.05%	302	21.92%
Burleigh Hill_2	1,153	368	31.92%	294	25.50%
Clipperstown	1,630	839	51.47%	180	11.04%
Eden_1	1,655	490	29.61%	426	25.74%
Eden_2	1,956	725	37.07%	414	21.17%
Gortalee	1,234	625	50.65%	164	13.29%
Greenisland	2,169	664	30.61%	706	32.55%
Killycrot	2,301	1,000	43.46%	506	21.99%
Knockagh	1,923	463	24.08%	757	39.37%
Love Lane	1,143	633	55.38%	117	10.24%
Milebush	1,252	543	43.37%	204	16.29%
Northland	1,052	604	57.41%	80	7.60%
Sunnylands	1,281	698	54.49%	146	11.40%
Victoria	2,154	832	38.63%	468	21.73%
Whitehead	1,767	535	30.28%	618	34.97%
Woodburn	1,953	699	35.79%	472	24.17%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Highest Level of Qualification by Age LC5101NI (statistical geographies)

Table J13: Qualifications of Population over 16 years of age in SOAs in Larne District- 2011

SOA	All usual residents aged 16 and over	No or low (Level 1) qualifications	% with no or low (Level 1) qualifications	Degree or higher qualification	% with degree or higher qualification
Antiville	1,227	654	53.30%	171	13.94%
Ballycarry	2,044	668	32.68%	536	26.22%
Ballyloran	870	462	53.10%	70	8.05%
Blackcave	1,302	624	47.93%	169	12.98%
Carncastle	2,345	671	28.61%	750	31.98%
Carnlough	1,603	731	45.60%	241	15.03%
Central	1,594	779	48.87%	263	16.50%
Craigy Hill	1,238	679	54.85%	133	10.74%
Gardenmore	1,669	718	43.02%	355	21.27%
Glenarm	1,449	599	41.34%	309	21.33%
Glynn	1,621	593	36.58%	407	25.11%
Harbour	1,524	642	42.13%	321	21.06%
Island Magee	2,093	647	30.91%	513	24.51%
Kilwaughter_1	2,646	834	31.52%	666	25.17%
Kilwaughter_2	1,435	575	40.07%	321	22.37%
Town Parks	1,339	628	46.90%	197	14.71%

Source: NISRA Census 2011 Highest Level of Qualification by Age LC5101NI (statistical geographies)
No qualifications: No academic or professional qualifications or Level 1: 1-4 O Levels/CSE/GCSEs (any grades), Entry Level, Foundation Diploma, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ, Basic/Essential Skills

Map J8: Education

MID AND EAST ANTRIM DISTRICT

% of population aged 16 and over
with no or low (Level 1) qualifications

24 - 33
34 - 39
40 - 44
45 - 51
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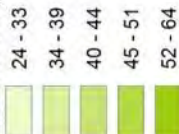
Source: NISRA, 2011 Census
Highest Level of Qualification by Age
(statistical geographies)

Plan Area
Plan Area Settlement
(as per extant Area Plans)

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Garron Point
Carnlough
Straidkilly
Glenarm
Ballygalley

Larne

Ferris Bay
Browns Bay
Mill Bay
Glynn
Magheramourne
Glenoe
Mounthill
Crosshill
Raloo
Kilwaughter

Mullaghboy
Ballystrudder
Whitehead
Ballycarry
Knocknagulliagh

Carrickfergus

Greenisland
Trooperslane

Carncastle
Feystown
Carnageer
Deerpark
Carnalbanagh
Drumcrow

Cargan
Martinstown
Clough

MID & EAST
ANTRIM

Broughshane

Cullybackey
Ahoghill

Ballymena

Kells/Connor

Grange Corner

Portglenone

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APPENDIX K **Urban - Rural Population Split**

Table K1: Ballymena Borough Settlements Households and Populations 1991, 2001 and 2011

