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Population characteristics

Population, age and gender 2019 (ONS MYE)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
	Number	%	%	%	%
Mid-year population 2009	13,950	Change	Change	Change	Change
Mid-year population 2019	14,000	0.3%	1.3%	3.8%	7.3%
Males	7,000	50.0%	49.3%	49.3%	49.4%
Females	7,000	50.0%	50.7%	50.7%	50.6%
Aged 0-15	2,550	18.3%	18.1%	17.9%	19.0%
Aged 16-29	2,150	15.4%	14.5%	17.4%	17.3%
Aged 30-44	2,250	16.1%	15.2%	17.4%	19.3%
Aged 45-64	4,000	28.6%	27.9%	26.3%	25.8%
Aged 65+	3,050	21.6%	24.3%	21.0%	18.6%
Population density 2019 (persons/ha)		0.73	1.14	1.52	4.30

Population characteristics (Census 2011)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	Number	%			
Born in Wales	9,694	69.9%	58.1%	72.7%	4.9%
Born outside the UK	534	3.9%	4.1%	5.5%	13.4%
Ethnicity - white British	13,311	96.0%	95.6%	93.2%	80.5%
Other white	238	1.7%	1.8%	2.4%	5.5%
Mixed ethnic group	86	0.6%	0.8%	1.0%	2.2%
Other ethnic groups	225	1.6%	1.8%	3.4%	11.8%
Religion - Christian	9,249	66.7%	64.1%	57.6%	59.3%
Other religion	141	1.0%	1.4%	2.7%	8.4%
No religion	3,390	24.5%	26.8%	32.1%	25.1%
(of persons aged 3+)					
Speak Welsh	5,095	38.0%	24.6%	19.0%	-
No skills in Welsh	6,244	46.6%	64.6%	73.3%	-

Health

Health and provision of care (Census 2011)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	Number	%			
People with limiting long term illness	2,821	20.4%	23.5%	22.7%	17.9%
People providing unpaid care	1,597	11.5%	12.4%	12.1%	10.3%

Patients with chronic illness, by GP cluster (General Medical Services QAIF, September 2020)

GP cluster name	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales
	Central & south Denbighshire			
Hypertension (high blood pressure)	7,250	17.3%	17.3%	15.8%
Obesity (patients aged 16+)	3,200	7.8%	7.9%	10.1%
Asthma	2,700	6.4%	7.4%	7.1%
Diabetes mellitus (patients aged 17+)	2,600	7.7%	6.6%	6.1%
Coronary heart disease	1,550	3.7%	4.3%	3.6%
Cancer	1,650	4.0%	3.7%	3.1%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease*	1,150	2.7%	3.3%	2.4%
Stroke	950	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%
Heart failure	550	1.3%	1.2%	1.1%
Mental health	450	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%
Dementia	350	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%
Epilepsy (patients aged 18+)	300	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%

* lung diseases including chronic bronchitis and emphysema

Based on clusters of GP surgeries as identified by local health boards. The health boards have formally developed arrangements for small groups of GP practices to work collaboratively to develop services in the community, serving populations of between 30 and 50 thousand patients. Clusters are best fit to the sub areas and do not exactly match the same boundaries.

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Housing and living arrangements

Households (Census 2011)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	Number	%			
Total households	5,788		40,546	1,302,676	23,366,044
Household composition					
All one person household	1,699	29.4%	31.4%	30.8%	30.2%
- one person; aged 65+	775	13.4%	15.2%	13.7%	12.4%
All households with dependent children	1,663	28.7%	27.2%	28.2%	29.1%
- lone parents with dependents	384	6.6%	7.0%	7.5%	7.2%
All households of only pensioners	1,315	22.7%	26.0%	22.9%	20.9%
Population in private households	13,527	97.6%	98.7%	98.3%	98.2%
Average household size		2.34	2.28	2.31	2.36
Household facilities					
No central heating	138	2.4%	3.1%	2.3%	2.7%
Overcrowded	232	4.0%	4.5%	5.2%	8.5%
Average rooms per household		5.9		5.7	5.4
No car	1,012	17.5%	21.0%	22.9%	25.6%
Tenure					
Owner occupied	3,902	67.4%	69.2%	67.8%	64.3%
Rented from social landlord	944	16.3%	13.1%	16.5%	17.6%
Other rented	942	16.3%	17.7%	15.7%	18.0%

