Under 75 mortality rate from cancer

2013 - 2015

Performance:

130.6 per 100,000

Age-standardised rate of mortality from all cancers in persons less than 75 years of age per 100,000 population

Introduction

Cancer is the highest cause of death in England in under 75s. To ensure that there continues to be a reduction in the rate of premature mortality from cancer, there needs to be concerted action in both prevention and treatment. It is estimated that more than 1 in 3 people will get cancer in their lives.

Under 75 mortality rate per 100,000 from cancer by districts and boroughs (2013-15)

Source: Public Health Outcomes Framework, 4.05i

Area Name	Rate per 100,000	
North Warwickshire Borough	140.6	
Nuneaton & Bedworth Borough	143.6	
Rugby Borough	121.1	
Stratford-on-Avon District	125.1	
Warwick District	126.1	
Warwickshire	130.6	

Statistically significantly
higher than the England figure
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lower than the England figure

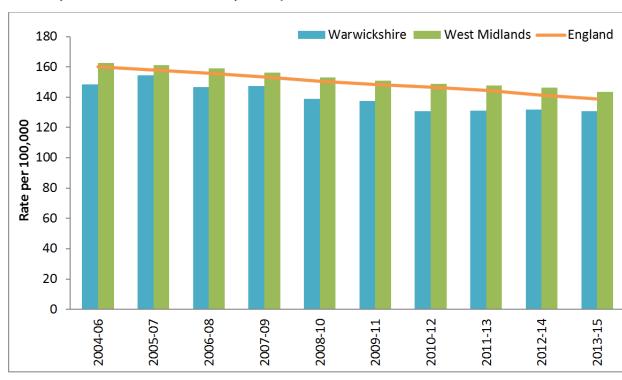
Current position

Locally and nationally, cancer numbers are increasing. However, death rates are falling.

Warwickshire rate 130.6 per 100,000 population aged under 75 (1,994 deaths) which is statistically better than either England 138.8 (186,273 deaths) or West Midlands 143.6 (20,623 deaths) rates.

At lower tier local authority level, Rugby, Stratford-on-Avon and Warwick have statistically better rates than England.

Directly standardised mortality rate per 100,000 from cancer (2004-06 to 2013-15)



Current activity

- Promote risk reduction factors, smoking cessation, tackling overweight and obesity, promoting sensible drinking and promoting physical activity.
- · Cancer awareness campaigns.
- NHS cancer screening programmes and human papilloma (HPV) vaccination programme.

Local level analysis of Primary Care Mortality Database (PCMD) data for the five year period from 2010-14, indicates that four wards have statistically worse mortality than the Warwickshire rate.

Four highest directly standardised mortality rates by Warwickshire wards (2010-14)

Source: Primary Care Mortality Database, 2010-2014

Ward Name	District/Borough	Number of cases	Rate per 100,000
Radford Semele	Warwick District	29	209.4
Newbold and Brownsover	Rugby Borough	54	196.6
Brunswick	Warwick District	53	188.9
Camp Hill	Nuneaton & Bedworth Borough	53	172.8

Future activity

- Continuing activity addressing the key risk factors.
- Continuing support for NHS cancer screening and HPV vaccination programmes.

Links to other indicators

- Mortality rate from causes considered preventable
- Under 75 mortality rate from all cardiovascular diseases
- •Excess under 75 mortality rate in adults with serious mental illness

