

# PLACE BASED NEEDS ASSESSMENT

## BEDWORTH CENTRAL & BULKINGTON

### APPENDICES

Warwickshire Joint Strategic Needs Assessment

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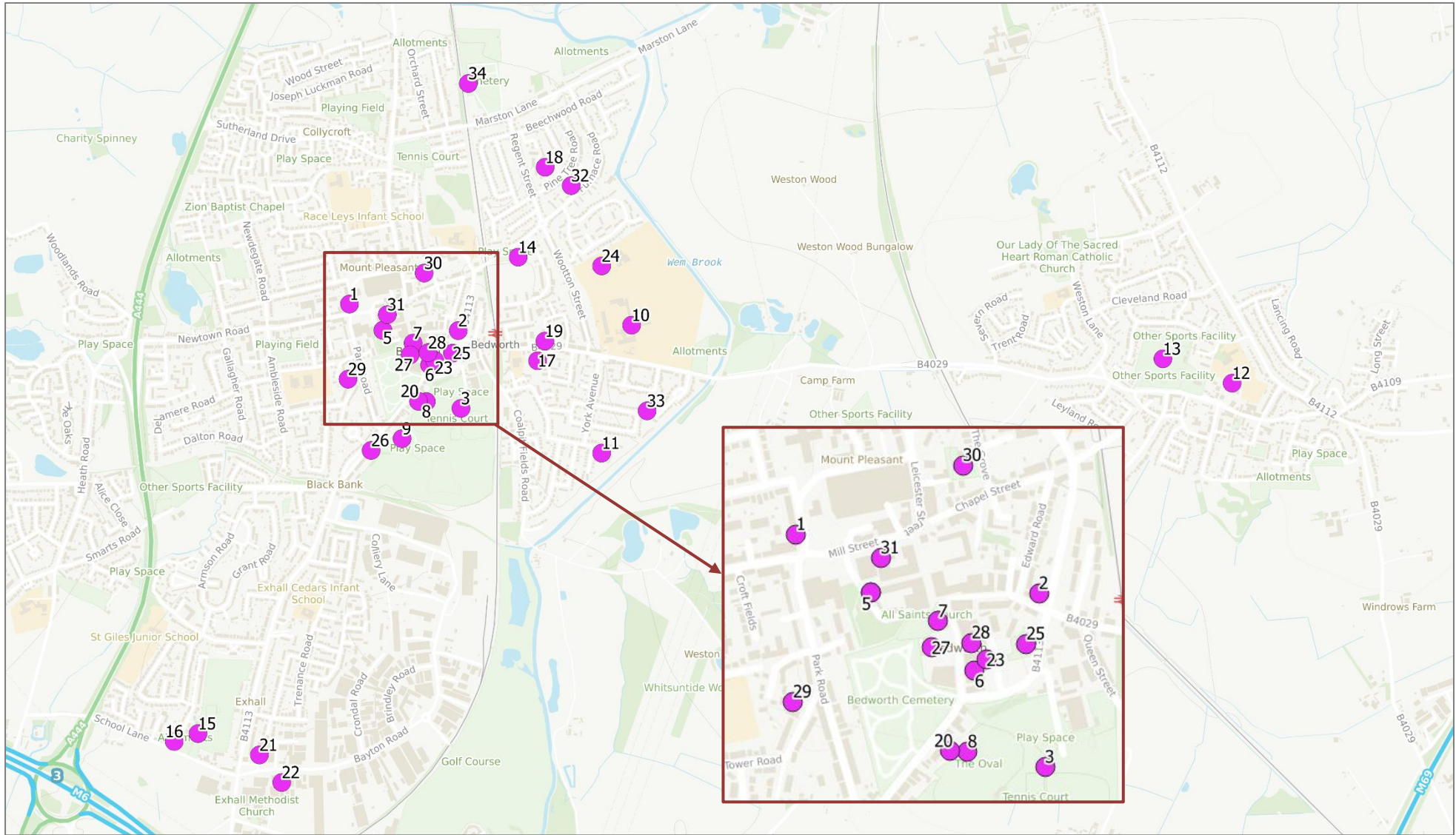
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# APPENDIX A – GP COMMUNITY ASSETS



