



Main Modifications to the New Southwark Plan Equalities Impact Assessment

Appendices

(June, 2021)

Appendix 1 - Supporting datasets

Appendix 2 - Covid Statement

Appendix 1: Supporting Datasets

The data below sets out the need in the borough and the number of people with these protected characteristics. It provides evidence for who is impacted by the policies in the New Southwark Plan. These are taken from the JSNA data held by public health and a range of other sources national and regional sources of data, as well as the Integrated Impact Assessment baseline data and indicators.

The table identifies where do have data, and the places we would want to have more specific equalities data, but either the data is unavailable and difficult to locate or it is unobtainable due to the nature of the protected characteristic and process of obtaining that data.

This table will be updated alongside the Integrated Impact Assessment IIA to reflect the changing need and context in the borough.

The data and indicators that support each policy are set out in the Integrated Impact Assessment Appendix 9 Baseline Indicators, these are referred to in the Full Equalities Impact Assessment.

Dataset										
Strategic Policy	Age	Disability	Sex	Gender Reassignment	Marriage and Civil Partnership	Race and ethnicity	Religion and belief	Pregnancy and maternity	Socio-economic disadvantage	Sexual Orientation
SP1: Homes for All See IIA Appendix 3 - baseline data section on Housing for further information.	The council has support available for homecare for the elderly and independent living and residential care. In 2018, 17.31% of the population in Southwark were over 60. In the same year, 22.56% of the population were 19 and under ¹	There is a waiting list for Wheelchair homes and adaptable rooms in Southwark ² . Southwark Council's wheelchair housing policy is informed by the 2015 Housing Standards ³ .	Not available	Not available	Not available	Under the Equality Act 2010, outside of the PPTS planning definition, we recognise Gypsy and Travellers as an ethnicity. We have acknowledged this in our EQIA. Based on this consideration within Draft	Not available	Family homelessness in Southwark is high and getting worse with a count of 3.1 per 1000 in 2017/18 ⁴ . This demonstrates a need to provide homes for families. Local data suggests that obesity in pregnancy varies considerably in different ethnic	Southwark Council has committed to delivering 11,000 new homes by 2043 ⁷ . The average house price in Southwark was £476,597 in 2019 ⁸ . Southwark residents have the spend around 15.19 times annual earnings on purchasing a home ⁹	Not available

¹ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/12/gid/1938133222/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028>

² Southwark SHMA Update 2019 final report

³ Habinteg Accessible homes Independent lives – report: 7 points about the new Housing Standards 2015.

⁴ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/4/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/90819/age/-1/sex/4>

				<p>Policy P11 we safeguard the borough's four existing Gypsy and Traveller sites where there is an identified need for them and our Housing team has improved these sites and continues to work with the community to improve their quality of life.</p> <p>The Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Assessment Report (May 2020) identifies that the need for pitches in Southwark to accommodate those falling within the Planning Policy for Traveller Sites (2015) ("PPTS") definition of 'Gypsies and Travellers' is zero.</p>		<p>groups (around three-fold), and reviews of all child deaths show that about 26% are preventable, higher than the national rate (20%)⁵.</p> <p>Those who are pregnant or who live with and are responsible for a child⁶.</p>	
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⁷ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/housing/housing-strategy>

⁸ Housing in London 2019 Tables, Greater London Authority

⁹ NOMIS – Official Labour Market Statistics; price to residence-based earnings ratio, Office for National Statistics.

⁵ <http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s52272/Southwark%20Public%20Health%20Annual>

⁶ <https://www.southwarkhomesearch.org.uk/Data/Pub/PublicWebsite/ImageLibrary/3889%20-%20Soutwark%20Allocations%20Policy.pdf>

