

Child Poverty Area Profile

Coalfields

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Child Poverty Sunderland

- The levels of child poverty in Sunderland is high with 25.4% of our children living in 'Poverty' as defined by the Government.
- The definition for 'Poverty' as it stands today is: The proportion of children living in families in receipt of out of work benefits or in receipt of tax credits where their reported income is less than 60 per cent of median income



1. Level of Child Poverty in Coalfields

	Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA		% of Children in "Poverty"	
	Under 16	All Children	Under 16	All Children
Coalfields	2,135	2,395	22.2%	21.5%
Sunderland	13,460	15,140	26.5%	25.4%

Source: HM Revenue and Customs, 2007

2. Levels of Deprivation in Coalfields

(Source Communities and Local Governments 2007)

Indices of Multiple Deprivation (IMD)

Each area of the city is ranked according to the Index of Multiple Deprivation (IMD) 2007. The IMD combines a number of indicators, chosen to cover a range of economic, social and housing issues, into a single deprivation score for each Lower Super Output Area (SOA) in England. This allows each area to be ranked in relation to one another according to their level of deprivation. The rankings are then used to categorize each Lower SOA in the city to show whether it is the most or least deprived. Percentages are used to show which SOA's are the most and least deprived, where 1% is the most deprived and 100% the least.

There are 30 LSOAs in Coalfield, 6 of these are in the top 10% most deprived areas in England and contain 19.9% of the areas population, 13 are in the top 20% most deprived and contain 41.4% of the areas population.

Income Deprivation Affecting Children Index (IDACI)

The Income Deprivation Affecting Children Index (IDACI) is a subset of the Income Deprivation Domain of the IMD, and shows the percentage of children in each SOA living in families that are income deprived (i.e., in receipt of Income Support, Income based Jobseeker's Allowance, Working Families' Tax Credit or Disabled Person's Tax Credit below a given threshold).

An IDACI score of, for example 0.24 means that 24% of children aged less than 16 in that SOA are living in families that are income deprived. A rank of 1 is assigned to the most deprived SOA and a rank of 32,482 is assigned to the least deprived SOA, for presentation purposes.

Sunderland IDACI Ranking: Average Score 0.26 Average Rank 13,361 out of 32,482

Coalfields IDACI Ranking: Average Score 0.24 Average Rank 11,134 out of 32,482

However, half of Sunderland's SOAs have 25-75% of children aged 0-16 living in households that are income deprived with the lowest ranking being 32,221 and highest being 219. Therefore this indicates a high level of socio-economic deprivation across the city.

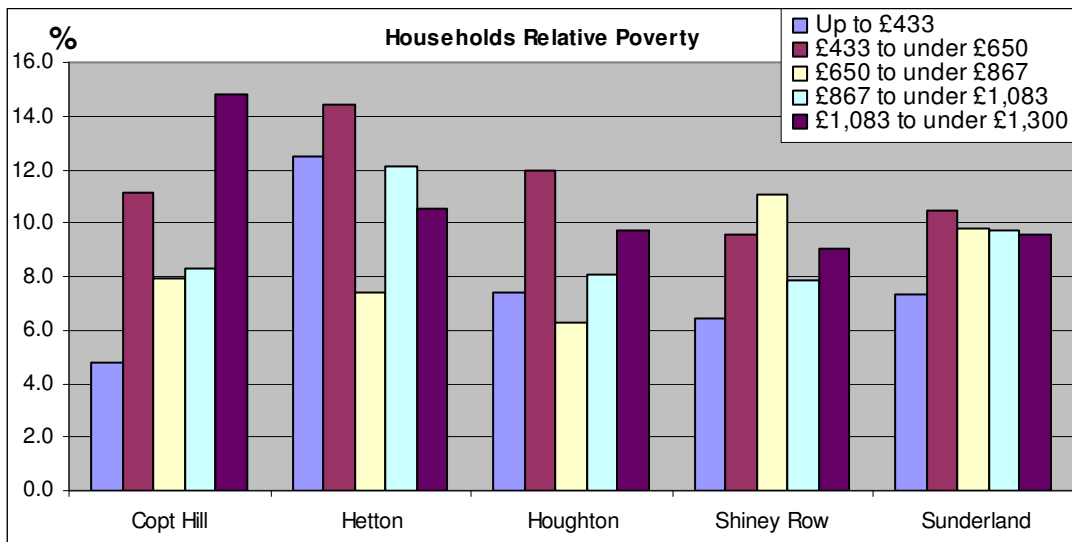
3. Child Poverty Statistics- Locality Breakdown