Organsation & Contact Details	Activities, Classes, Events	Children & Families	Young People	Older People	Community Venues & Meeting Points	Community Organisations & Social Groups	Leisure & Recreational Activities	Advice & Support	Community Cafés & Foods	Health & Wellbeing	Education & Learning
<b>Map Ref 1:</b> Martial Arts Centre 2 George Street Ringway, CV12 8EB <a href="http://www.siu-lum-kune.com/">http://www.siu-lum-kune.com/</a>	Siu Lum Kune Martial Arts - Kung Fu, Kickboxing, Little Tigers (4-8yrs), MMA//Grappling, Lion Dance	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	
<b>Map Ref 2:</b> Bedworth Ex Servicemen's Club Rye Piece Ringway, CV12 8JH	Bowls facilities Bedworth Lions Club - Meets on 2nd Monday of each month Telephone - 0845 833 9541 Email - Info@andrewphotographic.co.uk				✓	✓					
<b>Map Ref 3:</b> Johnsons Pavilion Miners Welfare Park, Rye Piece Ringway, CV12 8JH	Multi pitch (2) football pitches, 1 cricket						✓			✓	
<b>Map Ref 4:</b> Bedworth Wellbeing Hub 25 Congreve Walk, CV12 8LX	Peer led drop in sessions - Wed & Fri 5pm - 8pm Walk ins - Wed 5pm - 8pm One off workshops Pathfinder 1-1 support (by appointment) Grow 1-1 support (by appointment) Outreach in the community									✓	

<p><b>Map Ref 4: Citizens Advice</b></p> <p>25 Congreve Walk, CV12 8LX 02476 494393 <a href="http://www.brancab.org.uk/bedworth_citizens_advice_bureau.html">http://www.brancab.org.uk/bedworth_citizens_advice_bureau.html</a></p>	<p>Bedworth Citizens Advice is located in the centre of the town. We provide free, confidential, impartial and independent general advice and information on a wide range of subjects including welfare benefits, Universal Credit, disability issues, debt, consumer matters, employment, housing, relationships, legal issues, health, education and much more. We also provide a casework service for those facing complex financial or housing difficulties.</p> <p>The Silver Surfers group (Bedworth) is located upstairs in the Citizens Advice building opposite Bedworth Market. We welcome those new to computers, internet and email, no matter what age. If you're aged between 50 and 100 - you'll fit right in! Why not come along for a chat and a cup of tea. We're not here to judge and you learn at YOUR own pace. Silver Surfers meeting times: Thursday 12-2pm and Friday 10am - 12am)</p>			✓		✓		✓	✓		✓
<p><b>Map Ref 6: Bedworth Library</b></p> <p>Nuneaton &amp; Bedworth Council, 18 High Street, CV12 8NF 0300 5558171 <a href="https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/bedworthlibrary">https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/bedworthlibrary</a></p>	<p>Bedworth Library and Information Centre Library services for Bedworth are also available by telephone – 0300 555 8171: Monday to Friday: 08.00 – 18.30, Saturday: 09.00 – 13.00</p> <p>books, talking books, large print, feature and children’s DVDs, newspapers and magazines, Asian reading material, Books on Prescription collection – mental health self-help books, eBooks and CDs., Sorted! book collection – help for children, young people and parents with common problems and situations, Micro:bits for loan – start coding with tiny programmable computers. For over eight year olds. computers with printing and scanning – printing is A4 black &amp; white, and colour, WiFi, photocopier – A3/A4 black &amp; white, and colour, fax service, local studies and family history service, UK Visa service – digital support to complete your immigration application online. We do not provide immigration advice, read and relax area, UK Online Centre</p> <p>Children’s and young adults groups and activities: Rhyme Time – songs and rhymes for 0-2 year olds and parents and carers. Tuesdays, 11:00 – 11:30. Story Stomp – fun session for 2-4 year olds and their parents and carers to follow on from Rhyme Time. Tuesdays, 10:00 – 10:30.</p>	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓

	<p>Lego Club – creative themed sessions for children to build and create with Lego. Alternate Fridays, 15:30 – 16:45. See Eventbrite for dates.</p> <p>Other groups and activities  Silver Surfers – free computer and tablet help sessions for people aged 50 plus. Fridays, 12:00 – 14:00. Book in advance.  Stitch Up needlework club – informal club for crochet, knitting and hand sewing. Chat, share ideas and bring a project to work on. Beginners to advance level welcome. Fridays, 13:00 – 15:00.  Tea and Talks – with guest speakers. £1.00 donation. 2nd Wednesday of every month, 13:30 – 15:00.  Job Club  Adult &amp; Community Learning and English for Speakers of Other Languages classes</p> <p>Warwickshire Registration Service – Bedworth</p> <p>Bedworth Library is a Safe Place where you can go to get help if you feel unsafe or at risk when you are out and about.</p>										
<p><b>Map Ref 7:</b> All Saints Church</p> <p>High Street, Bedworth, CV12 8NH  01926 888899</p>	<p>The Alzheimer’s Society Dementia Café - Bedworth, takes place monthly on the 4th Friday of each month, 1pm - 3pm.</p> <p>It’s an informal social event for people with dementia, their family and friends. Staff from Alzheimer’s Society will be on hand to give support and provide information.</p> <p>They have a range of fun activities including singing and playing games from the past. The cafés can also provide sessions with speakers from a range of organisations covering a variety of topics that help to support Individuals living with dementia, their spouses, partners or children.</p>			✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 8:</b> Bedworth United Football &amp; Social Club</p> <p>The Oval, Coventry Road, CV12 8NN  02476 314752  <a href="http://www.bedworthunited.com/">http://www.bedworthunited.com/</a></p>	<p>Multi pitch (2) football pitches  Bedworth United Football Club - First Team, Youth Teams (U21's, U18's), Junior Teams (Tots, U9's to U18's)  3G Football Pitch available for hire - 5 A Side football matches</p>	✓	✓			✓	✓			✓	



<p><b>Map Ref 9:</b> Bedworth Leisure Centre</p> <p>Bedworth Leisure Centre, Coventry Road, CV12 8NN</p>	<p>Gym, Swimming Pool, Crèche (for ages six weeks to five years), Group Exercise Studio, Café, Flume, Junior Swimming Lessons, Adult Swimming Lessons, 11-15 Years Parent Supervised Gym Sessions, Additional Needs Swimming Lessons, Adult &amp; Child (19-36mths) Swimming Lessons, Adult &amp; Child (4-18mths) Swimming Lessons, Circuits, Aqua Aerobics</p>	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 10:</b> Nicholas Chamberlaine Technology College, Sports Hall</p> <p>Nicholas Chamberlaine Technology College, Bulkington Road, CV12 9EA</p>	<p>Community Accessible Sports Hall (Pay and Play)</p>			✓		✓			✓	✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 11:</b> Poets Corner Centre</p> <p>20 Drayton Road, CV12 9EY</p>	<p>Dementia Day Opportunities - The service offers support in a day care setting which aims to assist independent living in the community for as long as possible through opportunities to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Help keep the memory at optimum levels</li> <li>- Socialise with others in similar circumstances</li> <li>-Join in group activities and have fun</li> </ul> <p>Activities include reminiscence therapy, music and movement, arts and crafts.</p> <p>Tuesdays 9.00am to 3.00pm</p>			✓		✓	✓		✓		
<p><b>Map Ref 12:</b> Bulkington Village Centre</p> <p>Bulkington Village Centre, School Road, CV12 9JB <a href="http://www.bulkingtoncommunityandconferencing.co.uk/">http://www.bulkingtoncommunityandconferencing.co.uk/</a></p>	<p>Friday Friends Dementia Café - The Garden Room, Bulkington Village Centre, Bulkington, CV12 9JB Contact: Bulkington Surgery, Tel: 02476 733020 When they meet: 1st Friday of Every Month, 1.30pm-3.30pm</p> <p>Other events at Bulkington Village Centre include: Fitness &amp; Nutrition classes, community cafe, art, music, dog training, yoga, exercise classes, dance</p>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 13:</b> Bulkington Recreation Ground</p> <p>Bulkington Recreation Ground, School Road, CV12 9PZ</p>	<p>Multi pitch (2) football and 1 cricket square Multi sports of boxing, netball, tennis and bowls currently played around this facility. Social/bar already in place under self-management.</p>			✓	✓	✓				✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 14:</b> Johnson Road Recreation Ground</p> <p>Johnson Road, CV12 9ST</p>	<p>Multi pitch (2) football pitches</p>					✓				✓	