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<p>SP2: Southwark Together</p> <p>See IIA Appendix 3 - baseline data sections on Safety, Social Cohesion, Quality in design and conservation of the historic environment for further information.</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by age- Southwark's average age is 33.1 years¹⁰. In 2018, the percentage 16-17 year olds not in education, employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known, is higher than the national average at 8.7%. This is amongst the highest percentages in London. ¹¹</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- First time entrants to the youth justice</p>	<p>Approximately just over 15,000 residents in Southwark are considered to have a disability.¹²</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Disability hate crime https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p> <p>In terms of crime deprivation, Southwark was ranked seventh out of the 14 inner London boroughs¹³.</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by sex In Southwark in 2018, there were 158,418 men and 158,838 living in Southwark¹⁴.</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Domestic abuse https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by gender reassignment – <i>Data unavailable</i></p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Transgender hate https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p>	Not available	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by race – In 2016 it was estimated that just over half (54%) of Southwark's population is of white ethnicity, a quarter (25%) black and a third of Asian (11%) or other (10%) ethnicities.</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Racist and religion hate crime https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by Religion¹⁵</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Anti-Semitic, faith hate crime, Islamophobia, Racist and religion hate crime https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough who are pregnant or have infant children¹⁶</p> <p>Crime rate per protected characteristic- Domestic abuse https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/</p>	<p>Amount of residents per ward in deprived areas¹⁷</p> <p>Crime in deprived areas- https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/crime-data-dashboard/</p> <p>Number of stop and searches- https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/stop-and-search-dashboard/</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by sexual orientation¹⁸</p>

¹⁰ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

¹¹ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

¹² data set DWP- 2019 PIP & DLA figures

¹³ English indices of Deprivation 2019, MHCLG

¹⁴ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/12/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

¹⁵ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

¹⁶ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

¹⁷ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

¹⁸ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

	system (2018) https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/0/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E1200007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/90819/age/1/sex/4									
Strategic Policy	Age	Disability	Sex	Gender Reassignment	Marriage and Civil Partnership	Race and ethnicity	Religion and belief	Pregnancy and maternity	Socio-economic disadvantage	Sexual Orientation
SP3: A great start in life	In 2018, the percentage 16-17 year olds not in education, employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known, is higher than the national average at 8.7%. This is amongst the highest percentages in London. ¹⁹ In 2019, almost 9.9% of 16-17 year olds in Southwark were not engaged in education, employment or training or not known for any activity undertaken ²⁰ .	There are six mainstream schools with special units or resource bases in Southwark. There are three Southwark maintained special primary schools. There are four secondary community special schools ²² . There are 7 special schools and 1 special academy ²³ . 13% of students at higher education providers in England have a known disability ²⁴ .	In Southwark, there are 13 mixed secondary schools, 6 girls secondary schools and 3 boys secondary schools ²⁵ . In Southwark 9.3% of 16-17 year old males are not in education, employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known. For girls of the same age 8% are not in education,	Gender reassignment amongst children – data unavailable	Not available	Census data in 2011 shows 54,2% of the population of Southwark ARE White, 26.9% are Black, 9.4% ARE Asian and 6.2% are Mixed and 3.3% are Other. 66% of the under-20 population is from black and minority ethnic communities ²⁷ . Of those with Ofsted judgements, 1 school is in special measures and 10 require improvement in	77% of higher education students are White, 8% are Black, and 12% are Asian in England ²⁹ .	Percentage of residents in the borough who are pregnant or have infant children ³⁰ Number of community uses accessed by pregnant women or women who have infant children – Currently there is no specific data held on the community groups that pregnant women access. However it is acknowledged that the total number of babies born in Southwark has been decreasing	There are 11,945 lone parents with dependent children ³¹ . At the end of KS2 73% of disadvantaged pupils are meeting the expected standard in English, Maths and writing ³²	Crime rate per protected characteristic- Homophobic hate crime https://www.met.police.uk/sd/stats-and-data/met/hate-crime-dashboard/

¹⁹ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E1200007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

²⁰ NEET and participation, local authority figures, Department for Education. See IIA Appendix 3 – section on Education, Skills and Training for further details.