Ballymena Settlements	1991 Borough Totals				2001 Borough Totals				2011 Borough Totals			
	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%
Towns												
Ballymena	10,010	52.3%	28,717	50.7%	11,323	51.3%	28,717	49.0%	12,105	48.8%	29,467	46.0%
Town total	10,010	52.3%	28,717	50.7%	11,323	51.3%	28,717	49.0%	12,105	48.8%	29,467	46.0%
Villages												
Ahoghill	775	4.0%	2,260	4.0%	1,163	5.3%	3,055	5.2%	1,320	5.3%	3,403	5.3%
Broughshane	695	3.6%	1,873	3.3%	953	4.3%	2,364	4.0%	1,235	5.0%	2,851	4.5%
Cargan	Not available				144	0.7%	411	0.7%	223	0.9%	588	0.9%
Clough	71	0.4%	205	0.4%	42	0.2%	105	0.2%	90	0.4%	220	0.3%
Cullybackey	859	4.5%	2,434	4.3%	1,020	4.6%	2,405	4.1%	1,088	4.4%	2,569	4.0%
Kells/Connor	505	2.6%	1,415	2.5%	684	3.1%	1,745	3.0%	808	3.3%	2,053	3.2%
Portglenone	405	2.1%	1,243	2.2%	481	2.2%	1,219	2.1%	498	2.0%	1,174	1.8%
Villages total	3310	17.3%	9430	16.6%	4,487	20.3%	11,304	19.3%	5,262	21.2%	12,858	20.1%
Small Settlements												
Cromkill	48	0.3%	139	0.2%	N/A				N/A			
Dunminning	31	0.2%	88	0.2%								
Glarryford	39	0.2%	99	0.2%								
Gracehill	244	1.3%	681	1.2%								
Grange Corner	Not available				102	0.5%	282	0.5%	191	0.8%	468	0.7%
Martinstown					102	0.5%	285	0.5%	108	0.4%	345	0.5%
Villages & small settlements total	3,672	19.2%	10,437	18.4%	4,691	21.3%	11,871	20.3%	5,561	22.4%	13,671	21.3%
Urban total	13,682	71.5%	39,154	69.1%	16,014	72.6%	40,588	69.3%	17,666	71.2%	43,138	67.4%
Rural remainder total	5,455	28.5%	17,487	30.9%	6,046	27.4%	18,022	30.7%	7,151	28.8%	20,906	32.6%
Ballymena Borough Total	**19,137**		**56,641**		**22,060**		**58,610**		**24,817**		**64,044**	

Source: 1991 NI Census Town and Villages Booklets & 1991 Census Summary Report Table 3, NISRA 2001 Census Table KS01 published in 2005 & KS20, 2011 Census Headcount and Household Estimates for Settlements Published 26/03/2015

Table K2: Carrickfergus Borough Settlements Households and Populations 1991, 2001 and 2011

Carrickfergus Settlements	1991 Borough Totals				2001 Borough Totals				2011 Borough Totals			
	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%
Towns												
Carrickfergus	8,206	69.1%	22,885	69.9%	10,592	71.6%	27,201	69.5%	11,536	71.2%	27,903	71.3%
Greenisland Urban Area	1,862	15.7%	4,967	15.2%	2,043	13.8%	5,050	12.9%	2,324	14.3%	5,484	14.0%
Whitehead	1,429	12.0%	3,761	11.5%	1,534	10.4%	3,702	9.5%	1,633	10.1%	3,786	9.7%
Towns total	11,497	96.9%	31,613	96.5%	14,169	95.8%	35,953	91.9%	15,493	95.6%	37,173	95.0%
Villages												
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	-		-	
Small Settlements												
Knocknagulliagh	Not available				Forms part of aggregate figure below				22	0.1%	52	0.1%
Trooperslane									37	0.2%	84	0.2%
Aggregate Figure for Small Settlements	Not available				66	0.4%	141	0.4%				
Small settlements total	Not available				66	0.4%	141	0.4%	59	0.4%	136	0.3%
Urban total	11,497	96.9%	31,613	96.5%	14,235	96.3%	36,094	92.3%	15,552	96.0%	37,309	95.4%
Rural remainder total	373	3.1%	1,137	3.5%	550	3.7%	3,020	7.7%	648	4.0%	1,805	4.6%
Carrickfergus Borough Total	**11,870**		**32,750**		**14,785**		**39,114**		**16,200**		**39,114**	

Source: NISRA The NI Census 1991 Towns and Villages Booklet, 2001 Census Key Statistics for Settlements Tables & Tables: KS01,STU500&KS21, 2011 Census Headcount and Household Estimates for Settlements Published 26/03/2015

Table K3: Larne Borough Settlements Households and Populations 1991, 2001 and 2011