<p><b>Map Ref 15:</b> Pavilion, Heckley Playing Fields</p> <p>Heckley Road, Exhall, Coventry, CV7 9GL</p>	<p>Multi pitch (2 football) and 1 cricket square Multi sports - boxing, football, cricket, netball, tennis, gym, classes Exhall Boxing Club delivering boxing and H&amp;F classes for community. Football booking taken through NBBC.</p>						✓			✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 16:</b> Exhall Old School</p> <p>Exhall Green, Exhall, Coventry, Warwickshire, CV7 9GL 024 7631 3023 <a href="https://www.nuneatonandbedworth.gov.uk/info/20084/community_life/125/community_centres/5">https://www.nuneatonandbedworth.gov.uk/info/20084/community_life/125/community_centres/5</a></p>	<p>Exhall Old School Community Centre has many activities which you may like to join. Events are organised usually on the third Saturday of every month to help raise funds to keep the centre going. Rooms can be hired for private functions and a full size snooker table is available. Short mat bowls, Weight Watchers, Bedworth Amateur Show Society, Art Class (adults), Coffee morning, Tap tone for over 50's, Parent and pre-school music movement, Children's Dance Class, Tai Chi</p>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 17:</b> Life Church</p> <p>17, Bulkington Road, CV12 9DG (024) 7649 4320 <a href="http://www.lifechurch.eu">http://www.lifechurch.eu</a></p>	<p>Nonconformist</p>				✓						
<p><b>Map Ref 18:</b> Sheltered Flats, Conifer Court</p> <p>Conifer Close, Bedworth, CV12 9SH</p>				✓							
<p><b>Map Ref 19:</b> Wesleyan Reform Church, The Little Chapel</p> <p>Bulkington Road, CV12 9DH</p>	<p>Nonconformist</p> <p>Foodbank - Thursdays 12.00 to 2.00</p>				✓				✓		
<p><b>Map Ref 20:</b> Bedworth Baptist Church</p> <p>Coventry Road, CV12 8NN (024) 7631 5984 bedworthbaptist@yahoo.co.uk <a href="http://www.bedworthbaptist.org.uk/">http://www.bedworthbaptist.org.uk/</a></p>	<p>Baptist</p> <p>Foodbank - Tuesdays 10.00 to 12.00</p>				✓				✓		



<b>Map Ref 21:</b> Gurdwara Dukh Nirwaran Sahib Temple 1, Bayton Road, CV7 9EL	Sikh				✓						
<b>Map Ref 22:</b> BVS Gurdwara Temple Bayton Road, CV7 9EJ	Sikh				✓						
<b>Map Ref 23:</b> Bedworth Arts Centre High Street, CV12 8NH (024) 7664 3255 bedwortharts@aol.comwww.bedwortharts.org.uk	Various groups meet here and have regular activities				✓						
<b>Map Ref 24:</b> St. Michael's Children's Centre Hazel Grove, CV12 9DA (024) 764 171 st.michaelsadmincc@welearn365.com http://www.stmichaelsprimaryschool.co.uk/	Mon - Thurs 8.30 to 3.45 Fri 8.30 to 12	✓			✓				✓		
<b>Map Ref 25:</b> St. Francis Of Assisi Rye Piece Ringway, CV12 8JH	Roman Catholic				✓						
<b>Map Ref 26:</b> Coventry Road Dental Care Coventry Road, CV12 8NW 0234 7631 2256 http://www.coventryroaddental.co.uk/	8-6 - Mon to Fri& 8-1 Sat									✓	