²² <https://localoffer.southwark.gov.uk/education/specialist-school/special-schools-resource-bases-and-units-in-southwark/>

²³ <http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s72803/Appendix%201%20Best%20start%20in%20life%20Southwark%20school%20standards%20report%202017.pdf>

	For attainment in English and maths at grade 9 to 4, 67.4% of pupils in Southwark achieved this measure compared to 63.5% nationally and 67.3% for London ²¹ . The quality of schools in Southwark is increasing, but there is scope for further improvement in attainment.		employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known ²⁶ .			Southwark ²⁸ .		year on year since 2010. There were just under 4,400 live births in 2017, down from over 5,100 in 2010. The decline in the fertility rate in Southwark is seen across all age groups, but particularly among younger women. The average age of mothers having their first child in Southwark is 32.8 years, compared to 30.5 years in England.		
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SP4: A Green and Inclusive Economy See IIA Appendix 3 -	13.9% of households in Southwark are workless. Across London there are 187,100 children	In 2016, 1550 people in Southwark were claiming benefits as a disabled person ³⁵ .	In Southwark, 85.1% of males are economically active. The sample size for	The Southwark LGBTQ+ Community Consultation 2018-2019 report sets out the findings of	Not available	It is recognised at a regional level the need to provide additional support for the	Break down of industries and religion – data unavailable	Not available	The number of claimants as a proportion of resident population of area aged 16-64 in Southwark IS 3.7% for out of work benefits ⁴⁴ .	The Southwark LGBTQ+ Community Consultation 2018-2019 report sets out the findings of a survey designed to

²⁴ <https://www.hesa.ac.uk/data-and-analysis/sb252/figure-4>

²⁵ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schools-in-southwark/list-of-schools-in-southwark>

²⁷ <http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s72803/Appendix%201%20Best%20start%20in%20life%20Southwark%20school%20standards%20report%202017.pdf>

²⁹ <https://www.hesa.ac.uk/data-and-analysis/sb252/figure-4>

³⁰ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

³¹ <http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s72803/Appendix%201%20Best%20start%20in%20life%20Southwark%20school%20standards%20report%202017.pdf>

³² https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/schools-by-type?step=default&table=schools®ion=210&la-name=southwark&geographic=la&for=primary&basedon=Overall+performance&show=Disadvantaged+pupils&orderby=ks2.0.PTRWM_EXP_FSM6CLA1A&orderdir=asc

²¹ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

²⁶ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

²⁸ <http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/s72803/Appendix%201%20Best%20start%20in%20life%20Southwark%20school%20standards%20report%202017.pdf>

<p>baseline data section on Economic Conditions for further information.</p>	<p>in workless households³³. 23.2% of children are in low income families in Southwark³⁴.</p>		<p>unemployed men in Southwark is too small to be reliable. 78.3% of females are economically active and 5% are unemployed³⁶. 20% of economically active males are self-employed, whereas 13% of economically active females are self employed.³⁷</p>	<p>a survey designed to assess the experience of LGBTQ+ people in the borough of health and wellbeing, socialising and community safety. It makes recommendations for health and social care providers, Southwark police and voluntary organisations to improve this experience^{38, 39}.</p>		<p>Black, Asian and minority ethnic communities business community⁴⁰. The GLA have produced a report in 2005 detailing the need to achieve this⁴¹. The High Streets for All report by the GLA further highlights this need and the social function that all SMEs play in the local economy⁴² Over 99% of the businesses in Southwark are micro and small-to-medium sized enterprises⁴³</p>				<p>assess the experience of LGBTQ+ people in the borough of health and wellbeing, socialising and community safety. It makes recommendations for health and social care providers, Southwark police and voluntary organisations to improve this experience⁴⁵.</p>
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³⁵ <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/la/1946157256/report.aspx?town=southwark#tabempunemp>

⁴⁴ <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/la/1946157256/report.aspx?town=southwark#tabempunemp>

³³ <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/la/1946157256/report.aspx?town=southwark#tabempunemp>

³⁴ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/1/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

³⁶ <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/la/1946157256/report.aspx?town=southwark#tabempunemp>

³⁷ IBID

³⁸ https://communitysouthwark.org/sites/default/files/images/Southwark%20LGBTQ%2B%20Community%20Consultation%202018-19_Final.pdf

³⁹ https://communitysouthwark.org/sites/default/files/images/Southwark%20LGBTQ%2B%20Community%20Consultation%202018-19_Final.pdf

⁴⁰ <https://www.london.gov.uk/press-releases/mayoral/mayors-new-work-to-help-bame-communities-thrive-0>

⁴¹ <https://www.proseworks.co.uk/Downloads/LDA-BMEBusinessreport.pdf>

⁴² https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/high_streets_for_all_report_web_final.pdf