Larne Settlements	1991 Borough Totals				2001 Borough Totals				2011 Borough Totals			
	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%	Households	%	Population	%
Towns												
Larne (inc Millbrook)	6,620	63.6%	18,067	61.4%	7,644	62.4%	18,228	59.1%	8,152	61.3%	18,705	58.1%
Town total	6,620	63.6%	18,067	61.4%	7,644	62.4%	18,228	59.1%	8,152	61.3%	18,705	58.1%
Villages												
Ballycarry	346	3.3%	1,010	3.4%	370	3.0%	981	3.2%	536	4.0%	1,371	4.3%
Ballygalley	182	1.7%	496	1.7%	293	2.4%	714	2.3%	333	2.5%	818	2.5%
Ballystrudder	185	1.8%	489	1.7%	306	2.5%	781	2.5%	389	2.9%	992	3.1%
Carnlough	454	4.4%	1,493	5.1%	497	4.1%	1,444	4.7%	563	4.2%	1,512	4.7%
Glenarm	211	2.0%	603	2.0%	243	2.0%	582	1.9%	242	1.8%	564	1.8%
Glynn	147	1.4%	384	1.3%	259	2.1%	641	2.1%	267	2.0%	632	2.0%
Villages total	1,525	14.7%	4,475	15.2%	1,968	16.1%	5143	16.7%	2,330	17.5%	5,889	18.3%
Small Settlements												
Browns Bay												
Carnageer		Not available				Forms part of aggregate figure below				Not available		
Carnalbanagh												
Carncastle	22	0.2%	63	0.2%	27	0.2%	66	0.2%	36	0.3%	101	0.3%
Crosshill									24	0.2%	80	0.2%
Deerpark												
Drumcrow		Not available				Forms part of aggregate figure below				Not available		
Ferris Bay												
Feystown												
Garron Point												
Glenoe	30	0.3%	91	0.3%	42	0.3%	87	0.3%	41	0.3%	105	0.3%
Kilwaughter						Forms part of aggregate figure below				Not available		
Magheramorne					30	0.2%	75	0.2%	86	0.6%	215	0.7%
Mill Bay		Not available			42	0.3%	93	0.3%	40	0.3%	103	0.3%
Mounthill					27	0.2%	69	0.2%	46	0.3%	114	0.4%
Mullaghboy					123	1.0%	294	1.0%	148	1.1%	364	1.1%
Raloo	25	0.2%	74	0.3%		Forms part of aggregate figure below				Not available		
Straidkilly		Not available										
Aggregate Figure for small settlements		Not available			399	3.3%	930	3.0%		Not available		
Villages & small settlements total	3,127	30.0%	9,178	31.2%	2,367	19.3%	6,073	19.7%	2,751*	20.7%	6,971*	21.7%
Urban total	8,222	79.0%	27,245	92.6%	10,011	81.7%	24,301	78.8%	10,903*	82.0%	25,676*	79.8%
Rural remainder total	2,187	21.0%	2,174	7.4%	2,239	18.3%	6,531	21.2%	2,394	18.0%	6,504	20.2%
Larne Borough Total	**10,409**		**29,419**		**12,250**		**30,832**		**13,297**		**32,180**	

Table K4: Population and Household Distribution- 2001 (existing settlement hierarchy)

	Ballymena Borough		Larne Borough		Ballymena District		Mid & East Antrim	
	Population	Households	Population	Households	Population	Households	Population	Households
Main Towns	28,717	11,323	18,228	7,644	27,201	10,592	74,147	29,559
	49.0%	**51.3%**	**59.1%**	**62.4%**	**69.5%**	**71.6%**	**57.7%**	**60.2%**
Local Towns	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	8,752	3,577	8,752	3,577
					22.4%	**24.2%**	**6.8%**	**7.3%**
Total Towns	*28,717*	*11,323*	*18,228*	*7,644*	*35,953*	*14,169*	*82,899*	*33,136*
	49.0%	*51.3%*	*59.1%*	*62.4%*	*91.9%*	*95.8%*	*64.5%*	*67.5%*
Villages	11,304	4,487	5,143	1,968	n/a	n/a	16,447	6,455
	19.3%	**20.3%**	**16.7%**	**16.1%**			**12.8%**	**13.1%**
Small Settlements	567	204	930	399	141	66	1,638	669
	1%	**1%**	**3%**	**3.3%**	**0.4%**	**0.4%**	1.3%	1.4%
Total Settlements	*40,588*	*16,014*	*24,301*	*10,011*	*36,094*	*14,235*	*100,983*	*40,260*
	69.3%	*72.6%*	*78.8%*	*81.7%*	*92.3%*	*96.3%*	*78.6%*	*82%*
Rural Remainder	18,022	6,046	6,531	2,239	3,020	550	27,573	8,835
	30.7%	**27.4%**	**21.2%**	**18.3%**	**7.7%**	**3.7%**	**21.4%**	**18%**
Borough Total	**58,610**	**22,060**	**30,832**	**12,250**	**39,114**	**14,785**	**128,556**	**49,095**

Source: NISRA Census 2001 Key Statistics for Settlements Tables & Tables: KS01, STU500 & KS21

Table K5: Population & Household Distribution in Mid & East Antrim- 2011 (existing settlement hierarchy)