Summary	Children in IS/JSA families		Children in families receiving WTC and CTC, and income <60% median income		Children in families receiving CTC only, and income <60% median income		Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA		% of Children in "Poverty"	
	Under 16	All Children	Under 16	All Children	Under 16	All Children	Under 16	All Children	Under 16	All Children
Coalfields	1,630	1,775	195	240	315	375	2,135	2,395	22.2%	21.5%
East	1,845	2,045	325	390	235	275	2,425	2,730	31.3%	19.7%
North	2,180	2,380	275	345	320	390	2,770	3,160	26.9%	26.0%
Washington	1,710	1,875	280	330	245	290	2,255	2,485	19.5%	18.7%
West	2,830	3,175	565	680	450	510	3,865	4,390	28.0%	27.1%
Sunderland	10,205	11,285	1,655	1,990	1,600	1,865	13,460	15,140	26.5%	25.4%

Family Type	Children in IS/JSA families		Children in families receiving WTC and CTC, and income <60% median income		Children in families receiving CTC only, and income <60% median income		Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA		Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA (% of Sunderland)	
	Couple	Lone parent	Couple	Lone parent	Couple	Lone parent	Couple	Lone parent	Couple (%)	Lone parent (%)
Coalfields	530	1,245	170	50	135	235	865	1,545	15.86%	15.95%
East	615	1,415	340	40	130	160	1,065	1,655	19.52%	17.09%
North	610	1,770	255	80	120	280	990	2,150	18.15%	22.20%
Washington	485	1,390	290	50	120	170	865	1,625	15.86%	16.78%
West	915	2,265	550	120	190	325	1,655	2,715	30.34%	28.03%
Sunderland	3,145	8,140	1,605	385	705	1,155	5,455	9,685		

Children	Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA				Children in families in receipt of CTC (<60% median income) or IS/JSA			
	Age of child							
	1 child	2 children	3 children	4 or more children	0 - 4	5 - 10	11 - 15	16 - 19
Coalfields	615	760	635	425	725	760	665	265
East	625	885	640	590	840	865	725	315
North	875	1,120	695	455	895	985	885	360
Washington	620	815	575	515	745	820	660	240
West	1,135	1,470	950	845	1,185	1,320	1,350	515
Sunderland	3,835	5,060	3,440	2,810	4,395	4,775	4,290	1,680

Source: HM Revenue and Customs, 2007



Source: ONS, 2008

Number of Job Seeker allowance claimants:

Ward	Number	%
Colliery	358	6.9
Eppleton	294	4.1
Hetton	322	4.7
Houghton	259	4.2
Shiney Row	366	3.8
Sunderland	10,104	5.5
Great Britain	1,558,194	4.1

Source: ONS claimant count with rates and proportions (April 2010)

Note: % is a proportion of resident working age population of area

Working Age Population:

Ward	Numbers	%
Colliery	5,197	57.7
Eppleton	7,397	60.5
Hetton	6,857	61.1
Houghton	6,114	60.4
Shiney Row	8,759	62.4
Sunderland	-	61.8
Great Britain	-	61.5

Source: ONS 2001 census - census area statistics (2001)

Note: Percentages are based on total population

Benefit Claimants as at November 2009:

	Colliery		Eppleton		Hetton		Houghton		Shiney Row		Sunderland	Great Britain
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	%	%
Total claimants	1,455	28	1,540	21.5	1,880	27.4	1,400	22.8	1,820	19	23	15.8
Job seekers	335	6.4	300	4.2	340	5.0	275	4.5	375	3.9	5.6	4
Incapacity benefits	765	14.7	845	11.8	1,060	15.5	730	11.9	970	10.1	11	7.1
Lone parents	140	2.7	135	1.9	160	2.3	120	2.0	160	1.7	2.2	1.9
Carers	95	1.8	125	1.7	160	2.3	140	2.3	135	1.4	1.6	1.1
Others on income related benefits	50	1.0	40	0.6	65	0.9	35	0.6	50	0.5	0.7	0.5
Disabled	55	1.1	75	1.0	75	0.9	85	1.4	110	1.2	1.1	1
Bereaved	15	0.3	20	0.3	20	0.3	15	0.2	20	0.2	0.2	0.2

Key out-of-work benefits†	1,290	24.8	1,320	18.5	1,625	23.7	1,160	18.9	1,555	16.3	20	13.4
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Source: benefit claimants - working age clients for small areas (November 2009)

† Key out-of-work benefits consists of the groups: job seekers, incapacity benefits, lone parents and others on income related benefits

Note: The percentage figures show the number of benefit claimants as a proportion of resident working-age people

4. Education and Qualifications

Number of Schools: 20, equating of 3 nursery schools, 15 primary schools and 2 secondary schools)

Pupils in Schools:

	Total Number of Pupils in Nursery Education	Total number of Pupils school age	Male	Female
Coalfields	596	5,425	3,083	2,938
Sunderland	3,355	38,042	21,079	20,318

	Exclusions			SEN			No. of Pupils with Language other English	No. of BME	No. of CLA	No. of connexion agreements in place
	Fixed	Lunchtime	Permanent	Action Plan	Action Plan +	Statement				
Coalfields	69	0	1	788	480	43	59	130	25	1,861
Sunderland	421	2	9	5,381	3,014	1,065	1,531	2,203	252	13,456

Free School Meals:

	Pupils Eligible for FSM	Number of FSM taken
Coalfields	1, 218 (22.4%)	967 (79.3%)
Sunderland	8,404 (22%)	6,874 (81.8%)

Source: Sunderland City Council, January 2010 School Census

Attainment Gap:

The gap between those eligible for free school meals and those not at Key Stage 2 in Sunderland is 26% and for the schools in the Coalfields area there is an average gap of 24%

Source: Sunderland City Council, Children's Services 2009

Not in Education, Employment or Training (NEET)

In Sunderland 9.2% of Young People are Not in Education, Employment or Training, in the Coalfields Locality there are 121 young people which equates to 10.6% of the young people in the area.

Source: Connexions, May 2010

Unemployed Persons with No Qualification in Coalfields:

Ward	Number	%
Colliery	164	49
Eppleton	192	47.4
Hetton	181	44.7
Houghton	176	48.1
Shiney Row	183	43.8
Sunderland	-	44.1
Great Britain	-	38.4

Source: ONS 2001 census - census area statistics (2001)

Note: All figures are for persons aged 16 to 74

Qualifications of Residents:

	All People	No qualifications	Level 1 qualifications	Level 2 qualifications	Level 3 qualifications	Level 4 / 5 qualifications	Other qualifications: Level unknown
Sunderland	206228	76096	37611	38302	14042	24695	15482
Copt Hill	8,877	3,196	1,655	1,708	485	1,110	723
Hetton	8,277	3,513	1,541	1,385	361	765	712
Houghton	8,325	3,289	1,619	1,503	471	807	636
Shiney Row	8,501	3,146	1,688	1,574	448	939	706

Source: Office of National Statistics Last Updated: November 2004

Economic Activity (Students):