⁴³ IBID

⁴⁵ https://communitysouthwark.org/sites/default/files/images/Southwark%20LGBTQ%2B%20Community%20Consultation%202018-19_Final.pdf

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<p>SP5: Thriving Neighbourhoods and tackling inequalities</p> <p>See IIA Appendix 3 - baseline data sections on Public health and wellbeing, and retail and town centre for further information.</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by age- Southwark's average age is 33.1 years⁴⁶. In 2018, the percentage 16-17 year olds not in education, employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known, is higher than the national average at 8.7%. This is amongst the highest percentages in London.⁴⁷</p> <p>Health statistics by age⁴⁸</p> <p>The percentage of takeaways outlets within a walking distance (400m) of a secondary school is 30%⁴⁹</p>	<p>Approximately just over 15,000 residents in Southwark are considered to have a disability.⁵⁰</p> <p>Health statistics by disability- data unavailable</p>	<p>Not available</p>	<p>The Southwark LGBTQ+ Community Consultation 2018-2019 report sets out the findings of a survey designed to assess the experience of LGBTQ+ people in the borough of health and wellbeing, socialising and community safety. It makes recommendations for health and social care providers, Southwark police and voluntary organisations to improve this experience⁵¹.</p>	<p>Not available</p>	<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by race⁵²</p> <p>Access to health services broken down by race – data unavailable</p>	<p>Access to health services broken down by Religion- data unavailable</p>	<p>Health statistics by pregnancy and maternity - Low birth weight of term babies (2017)</p> <p>Under 18s conception rate / 1,000 (2017)</p> <p>Teenage mothers (2017/18) https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/0/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E1200007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/90819/age/-1/sex/4</p>	<p>Health statistics by deprived areas – data unavailable</p>	<p>The Southwark LGBTQ+ Community Consultation 2018-2019 report sets out the findings of a survey designed to assess the experience of LGBTQ+ people in the borough of health and wellbeing, socialising and community safety. It makes recommendations for health and social care providers, Southwark police and voluntary organisations to improve this experience⁵³.</p>
<p>⁴⁶ https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile</p>	<p>⁴⁷ https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4</p>	<p>⁴⁸ https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/0/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/90819/age/-1/sex/4</p>								

⁴⁹ LB Southwark, 'Protected Shopping Frontages 2018' published 2018

⁵⁰ data set DWP- 2019 PIP & DLA figures

⁵¹ https://communitysouthwark.org/sites/default/files/images/Southwark%20LGBTQ%2B%20Community%20Consultation%202018-19_Final.pdf

⁵² <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

⁵³ https://communitysouthwark.org/sites/default/files/images/Southwark%20LGBTQ%2B%20Community%20Consultation%202018-19_Final.pdf

	<p>Breakdown of community uses by age – data unavailable</p>			<p>Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by gender reassignment – data unavailable</p> <p>Number of community uses accessed by gender reassignment – Currently there are no standard sources of transgender statistics, nor is there standard data on the use of health services or referrals to gender identity clinics. However, GIRE (the Gender Identity Research and Education Society) estimate that 0.6-1% of the population may experience gender dysphoria.</p> <p>Health statistics by gender reassignment – data unavailable</p>						<p>Breakdown of community uses by sexual orientation– Data unavailable</p> <p>Health statistics by sexual orientation – data unavailable</p>
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SP6: Climate Emergency See IIA Appendix 3 - baseline data section on Public health and wellbeing and Energy and Climate Change, Air Quality, Transport, Biodiversity, Open Spaces, Soil, Flood risk, water demand, Waste, Noise, Play facilities, for further information.	Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by age- Southwark's average age is 33.1 years ⁵⁴ . In 2018, the percentage 16-17 year olds not in education, employment or training (NEET) or whose activity is not known, is higher than the national average at 8.7%. This is amongst the highest percentages in London. ⁵⁵ The amount of open space in the borough- Southwark Open Space Strategy, Appendix 1 – Full schedule of sites assessed (by sub area) ⁶¹ The amount of open space in the borough- Southwark Open	Approximately just over 15,000 residents in Southwark are considered to have a disability. ⁶⁰ The amount of open space in the borough- Southwark Open Space Strategy, Appendix 1 – Full schedule of sites assessed (by sub area) ⁶¹	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Percentage of residents in the borough broken down by Religion ⁶² The amount of open space in the borough- Southwark Open Space Strategy, Appendix 1 – Full schedule of sites assessed (by sub area) ⁶³	Percentage of residents in the borough who are pregnant or have infant children – data unavailable The amount of open space in the borough- Southwark Open Space Strategy, Appendix 1 – Full schedule of sites assessed (by sub area) ⁶⁴	The number of households in the borough experiencing fuel poverty is 7000 which equates to 6.4% of all households. The data suggest that this is unequally distributed throughout the borough ⁶⁵ . The number of open spaces per 1000 people varies geographically. Aylesbury and Walworth has 2.24 ha. of open space, Bankside, Borough and London Bridge has 1.22 ha, Bermondsey and Old Kent Road has 0.36 ha., Camberwell has 0.47 ha. , Canada Water and Rotherhithe has 4.44 ha., Dulwich has 4.23 ha., Elephant and Castle has 0.38 ha., and Peckham and Nunhead has 1.92	Not available