	Ballymena Borough		Larne Borough		Carrickfergus Borough		Mid & East Antrim		Vs 2001
	Population	Households	Population	Households	Population	Households	Population	Households	
Main Towns	29,467	12,105	18,705	8,152	27,903	11,536	76,075	31,793	
	46.0%	**48.8%**	**58.1%**	**61.3%**	**71.3%**	**71.2%**	**56.2%**	**58.5%**	**-1.7%**
Local Towns	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	9,270	3,957	9,270	3,957	
					23.7%	**24.4%**	**6.8%**	**7.3%**	**-**
Total Towns	*29,467*	*12,105*	*18,705*	*8,152*	*37,173*	*15,493*	*85,345*	*35,750*	
	46.0%	*48.8%*	*58.1%*	*61.3%*	*95%*	*95.6%*	*63%*	*65.8%*	*-1.7%*
Villages	12,858	5,262	5,889	2,330	n/a	n/a	18,747	7,592	
	20.1%	**21.2%**	**18.3%**	**17.5%**			**13.9%**	**14.0%**	**+0.9%**
Small Settlements	813	299	1,082	421	136	59	2,031	779	
	1.3%	1.2%	3.4%*	3.2%*	0.3%	0.4%	1.5%	1.4%	-
Total Settlements	*43,138*	*17,666*	*25,676**	*10,903**	*37,309*	*15,552*	*106,123*	*44,121*	
	67.4%	*71.2%*	*79.8%**	*82.0%**	*95.4%*	*96.0%*	*78.4%*	*81.2%*	*-0.8%*
Rural Remainder	20,906	7,151	6,504	2,394	1,805	648	29,215	10,193	
	32.6%	**28.8%**	**20.2%**	**18.0%**	**4.6%**	**4.0%**	**21.6%**	**18.8%**	**+0.8%**
Borough Total	**64,044**	**24,817**	**32,180**	**13,297**	**39,114**	**16,200**	**135,338**	**54,314**	

*Source: 2011 Census Headcount and Household Estimates for Settlements Published 26/03/2015. Based on Settlement hierarchy in existing Area Plans. *Excludes 11 small settlements in Larne where the population and household totals were below the following thresholds: 20 or more households and 50 or more usual residents. The figures for these 11 have been included in Rural Remainder totals.*

APPENDIX L **Population Trends**

Table L1: Mid-Year Population Estimates 2001-2018 - Mid and East Antrim District

	Northern Ireland	Mid & East Antrim	Ballymena	Carrickfergus	Larne
2001	1,688,838	127,452	58,871	37,756	30,825
	+0.51%	+0.65%	+0.82%	+0.78%	+0.16%
2002	1,697,534	128,281	59,355	38,052	30,874
	+0.44%	+0.70%	+0.90%	+0.62%	+0.42%
2003	1,704,924	129,181	59,887	38,289	31,005
	+0.53%	+0.58%	+0.71%	+0.73%	+0.14%
2004	1,714,042	129,925	60,310	38,567	31,048
	+0.80%	+0.81%	+0.93%	+0.63%	+0.81%
2005	1,727,733	130,980	60,873	38,809	31,298
	+0.89%	+0.79%	+0.94%	+0.64%	+0.70%
2006	1,743,113	132,021	61,447	39,056	31,518
	+1.07%	+0.95%	+1.14%	+0.67%	+0.90%
2007	1,761,683	133,270	62,149	39,319	31,802
	+0.99%	+0.67%	+1.21%	+0.07%	+0.38%
2008	1,779,152	134,169	62,900	39,345	31,924
	+0.80%	+0.45%	+0.76%	-0.19%	+0.63%
2009	1,793,333	134,774	63,377	39,271	32,126
	+0.64%	+0.28%	+0.55%	+0.03%	+0.08%
2010	1,804,833	135,157	63,723	39,282	32,152
	+0.53%	+0.15%	+0.63%	-0.46%	-0.05%
2011	1,814,318	135,365	64,127	39,102	32,136
	+0.51%	+0.35%	+0.66%	-0.02%	+0.17%
2012	1,823,634	135,838	64,551	39,096	32,191
	+0.33%	+0.12%	+0.33%	-0.21%	+0.09%
2013	1,829,725	135,997	64,762	39,015	32,220
	+0.59%	+0.47%	+0.71%	+0.25%	+0.27%
2014	1,840,498	136,642	65,221	39,114	32,307
	+0.60%	+0.37%	+0.59%	+0.11%	+0.24%
2015	1,851,621	137,145	65,604	39,156	32,385
	+0.57%	+0.49%	+0.83%	+0.15%	+0.21%
2016	1,862,137	137,821	66,151	39,216	32,454
	+0.47%	+0.24%	+0.37%	-0.04%	+0.31%
2017	1,870,834	138,152	66,399	39,199	32,554
	+0.58%	+0.45%	+0.70%	+0.38%	+0.03%
2018	1,881,641	138,773	66,861	39,349	32,563