<p><b>Map Ref 27:</b> Bedworth Health Centre</p> <p>High Street, CV12 8NQ 024 7631 5432 <a href="http://www.bedworthhealthcentregps.co.uk/contact1.aspx">http://www.bedworthhealthcentregps.co.uk/contact1.aspx</a></p>	<p>M-F 8.30 to 6.00</p>									✓	
<p><b>Map Ref 28:</b> Bedworth Arts Centre</p> <p>High Street, CV12 8NF (024) 7664 3255 <a href="http://www.bedworththeatre.co.uk">http://www.bedworththeatre.co.uk</a></p>	<p>Family History - Fri: 10.00-12.00 Theatre rehearsing, performing, technical etc (for adults) - Wed: 7.30-10.30 Rainbow Sunshine Club - These sessions are for people with LD and their carers who have an opportunity to express themselves through Drama and song. Thu: 10.30-12.30</p>		✓								
<p><b>Map Ref 29:</b> Embody Dance,</p> <p>Saunders Hall, Saunders Avenue, CV12 8RJ (07533) 916231</p>	<p>Exercise for over 50's</p> <p>Tue: 11.30-12.30</p>			✓							
<p><b>Map Ref 30:</b> Old Meeting United Reform Church</p> <p>Leicester Road, CV12 8JR (024) 7661 9126</p>	<p>Nonconformist</p>				✓						
<p><b>Map Ref 31:</b> Bedworth Methodist Church</p> <p>Mill Street, CV12 8JZ (024) 7631 1057 (024) 7631 2952 (07533) 916231 <a href="http://www.methodists5-10.org.uk/Wordpress/bedworth/">http://www.methodists5-10.org.uk/Wordpress/bedworth/</a></p>	<p>Methodist Church</p> <p>Coffee Morning - Tue, Fri, Sat: 10.00 -12.00 Meet &amp; Chat Group - Wed (fortnightly) 2.00-4.00 Friday Club - Fri (2nd of month): 19.00-21.00 Embodly Dance - Exercise for over 50's - Fri: 11.30-12.30</p>			✓	✓						
<p><b>Map Ref 32:</b> Pine Tree Centre, Sheltered Flats</p> <p>Pinetree Road, CV12 9BG</p>				✓							

<b>Map Ref 33:</b> Sheltered Flats, Poplar House				✓							
Poplar Coalpit Fields, CV12 9ER											
<b>Map Ref 34:</b> Marston Lane Pavilion	Sporting activities						✓				
Marston Lane											

## APPENDIX B – GP SURGERY OVERVIEW

Measure	Comparator	Woodlands Surgery	Bedworth Health Centre	Bulkington Surgery	Rugby Road Surgery	The Old Cole House Practice	Leicester Road Surgery
% with a long-standing health condition	CCG	Similar	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
	England	Similar	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
Diabetes: QOF prevalence (17+)	CCG	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar	Higher	Higher
	England	Similar	Higher	Similar	Higher	Higher	Higher
DM012: Patients with diabetes who had a foot examination and risk classification (den.incl.exc.)	CCG	Higher	Similar	Higher	Higher	Lower	Lower
	England	Higher	Similar	Higher	Higher	Lower	Lower
CHD: QOF prevalence (all ages)	CCG	Similar	Higher	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar
	England	Similar	Higher	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar
Hypertension: QOF prevalence (all ages)	CCG	Similar	Similar	Similar	Higher	Higher	Higher
	England	Similar	Higher	Higher	Higher	Higher	Higher
Stroke: QOF prevalence (all ages)	CCG	Similar	Higher	Similar	Similar	Higher	Similar
	England	Similar	Higher	Similar	Similar	Higher	Similar
Atrial fibrillation: QOF prevalence	England	Lower	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
Obesity: QOF prevalence (18+)	CCG	Higher	Higher	Lower	Similar	Lower	Similar
	England	Higher	Higher	Lower	Similar	Lower	Similar
Epilepsy: QOF prevalence (18+)	England	Similar	Higher	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
Estimated smoking prevalence (QOF)	CCG	Similar	Higher	Lower	Similar	Similar	Higher
	England	Higher	Higher	Lower	Higher	Similar	Higher
Cancer: QOF prevalence (all ages)	CCG	Similar	Similar	Lower	Similar	Higher	Similar
	England	Similar	Similar	Lower	Similar	Higher	Similar
Number of emergency admissions with cancer (Number per 100,000 population)	CCG	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar	Higher	Lower
	England	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar	Higher	Lower
Females, 50-70, screened for breast cancer in last 36 months (3 year coverage, %)	CCG	Similar	Similar	Similar	Lower	Similar	Similar
Persons, 60-74, screened for bowel cancer in last 30 months (2.5 year coverage, %)	CCG	Lower	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
	England	Lower	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar	Similar
Depression: QOF incidence (18+) - new diagnosis	CCG	Higher	Higher	Lower	Similar	Lower	Similar
	England	Higher	Higher	Lower	Similar	Lower	Similar
Depression: Recorded prevalence (aged 18+)	CCG	Higher	Similar	Lower	Similar	Similar	Higher
	England	Higher	Lower	Lower	Similar	Similar	Similar

### **Background**

Two surveys, one aimed at residents living in Warwickshire the other aimed at professionals working in Warwickshire were launched on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018. A download of responses was taken on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019 and forms the basis for this analysis.