⁵⁴ <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

⁵⁵ <https://fingertips.phe.org.uk/profile/child-health-profiles/data#page/7/gid/1938133228/pat/6/par/E12000007/ati/102/are/E09000028/iid/93203/age/174/sex/4>

⁶⁰ data set DWP- 2019 PIP & DLA figures

⁶¹ [https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark open space strategy Jan 2013 low res .pdf](https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark%20open%20space%20strategy%20Jan%202013%20low%20res%20.pdf)

⁶² <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile>

⁶³ [https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark open space strategy Jan 2013 low res .pdf](https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark%20open%20space%20strategy%20Jan%202013%20low%20res%20.pdf)

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⁶⁵ LB Southwark, 'Annual Public Health Report for Southwark 2019', published February 2019.

	<p>Space Strategy, Appendix 1 – Full schedule of sites assessed (by sub area)⁵⁶</p> <p>The number of open spaces per 1000 people is 1.5 hectares per 1,000 population⁵⁷.</p> <p>Seven in ten adults in Southwark are reported to be physically active⁵⁸.</p> <p>Mental health statistics by age- Hospital admissions for mental health conditions (2017/18)</p> <p>Hospital admissions as a result of self-harm (10-24 years)</p> <p>Air quality health statistics by age- Hospital admissions for asthma (under 19 years) 2017/18</p>	<p>Air quality health statistics by disability- <i>data unavailable</i></p>				<p>ha⁶⁶.</p>	
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⁵⁶ [https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark open space strategy Jan 2013 low res .pdf](https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/1897/3.1.1-Southwark_open_space_strategy_Jan_2013_low_res_.pdf)

⁵⁷ IBID

⁵⁸ Active Lives Adult Survey conducted by Sport England

	<p>There are currently 78 open spaces with some form of dedicated children's play space provision⁵⁹</p>						
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*data unavailable – data is not held on these characteristics currently and is difficult to obtain at a borough-wide level. Southwark Council is aware of the needs of these characteristics but there is a gap in specific quantitative data. This data in some cases is unobtainable.

⁶⁶ LB Southwark, 'Open Space Strategy' (adopted 2013).

⁵⁹ LB Southwark, 'Open Space Strategy' (adopted 2013).

COVID-19 Update to EQIA

In this time of uncertainty, LB Southwark understands that those with protected characteristics are in some cases, more vulnerable to the impacts of COVID-19.

COVID-19 will have significant medium and long term health, social and economic impacts on our communities, with some population groups being affected disproportionately. Emerging concerns for health include the impact of COVID-19 on people living with chronic and long-term health conditions (e.g. diabetes and respiratory conditions) who may be at increased risk of complications from COVID-19 and increased risk of death. COVID-19 may also exacerbate social isolation, loneliness, and mental illness. An economic downturn as a result of COVID-19 may have long term impacts on health and wellbeing. Housing is a significant social determinant of health and poor housing adds to the hardship of the COVID-19 crisis. The pandemic has highlighted inequalities in housing and the consequences for health. Those living in overcrowded or multi-generational homes may be at greater risk of contracting and falling ill from COVID-19. Increased time spent at home, and a lack of access to outdoor space (particularly for those in the private rented sector), may exacerbate health impacts. There is an increased risk of people becoming homeless or falling into debt due to an inability to pay rent. In addition, the pandemic has highlighted the importance of suitable housing and the need to consider availability and provision of social rented and intermediate housing.

