

SUSSEX UNCOVERED 2: BRIDGING THE GAP - population aged 65+ and 75+

Area	% of population aged 65+ 2014	% of population aged 75+ 2014
Adur	23.12	12.35
Arun	28.05	15.48
Brighton and Hove	13.42	7.32
Chichester	26.44	14.51
Crawley	13.10	7.09
Eastbourne	24.01	14.29
Hastings	18.81	9.54
Horsham	21.55	11.22
Lewes	24.40	13.45
Mid Sussex	19.74	10.45
Rother	30.83	16.99
Wealden	25.02	12.90
Worthing	22.17	12.93
Sussex	21.51	11.71
South East	18.09	9.65
England & Wales	17.25	8.97

Commentary

Sussex has the 12th highest proportion of population aged 65 and over out of 53 sub-regions in England & Wales, indicating that older people are a significant feature of Sussex. The table shows that within Sussex, Rother has the highest proportion of population aged over 65 (30.83%) and also the greatest proportion of 75 year olds and over (16.99%). By contrast, Crawley has the smallest proportion of population aged 75 and over at 7.09%.

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