### **Professional Survey**

A total of 201 responses have been received for the Professional Survey of which 23% (47) were from professionals working in Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough and 23 specifically in the Bedworth Central and Bulkington JSNA area.

### **Residents Survey**

A total of 1,233 responses were received for the Residents Survey of which 28% (346) were from residents living in Nuneaton & Bedworth Borough and 12% (145) specifically from residents living in Bedworth Central and Bulkington JSNA area.

## Bedworth Central and Bulkington JSNA Area – Residents Survey Analysis

### Profile of respondents

In total 108 respondents were female (75%) compared to 35 male (24%). The two remaining respondents selected 'other including non-binary' and 'prefer not to answer'.

The highest proportion of respondents (31%) were aged between 60-74 years. Just 6 respondents were aged between 18-29 years (4%).

**Figure 1: Respondents by age group and gender**



Just under a third of respondents (32%) were from households described as 'Couple (Married/Civil partnership/Cohabiting/Other) - with child/children/dependent under 18' (Figure 2).

**Figure 2: Number of respondents by household composition**

Household Composition	Number	%
Couple (Married/Civil partnership/Cohabiting/Other) - with child/children/dependent under 18	46	32%
One person - aged 65+	31	21%
Couple (Married/Civil partnership/Cohabiting/Other) - without children	27	19%
Couple (Married/Civil partnership/Cohabiting/Other) - with child/children/dependent over 18	14	10%
One person - other	12	8%
Lone parent - with child/children/dependent under 18	9	6%
Lone parent - with child/children/dependent over 18	3	2%
Multiple occupation (at least 3 people sharing facilities)	3	2%

The majority of respondents (83%) categorised themselves as ‘White - English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish / British’ (Figure 3). The free text responses included ‘Finnish’ (1), ‘South African – Indian – English’ (1) and ‘White Polish’ (1).

**Figure 3: Number of respondents by ethnicity**

Ethnicity	Number	%
White – English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish / British	120	83%
Asian or Asian British - Indian	14	10%
White - Any other background please specify	3	2%
Black or Black British - African	2	1%
Prefer not to answer	2	1%
Black or Black British - Caribbean	1	1%
Mixed - Any other mixed background	1	1%
Mixed - White and Black African	1	1%
Mixed - White and Black Caribbean	1	1%

**Figure 4: Number and proportion of respondents by religion**

Religion	Number	%
Christian	88	61%
None	25	17%
Sikh	10	7%
Prefer not to answer	9	6%
Other	7	5%
Not Answered	4	3%
Hindu	1	1%
Muslim	1	1%

**Figure 5: Number and proportion of respondents with a long standing illness**

Long Standing Illness	Number	%
No	92	63%
Yes	42	29%
Not Answered	9	6%
Prefer not to answer	2	1%



**Figure 6: Number and proportion of respondents by employment status**

Employment Status	Number	%
Wholly retired from work	57	39%
Employee in part-time job	29	20%
Employee in full-time job	25	17%
Full-time education at school, college or university	10	7%
Not working due to illness or disability	9	6%
Looking after the home or family	8	6%
Self-employed	5	3%
Unemployed and available for work	2	1%

## Health & Wellbeing

Residents were asked which they felt are priority areas for health and wellbeing in their local area. They were given a variety of options and were able to select each that applied (Figure 7).

**Figure 7: Number and proportion of responses to the question “Looking at the list below, please select things which you feel are priority areas for health and wellbeing in your local area”**