Given that the intelligence and evidence regarding COVID-19 are evolving rapidly, both the Equalities Impact Assessment (EQIA) and Health Impact Assessment (HIA) will continue to be reviewed and updated at each stage of the plan. Further information on the impact of COVID-19 will be added as it becomes available. In addition, the impact of COVID-19 will also be considered and assessed in the Statement of Community Involvement to take into account the impact of COVID-19 on the potentially changing priorities in the borough in terms of how we consult, plan, and make decisions in the planning process.

There is no data on the extent of this yet, as the situation is emerging, but the Planning Policy Team will work alongside Public Health to understand the impact of COVID-19 on residents, and how this may alter our implementation of the policies in the NSP and alter need in the borough.

We will consider the impact of what has happened with regard to COVID-19 and take particular regard to the below –

1. Monitoring of housing – provision of social rent and intermediate housing
2. New homes delivery – council commitment to deliver 11,000 new council homes by 2043
3. Set up a town centre working group to prepare a paper for members to consider changes
4. Improvements to digital
 - a. Upgrade online services to ensure information and services is accessible and easy to use
5. Work alongside the Housing team at LB Southwark
6. Town centres
 - a. Monitor impact of relaxation of permitted development rights allowing a change of use from A3 or A4 use class to A5

- b. Use and change of High Streets
 - c. Use and change of Offices
7. Streetscape Design Manual - <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/transport-and-roads/traffic-orders-licensing-strategies-and-regulation/southwark-streetscape-design-manual-ssdm>
 8. Economic development – we have the Economic Wellbeing Strategy - <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/2933/Economic-Wellbeing-Strategy-2017-2022.pdf>
 9. Public Health are considering COVID in all our work areas and there are strategies being produced in which impact of COVID is likely to feature prominently – current relevant health policy that will be considered is listed below:
 - a. **Southwark Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2015 - 2020** - sets out our partnership vision to improve health and reduce health inequalities in the borough. <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/for-professionals?chapter=3#:~:text=The%20Joint%20Health%20and%20Wellbeing,policies%20and%20actions%20in%20Southwark.&text=helping%20people%20with%20existing%20long,conditions%20including%20self%20management%20%26%20support>
 - b. **2019 Annual Public Health Report** - forms part of the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) process in Southwark and provides decision makers with priorities and recommendations for local action. <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/12097/APHR-2019-Our-Climax-Our-Health.pdf>
 - c. Southwark Air Quality Improvement Strategy and Action Plan 2018-2023 (upcoming)
 - d. **Southwark Air Quality Improvement Strategy and Action Plan 2012-2017** <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/4407/Air-Quality-Strategy-Action-Plan-Final-Version.pdf>
 - e. **Our PH Strategies** <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/for-professionals?chapter=4>
At this webpage: Alcohol action plan 2017-20; Food security action plan (Fairer Food Southwark Plan); Healthy weight strategy; Suicide prevention strategy and action plan; Tobacco control strategy; and Immunisation strategy and action plan.
 - f. **Southwark’s Outbreak Prevention and Control Plan (OPCP)**
Southwark’s Outbreak Prevention and Control Plan (OPCP) sets out Southwark Council’s ambition and approach to providing local leadership and support for the pandemic response. Led by Public Health, but working closely with many council, health service, and voluntary sector partners, this document outlines the borough’s operational approaches to the challenge of coronavirus. **Includes a strong community engagement element-**
<https://www.southwark.gov.uk/assets/attach/12902/Southwark-s-Outbreak-Prevention-and-Control-Plan-30-June-2020-.pdf>

It is too early to understand the full extent of the impact of COVID-19. The impacts of COVID-19 are something we will continue to monitor and assess the impacts working with Regeneration and Public Health.