Dwellings by council tax band (VOA, March 2020)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales
	Number	%		
Total dwellings	6,220	100%	44,980	1,447,960
Band A	390	6.3%	8.8%	14.6%
Band B	1,110	17.9%	16.1%	20.9%
Band C	1,600	25.8%	32.0%	21.8%
Band D	1,160	18.7%	17.3%	16.2%
Band E	860	13.9%	12.0%	13.4%
Band F	640	10.3%	8.2%	8.2%
Band G	380	6.1%	4.5%	3.7%
Band H	40	0.6%	0.7%	0.9%
Band I	40	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%

House prices (Land Registry, 2020; CACI PayCheck, 2020)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	£		£	£	£
Median (All house types)	185,000		153,000	165,000	244,950
Lower quartile (All house types)	141,500		120,000	117,000	156,000
Ratio income:houseprice (median)		6.2	5.4	5.7	7.3
Ratio income:houseprice (lower quartile)		8.2	7.4	7.0	8.3

Housing related benefits (DWP, February 2021)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
		%			
Total claimants	1,070	100%	9,195	282,725	5,812,550
- housing benefit	630	58.8%	55.7%	54.1%	50.0%
- Universal Credit housing element	440	41.2%	44.3%	45.9%	50.0%
- private rented	395	36.5%	51.0%	35.7%	38.5%
- social rented	670	62.1%	48.3%	63.9%	60.7%
- households with children (% HB)	375	35.2%	34.3%	35.3%	36.7%
Characteristics for housing benefit only					
- single person aged 65+ (% HB)	210	33.4%	33.5%	32.6%	33.5%

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Community safety

Crime incidences (North Wales Police)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
(year end 31st March)	Number	Rate*			
All crime incidences 2019/20	930	66.42	110.72	82.87	84.64
Violence against the person	436	31.14	49.12	31.51	28.43
Theft & handling	141	10.07	16.40	14.20	17.26
Criminal damage & arson	94	6.71	12.71	10.38	8.93

*annual crime rate per 1,000 population

Economy & employment

Industry of employment (Census 2011)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	Number	%			
All in employment (aged 16-74)	6,630		41,156	1,363,615	26,526,336
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	260	3.9%	2.3%	1.7%	0.9%
Mining, quarrying, energy, water	87	1.3%	1.4%	1.9%	1.5%
Manufacturing	572	8.6%	9.1%	10.5%	8.9%
Construction	548	8.3%	8.5%	8.2%	7.7%
Wholesale & retail	820	12.4%	14.4%	15.6%	15.9%
Transport & storage	220	3.3%	3.9%	3.9%	5.0%
Accommodation & food services	310	4.7%	6.9%	6.2%	5.6%
Communication, finance, property	266	4.0%	5.0%	6.6%	9.7%
Professional, scientific, technical	308	4.6%	4.1%	4.3%	6.6%
Administrative & support services	210	3.2%	3.7%	4.0%	4.9%
Public administration & defence	468	7.1%	6.6%	7.9%	6.0%
Education	831	12.5%	10.0%	10.1%	9.9%
Health & social work	1,443	21.8%	19.1%	14.5%	12.5%
Other	287	4.3%	5.0%	4.5%	5.0%
Work mainly at or from home	470	7.1%	6.4%	5.4%	5.4%
No qualifications (all aged 16+)	2,397	21.2%	25.4%	25.9%	22.7%
Level 4+ qualification	3,395	30.0%	24.2%	24.5%	27.2%

