

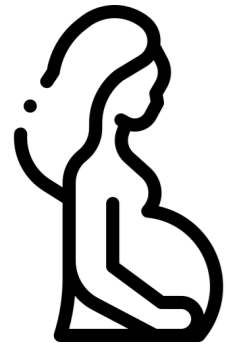
SOUTH AFRICAN COMMUNITY HEALTH PROFILE



SUMMARY OF KEY INEQUALITIES

This infographic highlights some of the key findings from the South African Community Health Profile as a starting point to understanding the health and wellbeing needs of the South African community. To learn more, read the full report.

GETTING THE BEST START IN LIFE



MATERNAL MORTALITY RATE PER 100,000, LIVE BIRTHS (2020)

127 SOUTH AFRICA
10 UNITED KINGDOM

MENTAL WELLNESS & BALANCE

36% REPORTED FEELINGS OF DISTRESS OR POOR MENTAL WELLBEING*



*International data from South Africa

BETWEEN 33% & 50%
WOMEN AND GIRLS (AGED 15+) HAVE EXPERIENCED SEXUAL OR INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE*

A BOLDER HEALTHIER BIRMINGHAM

HEALTHY & AFFORDABLE FOOD

SOUTH AFRICAN WOMEN WERE FOUND TO HAVE HIGHER RATES OF OBESITY SOUTH AFRICAN WOMEN (41%) UK WOMEN (20%)



ACTIVE AT EVERY AGE AND ABILITY

HIGH RATES OF PHYSICAL INACTIVITY

SOUTH AFRICAN WOMEN (47%) UK WOMEN (40%)



LIVING, WORKING & LEARNING WELL

RESIDENTS LIVING IN SOCIALLY RENTED PROPERTIES:



37% SOUTH AFRICAN-BORN
8.3% ENGLAND AND WALES

PROTECT & DETECT

HIGHEST HIV PREVALENCE IN THE WORLD, LIVING WITH HIV APPROXIMATELY 13% OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN POPULATION COMPARED TO 0.16% OF THE UK POPULATION.



AGEING & DYING WELL

LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH IN SOUTH AFRICA (2021):

MEN: 59.3 YEARS
WOMEN: 64.6 YEARS



CONTRIBUTING TO A GREEN & SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

15% OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN-BORN POPULATION LIVED IN THE TOP 15 MOST POLLUTED NEIGHBOURHOODS IN BIRMINGHAM

We Want to Hear From You!

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This report relied largely on international findings which may not accurately reflect South African's experiences or health and wellbeing needs in the UK.