Source: NISRA 2018 Mid-Year Population Estimates – published June 2019

Table L2: Mid-Year Population Estimates 2001-2018 Ballymena Super Output Areas

SOA	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Change 2001-2018	%Change 2001-2018
Academy	2,092	2,081	2,103	2,120	2,110	2,111	2,120	2,108	2,098	2,095	2,097	2,107	2,072	2,083	2,122	2,089	2,047	2,046	-46	-2.20%
Ahoghill_1	1,540	1,545	1,513	1,488	1,455	1,450	1,455	1,458	1,454	1,453	1,448	1,454	1,482	1,443	1,427	1,404	1,407	1,390	-150	-9.74%
Ahoghill_2	1,993	2,018	2,080	2,203	2,249	2,244	2,276	2,329	2,400	2,450	2,445	2,487	2,532	2,552	2,567	2,558	2,617	2,634	641	32.16%
Ardeevin	2,358	2,525	2,663	2,830	2,946	3,101	3,204	3,262	3,329	3,416	3,489	3,550	3,597	3,639	3,684	3,742	3,760	3,776	1,418	60.14%
Ballee	2,213	2,167	2,108	2,016	2,030	1,993	1,989	1,944	1,931	1,931	1,937	1,901	1,870	1,920	1,919	1,937	1,930	1,956	-257	-11.61%
Ballykeel	2,015	1,989	1,941	1,923	1,899	1,888	1,864	1,861	1,816	1,763	1,747	1,717	1,718	1,707	1,690	1,677	1,660	1,633	-382	-18.96%
Ballyloughan	2,551	2,541	2,544	2,534	2,523	2,486	2,503	2,516	2,547	2,568	2,571	2,608	2,618	2,640	2,614	2,587	2,549	2,576	25	0.98%
Broughshane_1	1,469	1,471	1,488	1,509	1,502	1,512	1,527	1,563	1,579	1,586	1,575	1,545	1,568	1,539	1,498	1,523	1,551	1,527	58	3.95%
Broughshane_2	1,350	1,404	1,461	1,470	1,510	1,560	1,615	1,670	1,705	1,716	1,762	1,859	1,873	1,895	1,920	1,930	1,947	1,955	605	44.81%
Castle Demesne	2,055	2,022	2,073	2,121	2,138	2,087	2,095	2,107	2,118	2,153	2,158	2,145	2,119	2,280	2,367	2,493	2,515	2,599	544	26.47%
Craigywarren	2,213	2,261	2,288	2,304	2,352	2,416	2,453	2,505	2,528	2,540	2,598	2,621	2,598	2,603	2,615	2,618	2,639	2,626	413	18.66%
Cullybackey	2,655	2,728	2,810	2,848	2,877	2,864	2,863	2,884	2,863	2,833	2,813	2,785	2,770	2,757	2,766	2,793	2,808	2,847	192	7.23%
Dunclug	2,624	2,582	2,525	2,417	2,406	2,340	2,313	2,380	2,338	2,349	2,381	2,318	2,314	2,376	2,424	2,499	2,498	2,552	-72	-2.74%
Dunminning	2,321	2,344	2,367	2,396	2,410	2,448	2,502	2,530	2,536	2,575	2,592	2,640	2,620	2,662	2,664	2,639	2,611	2,625	304	13.10%
Fair Green	1,798	1,777	1,747	1,723	1,748	1,788	1,801	1,782	1,790	1,770	1,787	1,785	1,822	1,834	1,830	1,848	1,907	1,990	192	10.68%
Galgorm_1	1,436	1,454	1,458	1,465	1,499	1,525	1,564	1,598	1,603	1,589	1,593	1,587	1,588	1,582	1,555	1,568	1,561	1,663	227	15.81%
Galgorm_2	1,396	1,450	1,503	1,543	1,590	1,614	1,650	1,639	1,646	1,648	1,654	1,662	1,653	1,642	1,646	1,652	1,631	1,639	243	17.41%
Glenravel	2,707	2,773	2,852	2,925	3,018	3,147	3,226	3,267	3,349	3,418	3,464	3,504	3,493	3,498	3,513	3,516	3,555	3,581	874	32.29%
Glenwhirry	2,572	2,630	2,648	2,716	2,759	2,823	2,871	2,908	2,934	2,972	2,992	3,045	3,048	3,072	3,094	3,101	3,116	3,136	564	21.93%
Grange	2,724	2,780	2,869	2,950	3,036	3,128	3,175	3,267	3,341	3,414	3,462	3,570	3,589	3,609	3,659	3,666	3,689	3,686	962	35.32%
Harryville	1,969	1,932	1,942	1,934	1,899	1,867	1,855	1,907	1,870	1,886	1,881	1,909	1,928	1,970	2,001	2,100	2,119	2,174	205	10.41%
Kells_1	1,682	1,719	1,722	1,758	1,764	1,759	1,794	1,868	1,895	1,883	1,892	1,885	1,859	1,872	1,880	1,925	1,935	1,943	261	15.52%
Kells_2	1,404	1,406	1,417	1,416	1,431	1,437	1,460	1,462	1,452	1,450	1,465	1,481	1,492	1,463	1,494	1,482	1,486	1,515	111	7.91%
Moat	1,849	1,860	1,856	1,804	1,783	1,775	1,747	1,756	1,795	1,760	1,755	1,754	1,754	1,714	1,714	1,727	1,775	1,783	-66	-3.57%
Park	2,078	2,070	2,046	1,982	1,980	2,054	2,083	2,103	2,156	2,131	2,148	2,144	2,207	2,242	2,307	2,358	2,277	2,308	230	11.07%
Portglenone_1	1,444	1,435	1,452	1,470	1,489	1,505	1,511	1,513	1,519	1,541	1,553	1,583	1,580	1,606	1,648	1,674	1,679	1,646	202	13.99%
Portglenone_2	1,447	1,474	1,464	1,482	1,493	1,495	1,526	1,520	1,552	1,558	1,591	1,591	1,613	1,613	1,615	1,639	1,668	1,637	190	13.13%
Slemish	2,100	2,119	2,164	2,200	2,233	2,279	2,356	2,411	2,448	2,489	2,533	2,577	2,608	2,623	2,615	2,670	2,690	2,689	589	28.05%
Summerfield	2,815	2,798	2,786	2,762	2,744	2,751	2,751	2,784	2,785	2,786	2,741	2,739	2,775	2,784	2,751	2,738	2,740	2,732	-83	-2.95%