Social class (Census, 2011)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	E & W
	Number	%			
All aged 16-74	10,161		67,676	2,245,166	41,126,540
Managerial & professional	3,258	32.1%	28.2%	27.4%	31.1%
Skilled	2,994	29.5%	30.9%	29.4%	29.1%
Part / unskilled	2,680	26.4%	28.7%	28.8%	25.2%
Students & other	1,229	12.1%	12.2%	14.5%	14.6%

Unemployment (claimant count) (NOMIS, 2021)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
	Number	%			
June 2021	330	3.9%	5.6%	5.0%	5.6%
March 2021 (previous quarter)	335	4.0%	6.6%	5.8%	6.5%
June 2020 (previous year)	350	4.2%	6.6%	5.9%	6.2%
June 2016 (5 years ago)	105	1.2%	2.1%	2.2%	1.8%
Claimants aged 16-24 (Jun-21)*	80	24.2%	23.0%	20.9%	18.6%
Claimants aged 50+ (Jun-21)*	65	19.7%	24.0%	23.1%	23.9%

Rounded to nearest 5. * % is of all claimants.

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Income & benefits

Household income (CACI PayCheck, 2020)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
	£	%			
Median income	29,950		28,100	29,000	33,300
Lower quartile	17,300		16,300	16,600	18,650
Households below 60% GB median (= £19,967)		31.2%	34.0%	32.9%	27.7%

For this measure, results at ward level are based on data for Conwy CBC strategic sub areas.

Benefits (DWP, Nov 2020)

There is a discontinuity in the benefits data, as Universal Credit is rolled out and starts to replace older awards systems. % is of all in that age group.

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
	Number	%			
Children (aged 0-15)					
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	130	5.1%	6.3%	4.7%	4.4%
Working age (aged 16-66)					
Universal Credit	930	10.6%	15.5%	13.7%	13.8%
Job Seekers Allowance (JSA)	30	0.3%	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%
Employment & Support Allowance (ESA)	570	6.5%	7.0%	6.5%	4.4%
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	70	0.8%	0.5%	0.2%	0.6%
Personal Independence Payments (PIP)	725	8.2%	9.3%	7.9%	5.4%
Carer's Allowance	255	2.9%	3.9%	3.1%	2.4%
Pensioners (aged 67+)					
State Pension	2,830				
Pension Credit	360	13.5%	16.7%	15.2%	13.8%
Attendance Allowance	450	16.9%	18.2%	17.0%	14.2%
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	165	6.1%	8.2%	9.2%	5.5%
Personal Independence Payments (PIP)	120	4.6%	5.0%	5.3%	3.4%
Carer's Allowance	105	4.0%	5.1%	4.2%	2.9%

Poverty and deprivation

Children in low income families - relative income poverty (DWP, 2019/2020)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	Wales	GB
	Number	%			
Children in in-work families	355	13.9%	16.8%	16.8%	16.8%
Children in out-of-work families	135	5.2%	7.7%	8.2%	6.7%
Total	490	19.1%	24.5%	25.0%	23.5%

As % all children aged 0-15. 'In work' is working 16 hrs a week or more. Relative income poverty = below 60% of UK median.

Welsh index of multiple deprivation (Welsh Government, 2019)

	Denbigh		Denbighshire	
	10%	25%	10%	25%
Total LSOAs in area	8		58	
No. LSOAs in most deprived:	10%	25%	10%	25%
In each deprivation domain				
Overall Index	1	1	7	10
Income	1	1	7	11
Employment	1	2	7	12
Health	1	1	10	11
Education	1	1	5	10
Access to services	1	3	9	18
Housing	0	2	6	12
Community safety	0	0	1	4
Physical environment	2	4	9	17

Deprivation data shows how many lower super output areas (LSOAs) in the area are in the 10% and 25% most deprived LSOAs in Wales.

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