	All Full-Time Students	Full-Time Students: Economically active	Full-Time Students: Economically active: In employment	Full-Time Students: Economically active: Unemployed
Sunderland	14,367	5,205	4,176	1,029
North East	125,072	41,584	34,617	6,967
England	2,498,728	917,582	791,228	126,354
Copt Hill	423	158	140	18
Hetton	352	121	92	29
Houghton	393	146	131	15
Shiney Row	362	130	103	27

Source: Office of National Statistics Last Updated: November 2004

5. Housing

There are 19,476 households, this equates to almost 17% of total households in the City. The average household size is 2.4 people per household, 4.8% are overcrowded compared to a city average of 5.7%, none of the wards in the Coalfield area have levels of overcrowding higher than the City average. In relation to housing tenure the percentage of owner occupied property is 63.3% which is higher than the City average of 60.2%. Levels are higher than the City average across all wards in Coalfield with the exception of Hetton (58.4%). Levels of social housing are similar to the City average. Gentoo stock accounts for 23.1% of property compared to a city average of 23.2% levels are higher in Hetton where Gentoo stock is 27.8% of housing tenure. Housing associations comprise 8.8% of property compared to a city average of 10.3%.

6. Health

Proportion of children measuring overweight (25 <= BMI <30) or obese (BMI >= 30) by Sunderland ward of residence in 2007/08:

	Reception 2007/08				Year 6 2007/08			
	Pupils measured	% overweight	% obese	% overweight or obese	Pupils measured	% overweight	% obese	% overweight or obese
Copt Hill	116	19.0%	16.4%	35.3%	134	20.9%	19.4%	40.3%
Hetton	113	16.8%	4.4%	21.2%	111	17.1%	27.9%	45.0%
Houghton	132	17.4%	11.4%	28.8%	100	12.0%	27.0%	39.0%
Shiney Row	149	22.1%	10.7%	32.9%	141	19.1%	18.4%	37.6%
Sunderland	2772	15.3%	10.2%	25.6%	2701	16.0%	22.0%	37.9%

Source: NHS South of Tyne and Wear, based on results from the National Childhood Measurement Programme 2007/08.

Number of Accident and Emergency Attendances by Children Under 5 at Sunderland Royal Hospital:

	Age 0	Age 1	Age 2	Age 3	Age 4	Age 0 - 4
Coalfields	115 (12%)	147 (12.4%)	109 (14.6%)	76 (14.7%)	59 (12.8%)	506 (13.2%)
Sunderland	910	1,178	743	517	458	3,806

Source: City Hospitals Sunderland Business Objects System: Extract September 2009

Number of Teenage Parents and those who are Not in Education, Employment or Training:

	Cohort	NEET
Coalfields	54	40 (74%)
Sunderland Total	360	244 (67.7%)

Source: City Hospitals Sunderland Business Objects System: Extract March 2010

Number Households with Limiting Long-term Illness and Dependent Children:

	All Households	Households with no adults in employment: With dependent children	Households with no adults in employment: Without dependent children	Households with dependent children: All ages	Households with dependent children: Aged 0-4	Households with one or more person with a limiting long-term illness
Sunderland	116356	7956	41876	36480	12962	51203
North East	1066292	66546	386159	317866	114012	437984
England	20451427	988329	6322486	6023856	2326443	6862037
Copt Hill	5073	317	1861	1654	649	2287
Hetton	4799	348	1889	1377	492	2417
Houghton	4771	304	1763	1470	209	2191
Shiney Row	4864	329	1682	1552	616	2106

Source: Office for National Statistics, Last updated November 2009

Smoking During Pregnancy:

	Number of maternities measured	Percentage Smoking at Booking	Percentage Smoking at Delivery
Coalfields	235	28.9%	26.3%
Sunderland Total	1547	28.1%	23.7%

Source: NHS South of Tyne Maternity Services (Jan 08 summary)