Source: NISRA 2018 Mid-Year Population Estimates for Northern Ireland 2001 – 2018 (published June 2019) – SOA's and former Electoral Wards – Population by sex and broad age bands

Key Dark Red= Largest % decrease in population, Red=%Decrease in population, Dark Green=Largest % Increase in Population, Light Green=%Increase in population

Table L3: Mid-Year Population Estimates 2001-2018 Carrickfergus Super Output Areas

SOA	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Change 2001-2018	%Change 2001-2018
Blackhead	2,078	2,092	2,101	2,100	2,107	2,094	2,111	2,109	2,114	2,098	2,063	2,039	2,034	2,037	2,027	2,056	2,033	2,027	-51	-2.45%
Bluefield_1	1,443	1,433	1,424	1,435	1,423	1,432	1,442	1,430	1,393	1,389	1,347	1,312	1,325	1,308	1,287	1,275	1,274	1,274	-169	-11.71%
Bluefield_2	1,568	1,613	1,637	1,676	1,686	1,667	1,671	1,666	1,661	1,614	1,602	1,600	1,586	1,603	1,587	1,606	1,612	1,652	84	5.36%
Boneybefore	1,662	1,681	1,683	1,657	1,665	1,670	1,685	1,670	1,688	1,701	1,665	1,660	1,629	1,645	1,663	1,655	1,616	1,631	-31	-1.87%
Burleigh Hill_1	1,743	1,750	1,764	1,767	1,747	1,775	1,742	1,754	1,748	1,733	1,698	1,683	1,682	1,666	1,650	1,605	1,594	1,580	-163	-9.35%
Burleigh Hill_2	1,551	1,537	1,525	1,525	1,510	1,503	1,473	1,445	1,418	1,402	1,364	1,357	1,343	1,312	1,294	1,275	1,253	1,260	-291	-18.76%
Clipperstown	2,080	2,078	2,134	2,144	2,159	2,193	2,180	2,146	2,174	2,150	2,156	2,141	2,129	2,112	2,111	2,121	2,159	2,148	68	3.27%
Eden_1	2,028	2,066	2,086	2,148	2,191	2,227	2,240	2,253	2,247	2,225	2,257	2,308	2,333	2,317	2,321	2,313	2,341	2,341	313	15.43%
Eden_2	1,967	1,982	2,090	2,226	2,311	2,408	2,440	2,481	2,496	2,517	2,578	2,611	2,607	2,591	2,605	2,581	2,567	2,594	627	31.88%
Gortalee	1,543	1,581	1,530	1,525	1,532	1,545	1,579	1,571	1,544	1,524	1,505	1,554	1,555	1,586	1,601	1,609	1,610	1,577	34	2.20%
Greenisland	2,510	2,569	2,594	2,602	2,615	2,644	2,660	2,617	2,606	2,606	2,626	2,645	2,661	2,683	2,714	2,734	2,785	2,877	367	14.62%
Killycrot	2,551	2,619	2,642	2,649	2,651	2,634	2,598	2,614	2,600	2,618	2,622	2,620	2,689	2,733	2,744	2,757	2,792	2,779	228	8.94%
Knockagh	2,036	2,082	2,140	2,232	2,269	2,338	2,406	2,437	2,449	2,491	2,497	2,547	2,517	2,519	2,569	2,639	2,628	2,661	625	30.70%
Love Lane	1,501	1,495	1,517	1,502	1,499	1,493	1,480	1,459	1,430	1,421	1,407	1,410	1,404	1,458	1,472	1,501	1,507	1,530	29	1.93%
Milebush	1,710	1,690	1,663	1,628	1,612	1,616	1,591	1,561	1,562	1,571	1,541	1,521	1,505	1,482	1,474	1,469	1,514	1,523	-187	-10.94%
Northland	1,527	1,525	1,499	1,447	1,432	1,429	1,444	1,462	1,439	1,439	1,413	1,434	1,421	1,458	1,474	1,458	1,450	1,460	-67	-4.39%
Sunnylands	1,575	1,520	1,524	1,507	1,501	1,465	1,503	1,499	1,512	1,530	1,525	1,511	1,488	1,494	1,482	1,500	1,490	1,471	-104	-6.60%
Victoria	2,371	2,416	2,419	2,445	2,465	2,474	2,566	2,621	2,639	2,668	2,628	2,588	2,578	2,561	2536	2,527	2,485	2,479	108	4.56%
Whitehead	2,011	2,008	1,992	1,984	2,014	2,040	2,099	2,132	2,147	2,165	2,133	2,135	2,115	2,118	2,117	2,117	2,096	2,099	88	4.38%
Woodburn	2,302	2,315	2,324	2,367	2,420	2,408	2,410	2,416	2,405	2,420	2,474	2,420	2,414	2,442	2,426	2,423	2,396	2,391	89	3.87%