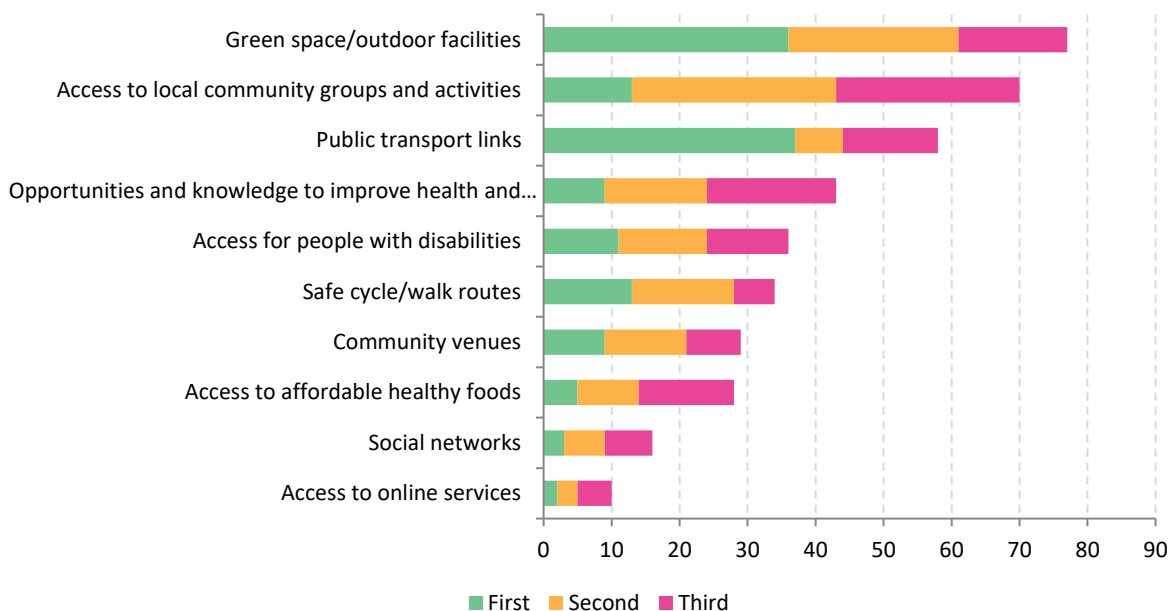
Priority Area	Number	%
Promoting mental health and wellbeing	97	67%
Parks and green spaces	86	59%
Opportunities for physical activity	80	55%
Access to health services	76	52%
Community activities & opportunities to develop social networks	74	51%
Support for those with Long-term health conditions	69	48%
Reducing substance misuse (alcohol, drugs)	64	44%
Availability of healthy foods	63	43%
Support for Carers	60	41%
Access to transport	55	38%
Cost of living	46	32%
Employment and skills development	45	31%
Housing/accommodation	39	27%
Access to other local services	31	21%

## Improving health & wellbeing in the local area

Residents were asked to identify the top 3 things they valued about the local area/local community which supports positive health and wellbeing (Figure 8). Green space/outdoor facilities featured in the top three most consistently (77 respondents) and 36 respondents placed this as their number one pick. However the most popular number one pick was public transport with 37 responses. Access to community groups and activities was placed in the top three by 70 respondents.

Access to online services had the lowest number of top three selections (10) with just 2 respondents making this their number one pick.

**Figure 8: Responses to the question “What are the top 3 things that you value about the local area/local community which support positive health and wellbeing?”**



A further open text question asked “What three things could be better in your local area to improve health and wellbeing?”. The free text responses have been grouped into themes, those with 6 or more responses are listed below:

- Environmental improvements/maintenance/cleaning
- Sports facilities/availability of classes
- Transport improvements/additional routes
- Youth specific activities
- Access to health services/more GPs
- Crime reduction including drugs/ASB
- Community events/communication about what is on
- Cycle routes
- Local social groups
- More/better shops

Residents were also asked what local activities/events they would like to see in the area. Activities that were mentioned most frequently were:

- Sports groups/events/clubs
- Local clubs/activities/park events

- Children’s/toddler/baby groups
- Bringing back the carnival

## Bedworth Central and Bulkington JSNA Area – Professional Survey Analysis

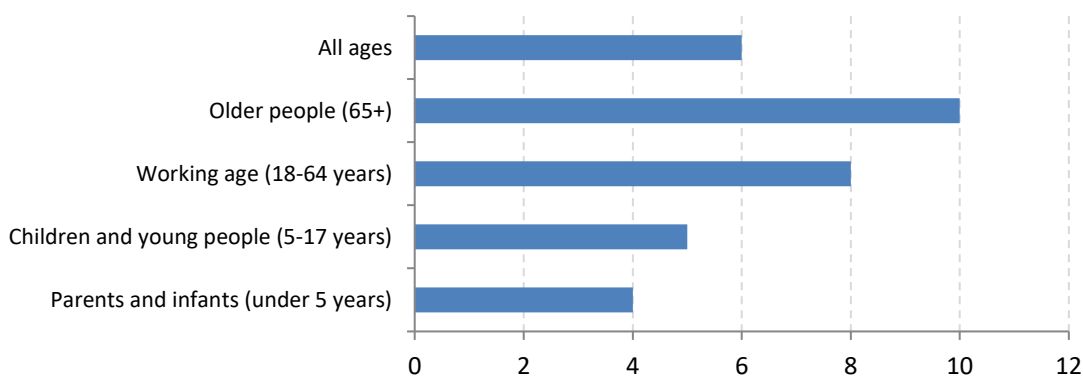
### Profile of respondents

The majority of respondents (57%) work for Warwickshire County Council, figure 9.

**Figure 9: Number and proportion of responses to the question “which type of organisation do you work/volunteer for?”**

Which type of organisation do you work/volunteer for?	Number	%
Warwickshire County Council	13	57%
Third Sector/voluntary sector	4	17%
NHS	2	9%
Schools	2	9%
District or Borough Council	1	4%
Fire & Rescue	1	4%

**Figure 9: Number of responses to the question “which of these groups do you work with? (tick all that apply)”**



The data presented in figure 10 provides a view on what respondents saw as different priorities for different age groups. Mental health and wellbeing was most consistently picked as a top three theme suggesting this is a key topic across all age groups. Healthy lifestyle was the most selected for both parent & infant and all ages, although interestingly was only selected twice for older people.

Community activities and opportunities to develop social networks was the third highest total for older people which reflects the priority of social isolation raised at the stakeholder group. Another message coming out of the stakeholder group was around financial poverty, initiatives to support those living in poverty was the second most selected theme for parent & infant.

**Figure 10: Number of responses to the question “Thinking of the age group you work with: Please select 3 topics per age group which you think are priorities for improvement.”**

*A red to green scale has been applied to each column to highlight the age groups that scored highest for each category, darker red represents a higher score. The data has been sorted by the ‘total’ category from high to low.*

Category	Parent & Infant	Children & Young People	Working Age	Older People	All Ages	Total
Mental health & wellbeing	5	7	11	10	10	43
Healthy lifestyle	9	5	6	2	10	32
Initiatives to support those living in poverty	8	5	3	2	6	24
Community activities and opportunities to develop social networks	4	2	3	9	6	24
Substance misuse	3	7	6	1	4	21
Access to health services	2	3	3	5	7	20
Long term health conditions	0	0	2	11	6	19
Employment & skills	3	4	8	0	4	19
Access to transport	1	1	4	5	6	17
Support for carers	0	1	4	7	5	17
Housing/accommodation	1	3	4	2	5	15
Access to local services	2	3	0	3	6	14
Parks and green spaces	3	3	2	1	5	14
Total	41	44	56	58	80	

Respondents were also asked to rank the potential barriers to improving the health and wellbeing of the local population (figure 11). Lack of funding saw the most overall selections (16) and the highest number of 1<sup>st</sup> picks (8).

**Figure 11 Number of responses to the question “In your experience of working in the local area you are commenting on, what are the potential barriers to improving the health and wellbeing of the local population? (Please rank your top 3)”**

Category	Total picks	1st pick	2nd pick	3rd pick
Lack of funding	16	8	5	3
Lack of knowledge to improve health and wellbeing	10	3	5	2
Lack of interest to improve health and wellbeing	9	2	5	2
Lack of community venues	5	1	0	4
Lack of social networks	5	1	3	1
Poor access for people with disabilities	4	2	1	1
Difficulty accessing online services	3	1	0	2
Fear of crime and personal safety	3	0	1	2
Poor access to affordable healthy foods	3	1	0	2
Poor public transport links	3	2	1	0
Lack of time	2	0	1	1
Culture / language barriers	1	1	0	0
Lack of safe cycle/walk routes	1	1	0	0
Lack of green space/outdoor facilities	0	0	0	0

Respondents were also able to provide additional comments via a free text option. Comments provided in here aligned with the priorities picked up from the stakeholder group including lack of skills to be able to prepare healthy meals and the sense that people are isolated and in need of access to social groups. The issue of empty shops within Bedworth Town Centre was also mentioned here and is a clear theme across both the residents and professionals surveys, with both referencing that it is run down and not a pleasant place to spend time.