Source: NISRA 2018 Mid-Year Population Estimates for Northern Ireland 2001 – 2018 (published June 2019) – SOA's and former Electoral Wards – Population by sex and broad age bands

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Table L4: Mid-Year Population Estimates 2001-2018 Larne Super Output Areas

SOA	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Change 2001-2018	%Change 2001-2018
Antiville	1,634	1,581	1,541	1,552	1,547	1,502	1,455	1,460	1,444	1,467	1,470	1,467	1,483	1,496	1,488	1,498	1,487	1,466	-168	-10.1%
Ballycarry	2,174	2,157	2,215	2,273	2,332	2,391	2,480	2,531	2,574	2,590	2,582	2,631	2,646	2,693	2,747	2,765	2,845	2,856	+682	31.4%
Ballyloran	1,455	1,366	1,318	1,309	1,246	1,217	1,168	1,143	1,125	1,105	1,094	1,051	1,040	1,015	1,014	1,003	1,027	1,038	-417	-28.7%
Blackcave	1,912	1,817	1,782	1,758	1,752	1,765	1,743	1,710	1,699	1,666	1,630	1,614	1,619	1,630	1,604	1,583	1,559	1,549	-363	-19%
Carncastle	2,680	2,723	2,757	2,802	2,854	2,883	2,912	2,944	2,938	2,903	2,871	2,869	2,858	2,872	2,855	2,824	2,840	2,851	+171	6.4%
Carnlough	2,005	2,012	2,021	2,031	2,017	2,022	2,024	2,023	2,049	2,033	2,048	2,030	2,047	2,048	2,068	2,084	2,097	2,081	+76	3.8%
Central	2,128	2,175	2,153	2,047	2,041	2,016	1,978	1,925	1,893	1,834	1,816	1,791	1,788	1,823	1,813	1,809	1,827	1,871	-257	-12.1%
Craigy Hill	1,642	1,609	1,611	1,606	1,582	1,565	1,533	1,506	1,489	1,476	1,460	1,436	1,438	1,424	1,422	1,414	1,413	1,396	-199	-15%
Gardenmore	2,081	2,113	2,105	2,077	2,036	2,017	1,995	1,987	1,973	1,923	1,915	1,940	1,928	1,921	1,923	1,912	1,880	1,882	-199	-9.6%
Glenarm	1,824	1,816	1,858	1,831	1,850	1,842	1,870	1,848	1,862	1,869	1,841	1,848	1,861	1,853	1,839	1,863	1,882	1,808	-16	-0.9%
Glynn	1,959	1,959	1,966	1,963	1,986	1,988	1,994	2,011	2,038	2,028	2,024	2,009	2,038	2,027	2,019	1,995	2,009	1,989	+30	1.5%
Harbour	1,679	1,711	1,700	1,669	1,668	1,646	1,661	1,727	1,770	1,808	1,817	1,831	1,817	1,784	1,818	1,850	1,874	1,855	+176	10.5%
Island Magee	2,388	2,427	2,452	2,499	2,542	2,551	2,588	2,581	2,608	2,605	2,582	2,563	2,532	2,552	2,550	2,564	2,554	2,495	+107	4.5%
Kilwaughter_1	1,761	1,948	2,109	2,184	2,446	2,712	2,996	3,162	3,317	3,489	3,624	3,777	3,835	3,905	3,963	4,043	4,122	4,228	+2,467	140.1%
Kilwaughter_2	1,833	1,826	1,809	1,817	1,825	1,813	1,814	1,788	1,800	1,798	1,773	1,779	1,759	1,762	1,743	1,749	1,736	1,731	-102	-5.6%
Town Parks	1,668	1,634	1,610	1,628	1,575	1,589	1,593	1,580	1,545	1,560	1,588	1,556	1,530	1,498	1,517	1,495	1,477	1,463	-205	-12.3%

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APPENDIX M **Population Projections**

Table M1: Population Projections 2016-2030 for broad age bands for Mid and East Antrim District and Northern Ireland

	Ballymena		Carrickfergus		Larne		Mid and East Antrim					Northern Ireland				
	2016	2030	2016	2030	2016	2030	2016	% of total Population	2030	% of total Population	% change between 2016-2030	2016	% of total Population	2030	% of total Population	% change between 2016-2030
Children (0-15)	13,133	12,798	7,224	6,242	6,004	5,696	26,361	19.1%	24,736	17.4%	**-6.2%**	388,001	20.8%	376,898	19.2%	**-2.9%**
Working Age	40,481	43,617	24,402	23,582	19,862	19,934	84,745	61.5%	87,133	61.3%	**+2.8%**	1,159,904	62.3%	1,221,767	62.3%	**+5.33%**
Pension Age	12,537	13,613	7,590	9,124	6,588	7,508	26,715	19.4%	30,245	21.3%	**+13.2%**	314,232	16.9%	362,864	18.5%	**+15.5%**

Source: NISRA - 11 LGDs projection summary (2016-2041) and former 26 LGD's projection summary (2016 – 2041)

Note:
Working age and pensionable age populations based on State Pension age (SPA) for given year.
Women's State Pension age will increase to 65 between April 2016 and November 2018. From December 2018 the SPA for both men and women will increase to reach 66 by October 2020 (Pensions Act 2011).

Between 2026 and 2027 SPA will increase to 67 years for both sexes (Pensions Act 2014). SPA will increase to 68 years for both men and women between 2044 and 2046 (Pensions Act 2007).

Table M2: Population Projections 2016-2030

	Northern Ireland	Mid & East Antrim	Ballymena	Carrickfergus	Larne
2016	1,862,137	137,821	66,151	39,216	32,454
2017	1,870,737	138,166	66,419	39,201	32,546
2018	1,879,567	138,622	66,782	39,225	32,615
2019	1,888,062	139,070	67,130	39,250	32,690
2020	1,896,270	139,476	67,456	39,267	32,753
2021	1,904,201	139,870	67,773	39,273	32,824
2022	1,911,895	140,216	68,063	39,274	32,879
2023	1,919,333	140,560	68,354	39,268	32,938
2024	1,926,474	140,855	68,620	39,260	32,975
2025	1,933,291	141,138	68,877	39,236	33,025
2026	1,939,724	141,400	69,140	39,200	33,060
2027	1,945,744	141,624	69,376	39,155	33,093
2028	1,951,336	141,821	69,606	39,096	33,119
2029	1,956,584	141,981	69,824	39,023	33,134
2030	1,961,529	142,114	70,028	38,948	33,138

Source: NISRA 11 LGDs projection summary (2016-2041) and 26 former LGDs projection summary (2016-2041)

APPENDIX N **Household Projections**
Table N1: Household Projections 2016-2030

	Northern Ireland	Mid & East Antrim
2016	725,127	55,641
2017	726,783	55,768
2018	732,597	56,040
2019	736,470	56,337
2020	740,528	56,608
2021	744,754	56,901
2022	749,275	57,221
2023	754,109	57,554
2024	759,156	57,864
2025	763,976	58,127
2026	768,472	58,380
2027	772,903	58,636
2028	777,247	58,871
2029	781,121	59,063
2030	784,580	59,225

Source: NISRA Household Projections (2016-based) published on 6 December 2018 based from HHP12_NI & HHP16_LGD2014